# Automotive Technology 6<sup>th</sup> Edition Chapter 95 – Fuel Cells and Advanced Technologies Lesson Plan

#### **CHAPTER SUMMARY:**



- 1. Fuel-cell technology, refueling with hydrogen, and direct methanol fuel cells
- 2. Fuel-cell vehicle systems, fuel-cell hybrid vehicles, and hydrogen storage
- 3. Ultracapacitors, fuel-cell vehicle transaxles, and hydraulic hybrid storage system
- 4. HCCI, wind power, and hydroelectric power



## **OBJECTIVES**:

- 1. Explain how a fuel cell generates electricity and list advantages and disadvantages of fuel cells.
- 2. List the types of fuel cells and vehicle systems that use them.
- 3. Explain how ultracapacitors and transaxle work in fuel-cell hybrid vehicles.
- 4. Discuss the use of hydraulic pressure as an energy source.
- 5. Describe the HCCI combustion process. discuss alternative electricity sources.

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**RESOURCES**: (All resources may be found at <a href="http://www.jameshalderman.com">http://www.jameshalderman.com</a>) Internet access required to hyperlink.

- 1. Task Sheet: Electric/Fuel Cell Vehicle Identification
- 2. Chapter PowerPoint
- 3. Chapter Crossword Puzzle and Word Search
- 4. Videos: (L3) Light Duty Hybrid Electric Videos
- 5. Animations: (L3) Light Duty Hybrid Electric Animations

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#### **ACTIVITIES:**

1. Task Sheet: Have students complete Electric/Fuel Cell Vehicle Identification Task Sheet.

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### **ASSIGNMENTS:**

- 1. Chapter crossword and word search puzzles.
- 2. Complete end of chapter 10 question quiz.

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# **CLASS DISCUSSION:**

- 1. Review and group discussion chapter <u>Frequently Asked Questions</u> and <u>Tech Tips</u> sections.
- 2. Review and group discussion of the five (5) chapter Review Questions.

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#### **NOTES AND EVALUATION:**

