UNIVERSAL TECHNICAL INSTITUTE INC Form 8-K August 02, 2012

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported):

August 2, 2012

Universal Technical Institute, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

| Delaware | 1-31923 | 86-0226984 |
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| (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) |
| 16220 North Scottsdale Road, Suite 100, Scottsdale, Arizona | | 85254 |
| (Address of principal executive offices) | | (Zip Code) |
| Registrant s telephone number, including area code: | | 623-445-9500 |
| | Not Applicable | |
| Former nam | e or former address, if changed since last report | |

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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| I | [] | Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) |
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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On August 2, 2012, Universal Technical Institute, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release reporting third quarter results for fiscal 2012. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated into this Item 2.02 by reference.

In accordance with General Instruction B.2 to Form 8-K, the information in this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, except as shall be expressly set forth in such filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

The exhibit to this Current Report is listed in the Exhibit Index set forth elsewhere herein.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Universal Technical Institute, Inc.

August 2, 2012 By: /s/ Eugene S. Putnam, Jr.

Name: Eugene S. Putnam, Jr.

Title: President and Chief Financial Officer

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| Exhibit No. | Description |
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| 99.1 | Press Release of Universal Technical Institute, Inc., dated August 2, 2012. |