IT - Network Specialist and IT - Computer Support Specialist

DUAL DEGREE OPTION

80 credits, earning two Associate of Applied Science degrees

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Students who are interested in taking both the IT - Network Specialist and IT - Computer Support Specialist programs can do so in just three years through this unique dual offering.

Dual degree programs maximize synergies between programs by sharing resources like faculty expertise, facilities and community programs – saving you both time and money.

Students gain advanced skills in both industries while taking advantage of an abbreviated schedule, a diverse environment, and enhanced opportunities for collaboration and networking.

This dual degree option totals 80 credits, and it is structured to be completed over three years. If the programs were taken separately, the total number of credits would equal 122, which is a 42-credit difference.

- Prepare for jobs such as:
 - Network Specialist: network administrator, network engineer, IT technician, systems administrator
 - Computer Support Specialist: computer Support Specialist, IT service desk analyst, support technician, software trainer, end user support specialist
- Complete real-world business challenges in state-of-the-art labs that use the latest Cisco routers and switches and other current business-class hardware and software.
- Have the opportunity to obtain the Google IT Support Professional certification.
- Leverage current industry-standard software solutions, including Microsoft Server, Microsoft Office, Apple IOS, Office 365 and Azure, Scrum Framework and ServiceNow.

Hands-on

Higher Ed







Earn two associate degrees in three years!

The IT - Network Specialist and IT - Computer Support Specialist dual degree option will lead students on a path toward two associate degrees in three years. The cross training students receive will give them critical skills for multiple industries.

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Only 80 total credits! When taken separately the total number of credits is 122

IT - Network Specialist associate degree 23 credits

SHARED COURSES 35 credits shared between both associate degrees

IT - Computer Support Specialist associate degree

22 credits

IT - Network Specialist		SHARED PROGRAM COURSES			IT - Computer Support Specialist PROGRAM COURSES PROGRAM CODE 101543			
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Credits CORE COURSES:		edits	Credits CORE COURSES:		Credits	Credi CORE COURSES:		
150-117	Introduction to Cisco Networks		107-103	IT Business Strategies	3	154-133	Application Suite	
		3	107-137	IT Internship	1	156-108	Intro to Database	
150-118	Switching Routing & Wireless	3	107-184	IT Capstone	2		& Reporting	
150-188	Linux Essentials	3	150-121	Enterprise Clients	3	154-137	Emerging Technology	
152-101	Python Programming	1	631-183	IT Essentials A+	3	107-119	Systems Analysis/Agile Methods	!
150-164	Intro to Bash Shell	'	150-137	MS Server	3	107-102	IT Support	
130-104	Scripting	1	151-106	Security I	3	154-143	IT Service	
150-153	Virtualization	3	150-122	Intro to PowerShell Scripting	1	134-143	Management	
150-165	Cloud AWS	3				154-139	Train the Trainer	
150-172	Wireless Technology	3				154-142	IT Service Practicum	
			GENERAL	_ STUDIES:				
			801-136	English Composition 1	3			
			801-198	Speech	3			
			804-133	Math & Logic	3			
GENERAL STUDIES:			809-195	Economics	3	GENERAL	STUDIES:	
801-197	Technical Reporting	3		or 809-143 Microeconomics		809-196	Sociology	
			809-199	Psychology of Human Relation	is 3			
			890-108	Employment Success	1			

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