

Information Technology Foundations C.C.

Career Community: Computer Technology and Networking

Curriculum Code: 0766

Effective: Fall 2025 - Summer 2030

Purpose of the Major

This certificate of completion provides the student with a broad-based introduction to the Information Technology (IT) field. The courses are selected to give the student an understanding of the use of computers in various aspects of business, some typical business applications, how computer networks function, how operating systems work, and an introduction to computer programming. Students also learn skills for basic computer repair and support, allowing them to earn the industry respected CompTIA A+ certification. This certificate is especially suited to help an undecided student select which aspect of IT to pursue, or to allow a person with a non-IT background and/or degree to add basic IT skills, or as a starting point for students seeking the Computer Networking and Cybersecurity Associate of Business degree (1453).

Milestone

Completion of CITF 110 with a 2.0 or higher is a key component for success in completing this program. Knowledge obtained in this course is the foundation for learning in other required courses. Students are encouraged to contact their faculty if they need additional assistance with learning the concepts presented in the course.

Additional Information

A student must earn a minimum grade of 2.0 in all courses.

Contact Information

For further information, including career options, course substitutions and waivers, etc., contact the Computer Information Technologies Program at the West Campus Building, Room M103, telephone number 517-267-6406 or Student Services West Campus, West Campus Building, Room M016, telephone number 517-267-5452.

Major Required Courses

Course Code	Course Title	Credit/Billing Hours
CITF 110	Intro Computer Info Systems	3/3
CITF 120	Operating Systems Concepts	3/3
CITN 120	Networking Concepts	3/3
CITP 110	Intro to Programming-Python	4 / 4
CITS 125	Computer Support: A+ Cert Prep	6/6

Minimum Total Credit Hours

19 credits / 19 billing hours

Recommended Course Sequence

SemesterI		
CITF 110 – Milestone course		
CITN 120		
CITS 125		

SemesterII	
CITF 120	
CITP 110	

LCC makes every effort to limit revisions to the pathways during their effective timeframe. However, the College reserves the right to update certificate and degree titles, and make course changes as needed, without prior notice. The College also reserves the right to discontinue programs when warranted.