OVERVIEW
Students gain an understanding of the information technology field, such as designing, coding, compiling, executing, and debugging programs in various programming languages. Instruction guides students to apply effective web design principles to design and develop web pages. Learners gain a basic understanding of relational databases and the ability to query and manipulate data in relational databases. Operating systems, data communications, computer networks, the Internet, and all relevant and underlying protocols and infrastructures are demonstrated.

CAREER READINESS SKILLS
Critical Thinking/Problem-Solving
Form creative decisions by interpreting information, opinions and data.

Oral/Written Communication
Explain thoughts and ideas effectively to people inside and outside the organization.

Teamwork
Work efficiently with diverse groups; the ability to negotiate and manage conflict maturely.

Digital Technology
Demonstrate adaptability to new emerging technology to achieve goals.

Leadership
Leverage the strength of others to achieve common goals, as well as prioritizing and delegating work.

Professionalism
Recognizing the significance of time, tasks, appearance and accountability.

Career Management
Understand how to self-advocate for opportunities, while identifying areas necessary for professional growth.

Global Perspective
Openness, inclusiveness, and sensitivity to people of diverse backgrounds and lifestyles.

RELATED CAREERS
- Technical Support
- Network and Systems Administrator
- Database Administrator
- Information Security Analyst
- Computer Programmer
- Software Developer

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SUGGESTED SEQUENCE OF COURSES
Prerequisite or parallel courses may be required. Please check individual course descriptions for details.

COMPUTER SCIENCE
INFORMATION SYSTEMS
ASSOCIATE DEGREE
Suggested Sequence of Courses:
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Freshman Year
ENG* E101 - Composition 3 credits
Elective (MATH) - Mathematics 3-4 credits
CSC* E105 - Programming Logic 3 credits
CSC* E238 - SQL Fundamentals 3 credits
Elective (AESX) - Aesthetic Dimensions 3 credits
Elective (SOCX) - Social Phenomena I 3 credits
CST* E266 - Linux Fundamentals 3 credits
CST* E153 - Web Development & Design I 4 credits
Elective (Restricted) - Programming Language 3-4 credits
Elective (COMP) - Computer Science 3-4 credits

Sophomore Year
ENG* E102 - Literature & Composition 3 credits
or Elective (WRIX) - Written Comm. in English II (3 credits)
Elective (SCKX) - Scientific Knowledge & Understanding 3-4 credits
CST* E145 - Digital Circuits and Logic 4 credits
CSC* E233 - Database Development I 4 credits
Elective (COMP) - Computer Science 3-4 credits
CST* E231 - Data Communications & Networks 3 credits
Elective (Restricted) - Programming Language 3-4 credits
ECN* E101 - Principles of Macro-Economics 3 credits
or ECN* E102 - Principles of Micro-Economics (3 credits)
BBG* E210 - Business Communication 3 credits

Total Credits: 60-66

1 Must be one of the following: MAT* E137, MAT* E172, MAT* E186, MAT* E254.
2 Open Computer Science Elective - Any approved computer technology, computer science, or computer application (not including CSA* E135 and CSA *E140) course selected in consultation with and approval by CS/CIS program advisor.
3 Restricted Programming Language Elective - Must be one of the following: CSC* E210, CSC* E218, CSC* E223, CSC* E224, CSC* E240, CSC* E267, CSC* E268, CSC* E269.
4 Students desiring to transfer to a 4-year school should take a 4 credit laboratory science course.

NOTE: Major Program Requirements have minimum grade requirements.
NOTE: A minimum of 15 credits must be taken in 200-level courses.
NOTE: For degree completion the student must complete the Computer Literacy Requirement.

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