

Choose your pathway to **College** or **Career**

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY



You can jumpstart your future in an exciting, high-demand career in IT while earning your high school diploma or equivalent!

Your Pathway Is Waiting for You

Want to go on to college? Get a head start on a major and save money on the cost of college** when you begin your pathway now.

Looking for enriching courses with real-world value? Our courses are designed to give you the training needed to qualify for a fulfilling job.

Want a better-paying job right out of high school? You'll be better prepared to get the industry certification you'll need to get hired.

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Employment of computer and information technology occupations is projected to grow much faster than the average for all occupations. Demand for these workers will stem from greater emphasis on cloud computing, the collection and storage of big data, and information security.*

With courses available to you right now, you can graduate from high school with the skills and credentials that will provide a stepping stone to college where you can earn a bachelor's degree and pursue high-paying careers like these:

INFORMATION SECURITY ANALYSTS

\$98,350 PER YEAR MEDIAN PAY (\$47.28/HOUR)*

COMPUTER PROGRAMMERS

\$84,280 PER YEAR MEDIAN PAY (\$40.52/HOUR)*

NETWORK AND COMPUTER SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATORS

\$82,050 PER YEAR MEDIAN PAY (\$39.45/HOUR)*

MULTIMEDIA ARTISTS AND ANIMATORS

\$72,520 PER YEAR MEDIAN PAY (\$34.87/HOUR)*

COMPUTER SUPPORT SPECIALISTS

\$53,470 PER YEAR MEDIAN PAY (\$25.70/HOUR)*

Connect to Your Future

Here are the courses for each of these compelling pathways[†]:

Programming	Game Design & Programming	Networking
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IT EXPLORATIONS • COMPUTER LITERACY • COMPUTER SCIENCE • PYTHON PROGRAMMING • PROGRAMMING LOGIC AND DESIGN 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IT EXPLORATIONS • COMPUTER LITERACY • COMPUTER SCIENCE • PROGRAMMING LOGIC AND DESIGN • GAME DESIGN 1 • GAME DESIGN 2 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IT EXPLORATIONS • COMPUTER LITERACY • COMPUTER SCIENCE • NETWORK + GUIDE TO NETWORKS I • NETWORK + GUIDE TO NETWORKS II WITH CERTIFICATION PREP
Cybersecurity	Web and Digital	Digital Design
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IT EXPLORATIONS • COMPUTER LITERACY • COMPUTER SCIENCE • SECURITY+ I • SECURITY+ II WITH CERTIFICATION PREP 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IT EXPLORATIONS • DIGITAL ARTS 1 • DIGITAL ARTS 2 • ADOBE ILLUSTRATOR WITH ADOBE CERTIFICATION PREP • ADOBE DREAMWEAVER WITH ADOBE CERTIFICATION PREP 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IT EXPLORATIONS • DIGITAL ARTS 1 • DIGITAL ARTS 2 • ADOBE PHOTOSHOP WITH ADOBE CERTIFICATION PREP • ADOBE INDESIGN WITH ADOBE CERTIFICATION PREP

Credentials That Open Doors

Our information technology pathways are geared to give you the knowledge and skills to be able to pass the certification exam for the specific career you're interested in.

Catch the attention of employers in your chosen field with widely recognized certifications:

- Certiport C++, Game Design, JAVA, Python, and Web/HTML5 certifications
- Adobe® Certified Associate (ACA) certifications
- National Occupational Competency Testing Institute® (NOCTI®) Computer Networking Fundamentals certification
- ACT National Career Readiness Certification (NCRC)

Contact your guidance counselor to learn more!

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[†]Eligible high school students may earn college credits on select courses.

²Bureau of Labor Statistics, Career Outlook, Clusters, pathways, and BLS: Connecting career information, March 2015.

³Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Outlook Handbook, September, 2019 edition.

[†]Career fields and pathways vary by school. Check with your school for its current offerings.