



Network Support Specialist Certificate (NS31)

Description

The Network Support Specialist certificate program provides basic training in networking support. Students are introduced to the basic networking support skills. Upon graduation, students will be able to maintain networks using Windows networking software.

Employment Opportunities

The Network Support Specialist certificate prepares students for entry-level employment in the area of networking support positions. Positions may include a variety of responsibilities including hardware and software installation, computer network installation and maintenance, computer and network support and troubleshooting, and computer and network security.

Admissions Criteria

- Submit a completed application and application fee;
- Be at least 16 years of age;
- Submit official high school transcript or GED transcript;
- Submit official college transcripts, if applicable;
- Meet the following assessment requirements:

| Test | Reading | Writing | Numerical |
|------------|---------|---------|-----------|
| Accuplacer | 55 | 60 | 34 |
| Compass | 70 | 32 | 26 |
| SAT | 24 | 25 | 22 |
| SAT | 430 | NA | 400 |
| ACT | 13 | 12 | 17 |
| PSAT | 22 | 23 | 20 |
| GED | NA | 165 | 165 |

Network Support Specialist Curriculum

The curriculum for the Network Support Specialist certificate is designed for the semester system. A student may enter the program any semester. To graduate, students must earn a minimum of 10

semester credit hours. The program requires a minimum of 240 contact hours and generally takes 1 semester to complete.

| Program Courses | Credits |
|--|-----------|
| Occupational Courses | 10 |
| COLL 1010 College and Career Success Skills (OL) | 3 |
| <i>Select one</i> | 3 |
| CIST 1130 Operating Systems Concepts | |
| IST 2411 Microsoft Client | |
| <i>Select one</i> | 4 |
| CIST 1401 Computer Networking Fundamentals (OL) | |
| CIST 2414 Microsoft Server Directory Services | |

(OL) designation indicates course may be available online during selected semesters.

Program Costs

Tuition/Fees: \$1,260

Books/Supplies: \$400

(Costs are estimates and are subject to change.)

GAINFUL EMPLOYMENT

For more information about our graduation rates, the median debt of students who completed the program, and other important information, please visit our website at www.ogeecheetech.edu/gainful_employment.

TOP 10 REASONS

why OTC is the right choice for you!

1. Great-paying careers!
2. Strong **job placement!**
3. Affordable tuition with financial aid options you don't have to pay back!
4. Over 100 majors to choose from!
5. Flexible class scheduling: day, evening, and online classes!
6. Faculty with real-world experience
7. Hands-on learning
8. Small class sizes
9. An Associate's Degree, diploma, or certificate in less 2 years or less!
10. We **GUARANTEE** your education!

GET STARTED TODAY!

1. Select a program! Free career counseling is available.
2. Review the Admissions Checklist and APPLY online at www.ogeecheetech.edu!
3. Plan for expenses. You can view tuition and fees and available financial aid options online as well.

QUESTIONS:

Contact Admissions at 912.688.6994 or via email at enrollmentservices@ogeecheetech.edu!

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