## NORTHAMPTON

## **Networking Systems Technology - Associate in Applied Science (2023-2024 Catalog)**

| Developmental Education Courses (if required) |         |                                   |  |  |  |  |
|---|---------|-----------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
|   | ACLS050 | Introduction to Academic Literacy |  |  |  |  |
|   | ENGL027 | Writing Skills Workshop           |  |  |  |  |
|   | MATH020 | Pre-Algebra                       |  |  |  |  |
|   | MATH022 | Elementary Algebra                |  |  |  |  |
|   | MATH026 | Intermediate Algebra              |  |  |  |  |

Placement in English and/or Mathematics must first be determined by <u>official</u> transcripts and/or placement testing. Developmental education courses are only taken if needed based on a student's placement; these courses would be in addition to the courses outlined below. Developmental education courses may extend the timeline to degree completion.

Transferring credits into NCC: Official transcripts are required; awarded credit will appear in Workday's Academic Progress.

|            | complete | Course # | Course Title   | Credits | Pre-requisites / Co-requisites  |
|------------|----------|----------|--|---------|---|
| Semester 1 |          | COLS101  | College Success  | 1       | Exempt: COLS150 or 12+ transfer credits & 2.0 GPA                                       |
|            |          | CISC100  | Information Technology Fundamentals  | 4       |   |
|            |          | CISC131  | Data Communications & LANS (CCENT 1)   | 4       |   |
|            |          | CISC136  | PC Support & Troubleshooting   | 4       |   |
|            |          | CISC137  | Introduction to Networking Hardware  | 2       |   |
|            |          |          | Total Semester Credits:  | 15      |   |
| 2          |          | CMTH102  | Introduction to Communication  | 3       |   |
|            |          | ENGL101  | English I  | 3       | PRE: ENGL Placement Policy  |
| ter        |          | CISC105  | Desktop Operating Systems  | 4       |   |
| Semester   |          | CISC267  | Switching, Routing, and Wireless Essentials                                    | 4       | PRE: CISC131  |
| Se         |          | CISC254  | Server I   | 3       | PRE: CISC136  |
|            |          |          | Total Semester Credits:  | 17      |   |
| er 3       |          | ENGL151T | English II (Technical Writing)   | 3       | PRE: ENGL101  |
|            |          | CISC271  | Intermediate Routing & Switching, Interconnectivity & Troubleshooting CCNA R&S | 4       | PRE: CISC267  |
| emester    |          |          | Mathematics Elective   | 3       | PRE: MATH Placement Policy  |
| em         |          |          | AH, SIT, or SSHB General Education Elective                                    | 3       | Depends on course selected  |
| Š          |          |          | Elective   | 3       | Depends on course selected  |
|            |          |          | Total Semester Credits:  | 16/17   |   |
|            |          | CISC265  | Windows Server Administration  | 4       | PRE: CISC254  |
| 4          |          | BUSA221G | Business Communication (WI)  | 3       | PRE: ENGL151 and CMTH102  |
| Semester   |          |          | CISC or ELEC Elective  | 3/4     | Depends on course selected. Recommended Electives: CISC180, CISC286, CISC251, & CISC128 |
| me         |          |          | AH, SIT, or SSHB General Education Elective                                    | 3       | Depends on course selected  |
| Se         |          |          | AH, SIT, or SSHB General Education Elective                                    | 3       | Depends on course selected  |
|            |          |          | Total Semester Credits:  | 16/17   |   |
|            |          |          | Total Degree Credits   | 64-66   |   |

## **Program Notes:**

General Education Electives: Student must take three courses from at least two different categories (AH, SIT, SSHB)

## How to search for general education electives:

In Workday, use the corresponding **Course Tag** filter to see the available options.

Arts and Humanities = AH
Scientific Study of Human Behavior = SSHB
Socitieties and Institutions Over Time = SIT

**Math Elective:** MATH 140, 145, 150, 160, 165, 175, 180, 181, 202, 210, 211

CISC131, 267, 271: The Cisco Networking Academy Program courses must be taken in sequential order (as indicated)

CISC or ELEC recommended electives:

CISC128 Client-side Scripting

CISC180 Intro to Network Security

CISC251 Network Administration & Maintenance

CISC286 Linux Administration

| General Education Requirements |          |                   |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|----------|-------------------|--|--|--|
|                                |          | Diversity         |  |  |  |
|                                | BUSA221G | Writing Intensive |  |  |  |

\*It is the student's responsibility to be knowledgeable of NCC graduation requirements and, if applicable, to verify transfer requirements with the 4-year institution. Courses listed on the program map are based upon the assumption that prerequisites and courses taken in previous semesters will be successfully completed.