



This program roadmap represents one possible pathway to complete the program. **Please see a counselor** to create an education plan that is customized to meet your needs. This roadmap is not a guarantee of course availability or financial aid applicability.

Catalog: 2025-26

GE Pattern: local AA/AS

Total Units: 60

First Year

Semester 1

15 Units

CAT.	COURSE	UNIT	PREREQUISITES	GE AREA
Req	CISC 310 Introduction to Computer Information Science	3		
RE	CISA 126 Outlook: Basics or BUSTEC 126 Outlook: Basics	1 1		
RE	CISA 127 Outlook: Tools or BUSTEC 127 Outlook: Tools	1 1	CISA 126/BUSTEC 126	
RE	CISA 305 Beginning Word Processing	2		
RE	CISA 315 Introduction to Electronic Spreadsheets	2		
GE	ENGL C1000 Academic Reading and Writing or ENGL C1000H ^H Academic Reading and Writing - Honors	3 3		L1A
GE	any Area L7A (Physical Education) course	1		L7A
GE	any Area L7B (Life Development Skills) course	2		L7B

Semester 2

15 Units

CAT.	COURSE	UNIT	PREREQUISITES	GE AREA
Req	BUS 224 Customer Service	1		

CAREER PATH

Career Options:

This degree prepares students for entry-level IT positions in PC support management.

Advising Notes:

- This degree can be completed using either the local AA/AS general education (GE) pattern or the Cal-GETC transfer GE pattern. See a counselor to determine which pattern is best for you based on your academic goals.
- Students can substitute ESLW 340 for ENGL C1000/C1000H (formerly known as ENGWR 300/480).
- Elective Courses:** any elective courses numbered 100-499, or having a 4-digit number starting with C.

Scheduling Notes:

- CISA 126/BUSTEC 126 is offered during the 1st 8 weeks and CISA 127/BUSTEC 127 is offered during the 2nd 8 weeks, so they can be taken in the same semester.

CAT.	COURSE	UNIT	PREREQUISITES	GE AREA
Req	CISA 160 Project Management Techniques and Software or	3		
	MGMT 142 Project Management Techniques and Software	3		
Req	CISC 320 Operating Systems	1		
Req	CISC 361 Information Technology Fundamentals	3		
GE	any Area L3 (Arts & Humanities) course	3		L3
GE	STAT C1000 Introduction to Statistics or	4		L2
	STAT C1000H ^H Introduction to Statistics - Honors	4		

Second Year

Semester 3

15.5 Units

CAT.	COURSE	UNIT	PREREQUISITES	GE AREA
Req	CISN 340 Cisco Networking Academy CCNA: Introduction to Networks	3.5		
Req	CISS 315 Ethical Hacking	3		
RC	CISS 310 ¹ Network Security Fundamentals	3		
Req	CISS 350 Disaster Recovery	3		
GE	any Area L6 (Ethnic Studies) course	3		L6

¹ CISS 310 is not part of this degree but is a corequisite for CISS 315.

Semester 4

14.5 Units

CAT.	COURSE	UNIT	PREREQUISITES	GE AREA
GE	any Area L1B (Oral Communication & Critical Thinking) course	3		L1B
GE	any Area L4 (Social & Behavioral Sciences) course	3		L4
GE	any Area L5 (Natural Sciences) course	3		L5
Elec	any elective course	3		

CAT.	COURSE	UNIT	PREREQUISITES	GE AREA
Elec	any elective course	2.5		

^H honors courses

EXPLANATION OF CATEGORIES

Req	Required Core	A course that is required for this program
RE	Restricted Elective	A course selected from a list of elective courses specified for this program in the course list in the catalog, which can be replaced with another course from the same list
GE	General Education	A course that fulfills a specific general education requirement for a degree, which can be replaced with another course that meets the same requirement
RC	Recommended Course	A course that is not part of this program but is included in its roadmap
Elec	Degree Elective	A degree-applicable course that is part of a degree roadmap to ensure that there is a total of at least 60 units, which is a requirement for an associate degree

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