



CompTIA A+ Certified Technician Preparation

Technical Certificate of Credit

MAJOR CODE: CA71 **REQUIRED CREDIT HOURS:** 17 **CIP Code:** 47.0104

Location(s): DeKalb/S.DeKalb/Newton/Online

Program Description: The Comp TIA A+ Certified Preparation technical certificate of credit program is designed to provide computer users with the skills and knowledge necessary to pass the A+ certification exam. Earning Comp TIA A+ certifications shows that an individual possesses the knowledge, technical skills, and customer relation skills essential for working as a successful entry-level network technician.

The Comp TIA A+ Certified Preparation TCC is embedded in the Computer Support Specialist diploma / degree program and may be awarded upon satisfactory completion of the courses listed. Students seeking to complete the TCC may be required to pass pre/co-requisite courses prior to enrollment in the required TCC courses. Pre/co-requisite courses may result in additional time required for completion of this TCC.

Course Number	Course	Credit Hours	Pre/Co-Requisite(s)
COMP 1000	Introduction to Computers	3	Equivalent test score
CIST 1001	Computer Concepts	4	Provisional Admission
CIST 1130	Operating Systems Concepts	3	Provisional Admission
CIST 1122	Hardware Installation and Maintenance	4	COMP1000, CIST1001, CIST1130
CIST 2122	A+ Preparation	3	CIST1122
	Total	17	

Notes

- Course descriptions, and required pre/co-requisites are available in the college catalog, which can be found online at <https://www.gptc.edu/current-students/course-catalog/>
- Changes to program requirements can be made and will be properly communicated to students.

Gainful Employment Information

- No gainful employment information is available for this program.

Additional Information

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