

 	<b>ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE</b> <b>CYBER SECURITY AND COMPUTER FORENSICS</b>	<b>2025-26 Catalog</b> Effective Summer 2025
	<i>The catalog in force is assigned to students based on the academic year they first applied to the college, and changes only when students change their major or request the change in writing. Refer to Policy No. 3357:15-13-28.</i>	<b>5450</b>

*Business, Engineering and Information Technology Division      Computer Science and Information Systems Department*

TECHNICAL Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre- and Co-Requisites	Completed Sem./Year
CFS136	Principles of Information Security▲+	3		
CFS137	Computer Crime and Investigation▲+	3	NET120	
CFS210	Cyber Defense Fundamentals▲-	3	CFS136 and NET220	
CFS250	Cyber Security and Digital Forensics Practicum▲+	2	CFS256 and CFS275	
CFS256	Disaster Recovery and Incident Planning▲+	3		
CFS257	File Systems Analysis▲-	3	CFS137	
CFS258	Cyber Forensics and Data Recovery▲+	3	CFS257	
CFS275	Ethical Hacking▲-	3	NET120 and NET220	
CFS280	Digital Media Forensics▲+	3	CFS137	
CFS287	Network Forensics▲+	3	CFS137 and NET121 and NET220	
NET220	UNIX/LINUX Operating Environment	3	NET120 and (NET121 or NET118)	
<b>Total</b>		<b>32</b>		
NON-TECH Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre- and Co-Requisites	Completed Sem./Year
SSC101	Student Success Seminar^^	1	<i>Take first semester</i>	
ACC237	Forensic Accounting and Fraud Examination^	3	IDS102 or Proficiency	
CFS175	White Collar Crime▲-	3		
CHM105	Introduction to Forensic Science	3		
COM121	Effective Speaking	3		
ENG124	College Composition^	3	Co-ENG024 or Co-ENG011 or Proficiency	
CSE122	Programming Logic and Problem Solving^	3	(IDS102 or Proficiency) and (ITD100 or Proficiency)	
MTH125	College Algebra^	4	Pre-co-MTH025 or MTH023 or Proficiency	
NET118 or NET121	Network Basics or Introduction to Computer Networking	3 or 3		
NET120	PC Upgrading and Maintenance	3		
	Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective	3	<i>Check for prerequisites</i>	
<b>Total</b>		<b>32</b>		
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>		<b>64</b>		

^Based upon SSC placement scores

^^To promote student success, this course should be taken in the first semester

▲- Fall only courses. Please see your academic advisor for availability.

▲+ Spring only courses. Please see your academic advisor for availability.

Social and Behavior Sciences Electives: PSC121, PSY123, PSY124, PSY221, SOC121, SOC122, SOC123, SOC221, SOC225

PART-TIME STUDENT ADVISING NOTES

Academic Advising

Students should make an appointment to see their advisor before registering for classes each semester. They should have prepared a completed registration form, including courses they wish to take, prior to this meeting.

Course Sequence

The semester-by-semester listing below provides the normal scheduling option for part-time associate degree students who plan to finish in eight semesters.

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Credit Hours</u>	<u>Pre- and Co-requisites</u>
SSC101	Student Success Seminar^^	1	<i>Take first semester</i>
CFS175	White Collar Crime▲-	3	
COM121	Effective Speaking	<u>3</u>	
		<b>7</b>	
<u>Second Semester</u>			
ENG124	College Composition^	3	Co-ENG024 <b>or</b> Co-ENG011 <b>or</b> Proficiency
NET120	PC Upgrading and Maintenance	3	
NET118	Network Basics	3	
or	or	or	
NET121	Introduction to Computer Networking	3	
		<b>9</b>	
<u>Third Semester</u>			
CSE122	Programming Logic and Problem Solving^	3	(IDS102 or Proficiency) <b>and</b> (ITD100 or Proficiency)
MTH125	College Algebra^	4	Pre-co-MTH025 <b>or</b> MTH023 <b>or</b> Proficiency
	Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective	<u>3</u>	<i>Check for prerequisites</i>
		<b>10</b>	
<u>Fourth Semester</u>			
CFS136	Principles of Information Security▲+	3	
CFS137	Computer Crime and Investigation▲+	3	NET120
NET220	UNIX/LINUX Operating Environment	<u>3</u>	NET120 <b>and</b> (NET121 or NET118)
		<b>9</b>	
<u>Fifth Semester</u>			
CHM105	Introduction to Forensic Science	3	
CFS210	Cyber Defense Fundamentals▲-	<u>3</u>	CFS136 <b>and</b> NET220
		<b>6</b>	
<u>Sixth Semester</u>			
CFS256	Disaster Recovery and Incident Planning▲+	3	
CFS280	Digital Media Forensics▲+	3	CFS137
CFS287	Network Forensics▲+	<u>3</u>	CFS137 <b>and</b> NET121 <b>and</b> NET220
		<b>9</b>	
<u>Seventh Semester</u>			
CFS275	Ethical Hacking▲-	3	NET120 <b>and</b> NET220
CFS257	File Systems Analysis▲-	<u>3</u>	CFS137
		<b>6</b>	
<u>Eighth Semester</u>			
CFS258	Cyber Forensics and Data Recovery▲+	3	CFS257
CFS250	Cyber Security and Digital Forensics Practicum▲+	2	CFS256 <b>and</b> CFS275
ACC237	Forensic Accounting and Fraud Examination^	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency
		<b>8</b>	
	<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	<b>64</b>	

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