NORTHAMPTON

CISC280G

Diversity

Writing Intensive

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

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	complete	Course #	Course Title	Credits	Prerequisites / Corequisites
Semester 1		COLS101	College Success	1	Exempt: COLS150 or 12+ transfer credits & 2.0 GPA
		CISC100	Information Technology Fundamentals	4	
		CISC105	Desktop Operating Systems	4	
		CISC131	CISCO Networking I (CCNA)	4	
		ENGL101	English I	3	PRE: English placement policy
			Total Semester Credits:	16	
Semester 2		CISC286	Linux Administration	4	PRE: CISC 105
		CISC180	Introduction to Network Security	4	PRE: CISC131 or CISC137
			General Education Elective	3	
		ENGL151T	English II (Technical Writing)	3	PRE: ENGL101
		COMM101	Introduction to Communication	3	
			Total Semester Credits:	17	
Semester 3		CISC 265	Windows Server Administration	4	PRE: CISC 105
		CISC205	Cybersecurity Essentials	4	PRE: CISC180
			Mathematics Elective	3	PRE: MATH Placement Policy
		CISC280G	Cyber Ethics (Writing Intensive)	3	PRE: ENGL 101
			General Education Elective	3	
			Total Semester Credits:	17	
Semester 4		CISC282	Cybersecurity Administration	4	PRE: CISC180
		CISC284	Ethical Hacking	4	PRE: CISC205
			CISC 277 Comp & Info Sciences Practicum OR Technical Elective	3/4	
			General Education Elective	3	
			Elective	3	
			Total Semester Credits:	17/18	
	Total Degree Credits			67/68	
		General Education Requirements			

Program Notes:

For the General Education Electives, students must take three courses from at least two of the following areas: Arts & Humanities (AH), Social Science: Society and Institutions over Time (SIT), and Social Science: Scientific Study of Human Behavior (SSHB).

How to search for general education electives:

In Workday's Academics- click *Find Course Sections & Register*, then use the corresponding **Elective Groups** filter to see the available options.

Arts and Humanities = AH

Social Science: Scientific Study of Human Behavior = SSHB Social Science: Societies and Institutions Over Time = SIT

Technical Elective:

CISC 114 Intro to Computer Science w/Python CISC128 Client-side Scripting CISC136 PC Support and Troubleshooting CISC263 Digital Forensics**

CISC267 Switching, Routing, & Wireless Essentials

Note: **CISC 263 is the recommended elective for students considering transfer to a four year BS program in Digital Forensics.

Practicum: CISC 277 Comp & Info Sciences Practicum pre-reqs for Information Security, AAS: CISC 180, 205, 282, 284

Math Elective:

MATH 120 Nature of Math
MATH140 College Algebra
MATH145 Trigonometry
MATH156 STEM College Algebra (Recommended for Transfer)
MATH150 Introductory Statistics
MATH160 Pre-Calculus

*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.