

# Network Systems Technology (2156) (A.S.)

## RECOMMENDED ROADMAP

This Roadmap is a recommended way to complete this program of study. Course availability is subject to change. In some cases a specific course is shown, but there are other options available. To review and consider other courses, see the note at the bottom of this page. Part-time students should refer to the Recommended Course Sequence list. Consult a Student Success Advisor or the Program Manager before creating your actual Academic Degree Plan and refer to the [FSCJ Catalog](#) for more information.

### 1<sup>st</sup> Term

Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours	Grade Earned
1* ENC 1101	English Composition I	3	
2* See Note Below	Choose 1 General Education Mathematics	3	
CTS 1131	Hardware Configuration	3	
CTS 1133	Software Configuration	3	

**Term Total = 12**

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Term

Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours	Grade Earned
CTS 1154	Technical Support	3	
CTS 1120	Fundamentals of Information Security	3	
CNT 1015	Operating Systems Foundations	3	
CET 2600	Network Fundamentals (CISCO 1)	3	

**Term Total = 12**

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Term

Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours	Grade Earned
CTS 2655	Routing and Switching Fundamentals (CISCO 2)	4	
CTS 1334	Server Configuration	4	
4* See Note Below	Choose 1 Professional Elective	4	

**Term Total = 12**

### 4<sup>th</sup> Term

Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours	Grade Earned
2* See Note Below	Choose 1 General Education Social and Behavioral Science	3	
2* See Note Below	Choose 1 General Education Humanities	3	
4* See Note Below	Choose 1 Professional Elective	4	
4* See Note Below	Choose 1 Professional Elective	4	

**Term Total = 14**

### 5<sup>th</sup> Term

Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours	Grade Earned
3* See Note Below	Choose 1 General Education Communications	3	
CNT 2942	Cooperative Education (Internship)	2	
4* See Note Below	Choose 1 Professional Elective	2, 3 or 4	
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**Term Total = Minimum of 10**

**Total Credit Hours = 60**

#### Program Notes:


1\* ENC 1101C can be taken in place of ENC 1101. Please speak with your Advisor for more information.

2\* See the options for the General Education Requirements at [fscj.edu/ge](http://fscj.edu/ge).

3\* General Education Communications options include: ENC 1102, SPC 2017, SPC 2065 or SPC 2608.

4\* See the professional electives options in the catalog at [fscj.edu/2156](http://fscj.edu/2156).

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## RECOMMENDED COURSE SEQUENCE

This list shows a recommended sequence for completing the courses in this program of study. Course availability is subject to change. Part-time students should use this list to determine which courses to take next that fit their schedule. In some cases a specific course is shown, but there are other options available. To review and consider other courses, see the note on page 1. Consult a Student Success Advisor or the Program Manager before creating your actual Academic Degree Plan and refer to the [FSCJ Catalog](#) for more information.

- **ENC 1101** - English Composition I (Credit Hours: 3) - **Prerequisites:** Satisfactory score on reading and writing placement tests. **See program note 1\*.**
- **Choose 1 General Education Mathematics** (see link below for options). **See program note 2\*.**
- **CTS 1131** - Hardware Configuration (Credit Hours: 3) - **Prerequisites:** None.
- **CTS 1133** - Software Configuration (Credit Hours: 3) - **Prerequisites:** None.
- **CTS 1154** - Technical Support (Credit Hours: 3) - **Prerequisites:** None.
- **CTS 1120** - Fundamentals of Information Security (Credit Hours: 3) - **Prerequisites:** CTS 1131 and CTS 1133 with a grade of “C” or higher.
- **CNT 1015** - Operating Systems Foundations (Credit Hours: 3) - **Prerequisites:** None.
- **CET 2600** - Network Fundamentals (CISCO 1) (Credit Hours: 3) - **Prerequisites:** CTS 1131 and CTS 1133 with a grade of “C” or higher.
- **CTS 2655** - Routing and Switching Fundamentals (CISCO 2) (Credit Hours: 4) – **Prerequisites:** CET 2600 with a grade of “C” or higher.
- **CTS 1334** - Server Configuration (Credit Hours: 4) - **Prerequisites:** CTS 1131 and CTS 1133 with a grade of “C” or higher.
- **Choose 1 Professional Elective** (see link below) (Credit Hours: 4).
- **Choose 1 General Education Social and Behavioral Science** (See link below for options) (Credit Hours: 3). **See program note 2\*.**
- **Choose 1 General Education Humanities** (See link below for options). (Credit Hours: 3). **See program note 2\*.**
- **Choose 1 Professional Elective** (see link below) (Credit Hours: 4).
- **Choose 1 Professional Elective** (see link below) (Credit Hours: 4).
- **Choose 1 General Education Communications** (See link below for options). (Credit Hours: 3). **See program note 3\*.**
- **CNT 2942** - Cooperative Education (Internship) (Credit Hours: 2) - **Prerequisites:** None.
- **Choose 1 Professional Elective** (see link below) (Credit Hours: 2, 3 or 4).
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### *Professional Elective Options (17 credit hours required):*

Visit catalog program page for information on professional elective options and suggested tracks at [fscj.edu/2156](http://fscj.edu/2156)

**Total Credit Hours = 60**

*To view a list of General Education Requirements, please visit our online catalog at [fscj.edu/ge](http://fscj.edu/ge).*

## CAREER OPTIONS

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