GENERAL TECHNOLOGY
ASSOCIATE of APPLIED SCIENCE
University of Arkansas – Fort Smith

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Program Plan

Assessment scores (ACT or COMPASS), required of all first-time entering students without previous college work, are used to determine skill readiness to be successful in college-level work. College Preparatory courses may not transfer or apply to graduation requirements. All college preparatory work should be completed within the first 30 hours.

READ 0503 0513	ENGL 0153 0163	MATH 0093 0233 1203 or equivalents

IDS 1203 is required for first-time full-time students

AAS REQUIREMENTS

	Course	Pre or Co Requisites	Hrs	
Select 3 credit hours from the following six courses listed below			**3**	
	ITA 1051 Computer – Word Processing	Pre required computer literacy placement score for all IT courses		
	ITA 1101 Computer – Presentation Graphics			
	ITA 1162 Internet Foundations			
	ITA 1201 Computer – Database			
	ITA 1251 Computer – Spreadsheets			
	ITC 1111 Intro to Information Technology			
	ENGL 1203 Freshman English I	Pre placement or ENGL 0163	3	
	ENGL 1223 Technical Composition	Pre ENGL 1203	3	
	MATH 1133 Technical Mathematics	Pre placement or MATH 0233	3	
	Social and Behavioral Science Elective		3	
	PRIMARY CONCENTRATION COURSES 24 hours			
	SECONDARY CONCENTRATION COURSES 21 hours			

Total Hours 60

Technical Areas

Automotive Technology
Business Management
Computer-Aided Drafting & Design
Computer Information Systems
Computer Maintenance
Electronics
Emergency Medical Technology
General Industrial Plant Maintenance
Geospatial Information Systems
Graphic Design
Industrial Electronics and Electrical Maintenance
Information Technology
Legal Assistance/Paralegal
Machine Tool Technology
Nursing
Office Administration
Quality Technology
Radiography
Respiratory Care
Surgical Technology
Welding
Workforce Leadership

Other technical areas must be approved by the Dean.

Option I – 45 credit hours minimum

The 45 credit hours must support one of the following areas:

Automotive Technology
Machine Tool Technology
Welding Technology

Option 2 – 45 credit hours emphasis in more than one area

Primary Concentration: consists of 24 credit hours from the list of Technical Areas

Secondary Concentration(s): consists of 21 credit hours from the options below.

Option 1 Completion of two 12 –hour minor areas
Option 2 Completion of one 9-15 hour minor and 6-12 hours of related/support courses
Option 3 Completion of a second 21-hour major

The technical courses are not intended to transfer to a 4-year institution, although some of the individual courses may be transferable.