

## **CYBERSECURITY & DIGITAL FORENSICS**

## COURSES | CREDENTIALS | CREDITS

Subject Codes: Required Courses			
CODE	DESCRIPTION	OHE   CTAG	
146010	Cybersecurity Defense and Reinforcement	1	
145135	Fundamentals of Operating Systems	1	
145035	Networking	1	
145045	Network Management	1	
145005	Information Technology		
	TOTAL CTAGS	4	

INDUSTRY- RECOGNIZED CREDENTIALS (IRC) OPPORTUNITIES				
CREDENTIAL	VENDOR/PROVIDER	IRC POINTS		
Internet Computing Core Certification (IC3)	Certiport	2		
MOS: Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint	Certiport	9		
MOS: Microsoft Outlook, Access	Certiport	6		
CPR & First Aid	MCCC	1		
IT Specialist Certification	Certiport	1-15		
Pre-Apprenticeship	Ohio Department of Education	12		
	TOTAL IRC POINTS	45		

TRANSCRIPTED IN-STATE TRANSFERABLE CREDIT OPPORTUNITIES				
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY	DEGREE/COURSES	POTENTIAL CREDITS		
Cuyahoga Community College	Information Technology Concepts	3		
OHE   CTAG	Cybersecurity Defense and Reinforcement	3		
OHE   CTAG	Computer Hardware	3		
OHE   CTAG	Computer Software	3		
OHE   CTAG	Network Operating Systems	3		

ARTICULATION AGREEMENTS			
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY	DEGREE/COURSES	POTENTIAL CREDITS	
	In Process		

#### **Subject Codes: Required Courses**

Ohio Department of Education required courses taught within the career-technical program.

#### Industry-Recognized Credential (IRC) Opportunities

Each Ohio Department of Education approved industry-recognized credential has been assessed a point value based on employer demand and other factors to allow students the opportunity to bundle credentials for graduation. Career-technical education credentials primarily reflect education, industry licenses, industry certificates and postsecondary degrees.

#### Transcripted In-State Transferable Credit / CTAGs

Alignment between secondary and postsecondary career-technical education content. Earned college credits are transferable to Ohio public institutions of higher education (OHE).

#### **Articulation/Bilateral Agreements and Opportunities**

A partnership between institutions (MCCC and colleges/universities) to recognize credits which will be accepted when a student enrolls into a college or university to pursue a specific degree program.

# CTAGS (CAREER TECHNICAL ASSURANCE GUIDES)

CTAG transferable credits are earned through career technical WebXam assessments (See SUBJECT CODES: REQUIRED COURSES on the first page) and are alignments between secondary (high school) and postsecondary (e.g., college) institutions. The postsecondary institution retrieves and verifies data if the students check the box on their WebXam(s) giving consent. Support for acquiring CTAGs varies at postsecondary institutions. Students should notify the postsecondary institutions of their available CTAG transferable credits.

**STEP 1:** Pass MCCC Career Major WebXam(s) and ensure the box at the end of the exam is checked allowing Ohio institutions to obtain score(s).

**STEP 2:** Contact postsecondary counselor and inform them of the CTAG transferable credits in the following areas:

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**STEP 3:** Notify the postsecondary Registrar's office, Tech Prep office, or department chair as applicable.

### **ARTICULATION AGREEMENTS**

Articulation agreements are partnerships between institutions (MCCC and colleges/universities) to recognize credits which will be accepted when a student enrolls into a college or university to pursue a specific degree program. Articulation agreements are non-transferable.

**STEP 1:** Complete articulated credit application (See ARTICULATION AGREEMENTS links on first page) and submit application to MCCC instructor. If a link is not available, please contact MCCC instructor or Real-World Learning Coordinator.

**STEP 2:** Contact postsecondary counselor and inform them of the postsecondary credit earned through the articulated agreement.

**STEP 3:** Notify the postsecondary Registrar's office, Tech Prep office, or department chair as applicable.