

## Certificate of Achievement in PC Service Technology

**NOTE: This certificate has no general education requirements and can be earned in two semesters**

**Purpose:** Students develop skills and knowledge, in a collaborative, hands-on environment. The program is primarily designed to prepare students seeking employment or in PC Support and Repair positions. The program also helps students prepare for the independently administered CompTIA A+ and Network+ Certifications. **Note that all courses in this certificate are also included in the AS Degree program in PC & Network Technologies, so it serves as a stepping stone towards that degree.**

Required Courses	
Course Name and Number	Prerequisite (a course which must be taken first) Corequisite ( to be taken first, or at the same time)
CS 501 Intro to Computers and Their Uses	
<b>CS 572</b> Intro to Personal Computer Hardware & Operations	
<b>CS 581</b> Personal Computer Upgrade and Repair	Pre: CS 572
CS 587 Intro to Computer Networks	Co: CS 572

Notes:

- **CompTIA A+:** CS 572 and CS 581 help students prepare for independently administered certification exams from CompTIA which are well respected for entry-level positions in PC and end-user support