



HIGH SCHOOL CONNECTIONS

NETWORK DEFENSE



The **Network Defense Certificate** is designed to introduce students to the basics of networking and security and how to defend networks against attacks. Coursework includes networking and security concepts, Linux, operating systems, and network vulnerabilities. Students will learn how to defend and protect network data.

SEMESTER (16 WKS)	COURSE	NAME	FTCC Credit	High School Credit H=Honors S=Standard
Fall	NET 110	Networking Concepts	3	1 S
	SEC 110	Security Concepts	3	1 S
Spring	NOS 120	Linux Single User	3	1 S
	CCT 250	Network Vulnerabilities I	3	1 S



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High School Connections (HSC) is a partnership between local high schools and Fayetteville Technical Community College that provides seamless dual enrollment educational opportunities for high school students in order to accelerate completion of college certificates, diplomas, and associate degrees that lead to college transfer or provide entry-level job skills.

HERE'S WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

- **Offered:** College Transfer (CT) or Career and Technical Education (CTE) courses. Most CTE programs will lead to a community college certificate.
- **Required:**
 - High School juniors and seniors ONLY
 - Unweighted GPA of 2.8 on High School Courses
 - OR Testing pre-requisites (i.e. PSAT, SAT, PACT, ACT, etc)
 - OR a waiver letter from the high school (for CTE's without UGETC courses only)
- **Schedule:** Most classes will run 1:00-3:00 Monday – Friday and will follow the Cumberland County Schools schedule for holidays
- **Transportation:** Cumberland County Schools will offer transportation to FTCC from most of their comprehensive high schools. See your counselor for details.
- **Cost:** Tuition is waived. Students pay textbook/supply cost (uniforms and special equipment)
- **Graduation:** CTE certificate completers will graduate from FTCC in May of each year.

• **More info:** A complete listing of HSC offerings can be found on our website at:

<http://www.faytechcc.edu/academics/high-school-connections>

**TO FIND OUT HOW YOU CAN REGISTER
FOR HIGH SCHOOL CONNECTIONS CLASSES,
SEE YOUR HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELOR TODAY!**