Northland Pioneer College
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CIS-Network and PC Support
Certificate of Proficiency (CP)

Direct to Work

Name: _____	**Program Requirements**
ID#: _____	GPA……………………………..2.0 Credits………………………………18

Advising Check Sheet, 2016-17 Catalog

The NPC Certificate of Proficiency (CP) offers students highly focused skills training or re-training in selected occupational programs.

Suggested Semester Plan of Study
(complete your certificate in two semesters)

Semester 1	Credits	Semester 2	Credits
CIS 105	3	CIS 145	3
CIS 141	3	CIS 147	3
CIS 142	3	BUS 231	3

Core Courses 18 Credits

Areas	Courses
Core Courses **Required 18-credits** Complete ☐	**(Each course is worth 3 credits)** ☐ BUS 231 Microsoft Office Level I ☐ CIS 105 Computer Applications and Information Technology ☐ CIS 141 Managing and Maintaining Your PC I (A+) ☐ CIS 142 Managing and Maintaining Your PC II (A+) ☐ CIS 145 Network+ Certification Preparation ☐ CIS 147 Help Desk/Soft Skills

Total Credits _____

Your Semester Plan of Study

Semester 1	Credits	Semester 2	Credits
Semester 3	**Credits**	**Semester 4**	**Credits**

Total Estimated Program Cost	Cost
Tuition	$1,120.00
Fees	$455.00
Books	$260.00 – $300.00
TOTAL:	$1,835.00 - $1,875.00

*Tuition, fees and books subject to change without notice. Estimate for 2015-16 and 2016-17 academic years.

Important Dates to Remember:

Fall 2016 Semester:

April 11	Schedule available online.
April 15	FAFSA priority deadline.
April 22	**Veterans Priority Registration Day.**
April 25	**Registration begins at 7:30 a.m.**
July 29	Last day for schedule changes for FAFSA.
August 5	Financial Aid award available to students.
August 22	**Fall semester begins.**
September 2	Last day to withdraw without a "W" on transcript.
October 4	Fall Graduation Application deadline.

Spring 2017 Semester:

October 15	FAFSA Priority Deadline.
November 14	Schedule available online.
November 21	**Veterans Priority Registration Day.**
November 28	**Registration begins at 7:30 a.m.**
December 16	Last day for schedule changes for FAFSA.
December 23	Financial Aid award available to students.
January 17	**Spring semester begins.**
January 30	Last day to withdraw without a "W" on transcript.
February 21	Spring Graduation Application deadline.

Summer 2017 Semester:

March 13	Schedule available online.
March 15	FAFSA Priority Deadline.
March 24	**Veteran Priority Registration Day.**
March 27	**Registration begins at 7:30 a.m.**
June 5	**Summer semester begins**
June 6	Last day to withdraw without a "W" on transcript.

Helpful Definitions and Websites

- See the cost savings in just tuition by completing the first two years of your bachelor's degree at NPC at **www.npc.edu/transferU**
- Find out more about NPC transfer agreements with other colleges and universities at **www.npc.edu/transfer-agreements**
- Learn all about Arizona's guaranteed transfer degrees to ASU, NAU and UofA at **www.aztransfer.com**
- NPC's **college catalog** is available online at **www.npc.edu/college-catalog** or from any campus or center adviser.
- Articulation: the process of determining the transfer and applicability of courses from one institution of higher education to another.
- Course Equivalency Guide: shows how community college courses transfer to the three state universities. It also has many equivalencies among the three state universities. It does NOT indicate how a course transfers to a specific degree program. Course equivalencies are *"year specific"* meaning that in order to see if course work will transfer, you must review the Course Equivalency Guide for the year in which you took the course.
- Course Prefix: generally three or four characters identifying a department or division in which a course is taught *(example: SOC is commonly used for Sociology courses)*
- Prerequisites: a course that must be completed prior to taking a subsequent course.
- SUN#: the Shared Unique Number (SUN) System identifies some of the transferable lower-division courses commonly offered at the three Arizona public universities and at least two Arizona community colleges. The system ensures that a SUN course at a participating institution will be accepted as a direct equivalent to the comparable SUN course at the other participating institution.

If you are a student with a disability and need accommodations, please contact the **Disability Resource and Access** office located at the White Mountain Campus. The coordinator, Sandy Manor, travels to all NPC campuses and centers. An appointment can be scheduled to meet with her by calling: (800) 266-7845, ext. 6178.