# **Computer Systems Networking** & Telecommunications

(Computer Networking & Cybersecurity)

**Toms River Center** 

2 Year Program

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This program is suggested for high school and post-secondary students interested in pursuing a career within the Computer & Networking Information Technology field.

## **Related Job Titles**

Computer Network Administrator/Engineer, Computer Network architect, Computer security specialists, Network and Computer Systems Administrators. Computer hardware technician

#### **Skills You Will Learn**

- Computer hardware, software and operating systems
- Network Support Technician: Students will learn the skills needed for entry-level networking careers. Students will learn concepts and topics including foundational knowledge and skills needed to show how networks operate, including the devices, media, and protocols that enable network communications.
- Network Associate: Students will learn what it takes to navigate the ever-changing landscape of IT. Covers networking fundamentals, IP services, security fundamentals, automation and programmability. Recommended Skills: Basic computer skills and interest in Computer and Network technologies

 Cybersecurity: Introduction to the field of Cybersecurity, Learn the critical skills and knowledge needed to protect digital assets in a constantly evolving technological landscape. Students will explore the core concepts of cybersecurity, including threat analysis, risk management, encryption, and network security.

### **Preferred Skills for Career Field:**

You should prefer:

- Studying new hardware and software that comes out on the market
- Studying new and existing networking technologies

#### **Career Ladder**

Workers in this field usually begin as entry level technician rapidly advancing with experience and additional tech certifications

### **Continuing Education**

Cisco CCST Certification Cisco CCNA Certification A+ Certification Net+ Certification Ocean County Vocational Technical School Ocean County College Brookdale Community College DeVry University

### **Additional Information**

Students should have basic computer skills before entering this program.