

**Engineering Technology – Electronics – Defense Contractor Technician**

ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE (AAS)

REQUIRED CREDITS: 67

DEGREE CODE: ETDCT-AAS

**DESCRIPTION**

The Associate of Applied Science Degree in Engineering Technology with Electronics – Defense Contractor Technician prepares students to assist in providing support for engineering functions or to function as an Electronics Technician. Instruction includes analog and digital circuit design, implementation and testing, fabrication techniques, telecommunications, microprocessor programming-interfacing, in-depth analysis of analog and digital circuits, computer fundamentals, and network fundamentals. Specialized electives for topics such as test equipment, in-depth analysis of electrical and power supply troubleshooting, radar systems, and microwave systems are offered. Accredited by the Engineering Technology Accreditation Commission of ABET, <http://www.abet.org>.

This two-year program provides students with the methods and procedures used in engineering organizations and by electronics technicians in defense contractor functions. Instruction takes place in a hands-on, state-of-the-art environment.

**Educational Objectives - Within a few years of graduation:** Graduates from CSN's Engineering Technology with Electronics – Defense Contractor Technician program will demonstrate the ability to apply circuit analysis and design, computer programming, analog and digital electronics, and microprocessor/microcontroller principles to install, test, troubleshoot and maintain electrical and electronic systems as bench, defense contractor, and biomedical equipment technicians. Graduates will have effective technical communication skills necessary to function on professional teams as technicians or managers. Graduates are prepared to enter the work force with professional work ethics and with the commitment to lifelong learning, quality, and continuous improvement through the clear ability to assume increasing levels of responsibility in both industry and community.

**STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- Demonstrate knowledge of safety procedures and proper electronics fabrication techniques.
- Identify components, design, construct, and test various circuits to include filters and construct a Bode Plot of an amplifier's frequency response.
- Construct, analyze and test various types of digital circuits and microprocessor/microcontroller circuits. Demonstrate a working knowledge writing programs to control other devices.
- Demonstrate commitment to quality, timeliness, continuous improvement, professional ethics, and respect for diversity while showing an understanding of the need for and an ability to engage in continuing professional development.
- Demonstrate a working knowledge of common modulation/transmission methods to include such as AM, FM and Pulse modulation. The Defense Contractor will focus upon circuit repair along with systems such as radar.

**PLEASE NOTE** - The courses listed below may require a prerequisite or corequisite. Read course descriptions before registering for classes. All MATH and ENG courses numbered 01-99 must be completed before reaching 30 total college-level credits. No course under 100-level counts toward degree completion.

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (27 CREDITS)****MATHEMATICS (3 credits)**

Choices: ET 111B or MATH 127 or above

Recommended: ET 111B Mathematics for Electronics Applications

**ENGLISH COMPOSITION (3-5 credits)**

Choices: ENG 100 or 101 or 113

**COMMUNICATIONS (3 credits)**

Choices: COM 115 or ENG 107

Recommended: COM 115 Applied Communication

**HUMAN RELATIONS (3 credits)**

Choices: ALS 101 College Success

Recommended: HIST 106 European Civilization Since 1648

**NATURAL SCIENCE (8 credits)**

Required: EGG 131 and 131L and ET 131B

**FINE ARTS/HUMANITIES/SOCIAL SCIENCE (3 credits)**

Choices: See AAS policy p. 51 for courses

**U.S. AND NEVADA CONSTITUTIONS (4-6 credits)**

Choices: See AAS policy p. 51 for courses

Recommended: PSC 101 Introduction to American Politics

**SPECIAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (40 CREDITS)****CORE REQUIREMENTS (37 credits)**

CIT 112B	Networking +	3
CIT 114B	IT Essentials	4
CIT 173	Introduction to Linux	3
ET 104B	Fabrication and Soldering Techniques	2
ET 132B	AC for Electronics	4
ET 212B	Digital Logic I	4
ET 213B	Digital Logic II	4
ET 220B	Solid State Devices and Circuits I	4
ET 228B	Data Acquisition	3
ET 282B	Microprocessors I	3
ET 293B	Telecommunication Transmission Methods	3

**Digital Literacy Requirement (0-3 credits)**

IS 100B	Core Computing Competency	0
IS 101	Introduction to Information Systems	3

**ET Electives (choose 3-4 credits)**

ET 106B	Test Equipment Operation	3
ET 113B	Introduction to Radar	3
ET 125B	RF and Microwave Devices	3
ET 205B	Power Supply Theory and Repair	3
ET 206B	Video Monitor Theory and Repair (or above - up to ET 285B)	1-4
ET 289B	Electrical Troubleshooting	4

See Degree Plan on next page.

- NOTE**
- Course numbers with the "B" suffix may be non-transferable for a NSHE baccalaureate degree.
  - Course numbers with the "H" suffix are designated Honors-level courses and can be used to fulfill equivalent general education requirements. For more information visit [www.csn.edu/honors](http://www.csn.edu/honors).
  - In no case, may one course be used to meet more than one requirement except for the Values and Diversity general education requirement (only AA, AS, and AB degrees) which may be used to fulfill the corresponding general education or emphasis requirement.
  - Students may elect to graduate using the degree requirements in effect at the time of matriculation, or when they declared or changed major or the current catalog. If a program is official after a student has matriculated, the student may choose the degree requirements of the new program. In no case may a student use a catalog which is more than six years old at the time of graduation.



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**FULL-TIME STUDENT DEGREE PLAN***Add more semesters to modify this plan to fit part-time student needs.*

<b>FIRST SEMESTER</b>	<b>Credits</b>
ET 111B Mathematics for Electronics Applications	3
ALS 101 College Success	3
CIT 114B IT Essentials	4
ET 104B Fabrication and Soldering Techniques	2
ET 131B DC for Electronics	4
<b>TOTAL CREDITS.....</b>	<b>16-18</b>

<b>SECOND SEMESTER</b>	<b>Credits</b>
ENG 100 or 101 or 113	3-5
ET 132B AC for Electronics	4
ET 212B Digital Logic I	4
CIT 112 Network+	3
IS 100B or IS 101	0-3
<b>TOTAL CREDITS.....</b>	<b>14-19</b>

<b>THIRD SEMESTER</b>	<b>Credits</b>
ET 220B Solid State Devices and Circuits I	4
ET 228 Data Acquisition	3
<b>TOTAL CREDITS.....</b>	<b>7</b>

<b>FOURTH SEMESTER</b>	<b>Credits</b>
EGG 131 and 131L	4
CIT 173 Introduction to Linux	3
ET 213B Digital Logic II	4
ET 282B Microprocessors I	3
<b>TOTAL CREDITS.....</b>	<b>14</b>

<b>FIFTH SEMESTER</b>	<b>Credits</b>
COM 115 Applied Communication	3
Complete AAS Fine Arts/Humanities/Social Science p.51	3
ET 293B Telecommunications Transmission Methods	3
PSC 101 Introduction to American Politics	4
Complete Electives (see courses previous page)	3-4
<b>TOTAL CREDITS.....</b>	<b>16-17</b>

**DEGREE PLAN TOTAL CREDITS..... 67-75**