

# INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

*Information Technology Support and Services, Networking Systems, Web Development*

The **Information Technology (IT)** career cluster will prepare you to work in the high-tech and high-paying IT jobs of tomorrow. The IT program of study will prepare you to explore issues in computing, solve high-tech problems, learn programming languages, design and test software systems, management of hardware, software, multimedia, and systems integration services.

## CAMPUSES

- Austin HS
- Heights HS
- Houston MSTC
- Madison HS
- North Forest HS
- Northside HS
- Waltrip HS
- Washington HS
- Westbury HS
- Wheatley HS
- Worthing HS

## INDUSTRY-BASED CERTIFICATIONS OFFERED

- CompTIA IT Fundamentals+
- CompTIA Security+
- CompTIA Network+
- CompTIA A+ Certification
- Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) Security Fundamentals
- Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) HTML5 Application Development Fundamentals
- Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) Software Development Fundamentals
- Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) Mobility and Device Fundamentals
- Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) Windows Operating System Fundamentals
- Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) Networking Fundamentals
- Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) Cloud Fundamentals
- Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) Windows Server Administration Fundamentals
- Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) Introduction to Programming Using Java
- Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) Introduction to Programming Using JavaScript
- Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) Introduction to Programming Using Python
- Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) Introduction to Programming Using HTML and CSS
- App Development with Swift Certification Level 1
- C++ Certified Associate Programmer (CPA)

## CAREER OCCUPATIONS\*

### ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE

#### Computer User Support Specialist

Median Salary: \$54,652  
Annual Openings: 1,245

#### Computer Network Support Specialist

Median Salary: \$76,184  
Annual Openings: 271

### BACHELOR'S DEGREE

#### Computer Network Architect

Median Salary: \$114,705  
Annual Openings: 171

#### Computer Systems Analyst

Median Salary: \$98,678  
Annual Openings: 1,240

### DOCTORAL DEGREE

#### Computer and Information Research Scientist

Median Salary: \$136,908  
Annual Openings: 29

## OTHER OCCUPATIONS\*

DESCRIPTION	MEDIAN SALARY	ANNUAL OPENINGS	GROWTH
Software Developer, Applications	\$108,408	1,294	31%
Computer and Information Systems Manager	\$150,352	543	19%
Computer and Information Research Scientist	\$136,908	29	18%
Database Administrator	\$95,250	280	17%
Web Developer	\$74,533	217	17%
Computer Occupations, All Other	\$91,141	277	17%
Computer User Support Specialist	\$54,652	1,245	17%
Computer Network Support Specialist	\$76,184	271	14%

\*Source: TEA/Texaswages.com

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