

Technical Programs

GENERAL INFORMATION

Technical programs are intended to provide students with education that leads to employment after approximately one or two years. A student may earn a certificate and/or an Associate of Applied Science degree in the programs as listed on the following pages. **These programs of study are not intended for transfer; however, some programs have bachelor's degree linkages. Consult a SWTJC counselor for more information.**

General Education Core for Technical Programs

Students who are interested in obtaining an A.A.S. degree in the technical programs will be required to complete a specific number of semester hours from each of the following groups of general education courses.

Social and Behavioral Sciences

(Formerly Group I)
ECON 2301,
GOVT 2305,2306
HIST 1301,1302
PSYC 2301
SOC 1301

Humanities and Fine Arts

(Formerly Group II)
ARTS 1301
DRAM 2361
ENGL 2322,2323,2327,2328
ENGL 2332,2333
HUMA 1301
MUSI 1306
PHIL 1301,2306

Natural Science and Math

(Formerly Group III)
BIOL 1306,1307,1308,1309
CHEM 1311, 1312
MATH 1314,1324,1332, 1342
MATH 2312,2413
PHYS 1301,1302
PHYS 2325,2326

Developmental courses cannot be used to satisfy elective course options in degree plans. ENGL 1301 – Composition I, Speech courses, and freshman level languages cannot be used as *Humanities and Fine Arts* electives.

Admission Requirements

Students are admitted to the technical programs through regular college admission procedures (*see Admission Regulations section*).

Students enrolled in an A.A.S. program must adhere to SWTJC TSI requirements as noted in *TSI Information and Requirements* in *Admission Regulations* section of the Catalog. Students enrolled in one-year Certificates, which require 42 or fewer semester hours, are required to take the TSI Assessment prior to enrollment unless they are exempt under TSI requirements (See Exemptions from TSI.) Students enrolled in these one-year certificate programs are not required to meet TSI and/or developmental requirements. Refer to individual certificate program requirements. Enrolling in courses other than those required to complete the certificate program requires the student to meet all TSI and/or developmental requirements.

Tuition and Fees per Semester

Regular tuition and fees are charged for all of the technical programs as listed in this section (*see Finance section*). Additional fees required for technical programs are listed individually under each program.