

BS IN CAREER AND TECHNICAL STUDIES

Units required for the Major: 40

Total units required for BS: 120

Program Description

The Bachelor of Science in Career and Technical Studies (BSCTS) is an online degree completion program designed to prepare working adults with practical, marketable skills to successfully enter new careers or advance in their current fields. The program is versatile and can be applied to a variety of disciplines. The degree can serve as a springboard to a master's degree or as a career ladder into many professions.

This program uses instructional techniques suited to adult learners, including real world instruction and personalized academic advising. We also offer networking opportunities and accelerated programming.

The BSCTS program is offered through a partnership between the College of Continuing Education and the College of Education at Sacramento State. Students must earn a grade of C- or better in all BSCTS major courses in order to earn the degree.

The BSCTS Program requires that students have three years, full-time, paid work experience in a career technical/educational/business field.

Admission to Sacramento State is required for this program. Candidates must complete general education and graduation requirements for Sacramento State and the Career and Technical Studies major.

Notes:

- In addition to the courses listed, students must receive credit through the Application for Review and Evaluation of Work Experience which will go through an evaluation process for past career technical/teaching experience and must be approved by the reviewer for the degree. Students may receive up to 30 elective units from this evaluation.

Program Requirements:

Code	Title	Units
Required Courses (40 Units)		
EDUC 102	Foundations in Career and Technical Studies	3
EDUC 103	Assessment and Instruction in Adult and Organizational Training	3
EDUC 104	Teaching Issues of Diversity in Schools and Workplace	3
EDUC 105	Advanced Instructional Design, Program Evaluation and Leadership in Career Technical Studies	3
EDUC 106	Individual Growth Through the Examination of Personal Assets, Philosophies and Life Experiences	3
EDUC 107	Designing Solutions	3
EDUC 109	Career Guidance in Career Technical Studies	1
EDUC 110	Current Issues in Workforce Development	3
EDUC 112	Organizational Policies, Finance and Legislation	3

EDUC 113	Implement Digital Technologies with Ethical Knowledge	3
EDUC 114	Theories and Practices of Multiculturalism in Schools and Organizations	3
EDUC 115	Improvement Science for Organizational Effectiveness	3
EDUC 116	Methods of Inquiry in Career Technical Studies	3
EDUC 118	Integrative Perspectives in Leadership	3
Total Units		40

General Education Requirements

Code	Title	Units
Area A: Basic Subjects (9 Units)		
A1	Oral Communication	3
A2	Written Communication	3
A3	Critical Thinking	3
Area B: Physical Universe and Its Life Forms (10 Units)		
B1	Physical Science	3
B2	Life Forms	3
B3	Lab (Note: Lab experience to be taken with one of the following: B1, B2 or B5)	1
B4	Math Concepts	0
B5	Additional Course (Any B to reach 12 units) - Take upper-division course to complete Area & upper division requirements.	3
Area C: Arts and Humanities (12 Units)		
C1	Arts	3
C2	Humanities	3
C1/C2	Area C Course	3
C1/C2	Area C Course - Take upper-division course to complete Area & upper division requirements.	3
Area D: The Individual and Society (6 Units)		
Area D Course		3
Area D Course		0
Area D Course	- Take upper-division course to complete Area & upper division requirements.	3
Area E: Understanding Personal Development (3 Units)		
Area E Course		3
Area F: Ethnic Studies (3 Units)		
Area F Course		3
Total Units		43