



Virginia Western Community College

TECHNICAL STUDIES ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE

DEGREE APPLICATION

Plan Code 718

Student Name: _____

Empl ID: _____

Student VCCS Email _____

Requirement Term _____

Purpose: The AAS in Technical Studies provides flexible alternatives for meeting student and employer needs and features a flexible curriculum design to meet specific educational and employment goals. The curriculum will be approved by the Chief Academic Officer or designee to ensure a coherent plan of study.

Admission Requirements: Applicants must meet the requirements for admission to credit-level coursework established by the college.

Developmental Requirements: Students who do not place into college-level English will be required to take developmental courses.

Students who do not demonstrate proficiency in MTE 1, MTE 2 and MTE 3 will be required to take developmental courses.

It is strongly recommended that developmental education requirements be completed as soon as possible.

Program Notes: This curriculum allows the student to select (1) or (2) existing certificates, to include career studies certificates, with additional courses to create a coherent plan of study in a technical field of the student's choice. The student should work with an advisor to develop their plan of study. The plan of study must be approved in advance by the Chief Academic Officer or designee.

G3 Eligibility

A Technical Studies AAS is eligible to receive G3 funds if the base Certificate or Career Studies Certificate is a G3 Eligible program.

YES: ☐ G3 Base Credential: _____
NO: ☐

(15 CR required; at least 3 CR from each discipline)

	Course	Credits	Completed
Communication			
Humanities			
Social/Behavioral Sciences			
Mathematics/Natural Science			

(2 CR required)

(43 credits; at least one certificate or career studies certificate required within these 43 credits)

CERTIFICATE / CAREER STUDIES CERTIFICATE

Requirement Term	

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CERTIFICATE

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CAREER STUDIES CERTIFICATE

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SUBTOTAL FOR CERTIFICATE/CSC REQUIREMENTS

2nd CERTIFICATE / CAREER STUDIES CERTIFICATE (optional)

Plan Name: _____

Plan Code: _____

Credential Type: ☐ *CERTIFICATE* ☐ *CAREER STUDIES CERTIFICATE*

Certificate/CSC

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**SUBTOTAL FOR 2nd CERTIFICATE/CSC REQUIREMENTS
(OPTIONAL)**

Additional Content Skills

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

SUBTOTAL FOR ADDITIONAL CONTENT SKILLS REQ.

CONTENT SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE TOTAL

TOTAL CREDITS FOR TECHNICAL STUDIES AAS

GENERAL EDUCATION	_____ (15 CR Required)
STUDENT DEVELOPMENT	_____ (2 CR Required)
CONTENT SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE	_____ (43 CR Required)
TOTAL CR	_____ (60 CR Required)

SIGNATURES

_____ / _____
Student Date

_____ / _____
Advisor Date

_____ / _____
Dean Date

Faculty Advisor recommended by Dean _____

Program Advisor recommended by Dean _____

_____ / _____
Vice President of Academic and Workforce Solutions Date