

# Computer Systems Technician – Networking (CSTN) Ontario College Diploma

## PART-TIME

### Frequently Asked Questions

#### **Do I need to apply?**

Part-time students do not go through an application process for this program. In order to register into courses, you will need a Georgian College student number and the major CSTN. Declaring a major allows you to take all courses under that major.

Create your student number online:

[https://sis-ssb.georgiancollege.ca:9110/GEOR/wwginfo\\_pl.display\\_form](https://sis-ssb.georgiancollege.ca:9110/GEOR/wwginfo_pl.display_form)

Majors are assigned through the Registrar's Office – please email [registrar@georgiancollege.ca](mailto:registrar@georgiancollege.ca) with “Declare a major CSTN” in the subject line. Include your student number and your intention to study part-time with this request.

Students can also call 705-722-1511 to declare a major.

#### **When can I start the program?**

Intakes: September, January, May

#### **How many courses do I take?**

Full program details can be viewed on the [Program Outline](#).

Graduation requirements

18 Program Courses

1 Program Option Course

2 Communications Courses

3 General Education Courses

2 Co-op Work Terms

#### **Do I have to do Co-op Work Terms as a part-time student?**

Yes, Co-op Work Terms are part of the graduation requirements for all students.

### What is the cost of the program?

There is no program fee when studying part-time.

As a part-time student, you can take 1, 2 or 3 courses at a time in any given semester.

Payment is per course, as you register. The course fees change year-to-year and course to course.

A 42-hour program course will be approximately \$380.10 (January 2022 through August 2022).

Fees for Communications and General Education courses vary depending on what you choose.

### How do I know which courses to take?

We have set a schedule up for you – review the Delivery Schedule posted on the program page:

georgiancollege.ca/academics/part-time-studies/programs/computer-systems-technician-networking-cstn/

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COMPUTER SYSTEMS TECHNICIAN - NETWORKING

<b>Program Code</b>	CSTN	<b>Program requirements</b>	<b>Contact us</b>
<b>Credential</b>	College Diploma, co-op opt'l	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 18 Mandatory Courses</li><li>• 2 Communications Courses</li><li>• 1 Optional Course</li><li>• 3 General Education Courses</li><li>• 1 Co-op Work Terms</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• coned@georgiancollege.ca</li><li>• 705.722.5149</li></ul>
<b>Campus</b>	Barrie		

Program outline   **Delivery schedule**   Apply for FREE

Please see our course listings of available General Education and Communications courses for this program.

Georgian will cover the cost of the application fee, all other Georgian fees are still applicable.

### Can I take this program online?

The majority of the courses in this program are delivered in-class at this time. Refer to the [Delivery Schedule](#) on the webpage above to determine which courses can be taken online.

### Why do some courses have (ODE) in the name?

These courses are offered through OntarioLearn. You can find more information on OntarioLearn in the OntarioLearn FAQ: <https://www.georgiancollege.ca/academics/online-learning/ontariolearn/#faq>

OntarioLearn courses are set up as equivalents to the program courses. You can choose to take the ODE courses or the Georgian program courses.

**How long will it take to complete the diploma?**

This varies depending on how many courses you take each semester. Total courses: 24

3 courses per semester: finish in 8 semesters (2.5 years)

Example: Fall-Winter-Summer- Fall-Winter-Summer- Fall-Winter

2 courses per semester: finish in 12 semesters or 4 years

Example: Fall-Winter-Summer- Fall-Winter-Summer- Fall-Winter-Summer- Fall-Winter-Summer

**Don't forget to look into a Credit Transfer/Prior Learning Recognition evaluation of your past education and experience for fast tracking through the program.**

<https://www.georgiancollege.ca/admissions/credit-transfer/>

**QUESTIONS? We are here to help!**

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