



ITS—Individualized Technical Studies

Program No: 10-825-1

Associate Degree in Applied Science

Degree Completion Time: Varies

Degree completion time may vary based on student scheduling needs and class availability.

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About ITS

LTC's Individualized Technical Studies (ITS) associate degree is designed for working adults with unique backgrounds and educational needs that can't be met by the college's existing associate degree programs.

ITS gives you the option to create your own associate degree program. Let's say you want to earn a degree that combines fire science with management—not a problem. Or, let's say you want a learning experience that focuses on marketing techniques as well as graphic design—you can make it happen at LTC.

As an ITS student, you'll work with an occupational mentor of your choosing, an educational advisor, a program counselor, and college faculty to design an academically sound, student- and industry-specific program that incorporates your appropriate prior learning experiences—things like traditional classes and knowledge learned on the job.

Here are some of the creative options being pursued by ITS students

- Human Resource Administration
- Fire Service Administration
- Marketing and Media Management
- Manufacturing and Design Engineering
- Public Safety Specialist

Admissions Steps

- Application
- Application Fee
- Entrance Assessment Scores
- Transcripts
- Program Advising Session

Unique Requirements

- Minimum 3 to 5 years of relevant occupational experience.
- Completion of Career Assessment and Portfolio Development class with identified career goal and educational plan.
- Selection of occupational mentor.
- Approval of the educational plan by LTC's ITS Committee.

Approximate Costs

- \$92 per credit (resident)
- \$563 per credit (out-of-state resident)
- Other fees vary by program (books, supplies, materials, tools, uniforms, health-related exams, etc.)

Required Classwork

10825102 Career Assessment and Portfolio Development	2 credits
General Studies	18 credits
Math or Science	3 credits
ITS Core Classes	40-48 credits
Electives	0-6 credits

Curriculum varies depending upon the learner's individualized educational plan.

Entrance Assessment Scores

Assessment Areas	ACT	Accuplacer
Math	16	79
Read	16	74
Write	16	88

Transfer agreements are available with the following institutions:

Capella University
Lakeland College
Silver Lake College
UW-Stout

IMPORTANT: For more information on these agreements, visit gotoltc.edu/transfer.
