



COMMUNICATIONS Tech Prep Certificate Requirements

Tech Prep students must complete the following high school program of study. The actual sequence of courses will depend on the student's individual interests.

- ◆ **4 Units of Communications (at least 2 units from Core List)**
- ◆ **3 or 4 Units of Math**
- ◆ **3 or 4 Units of Science**
- ◆ **A one-day (3-5 hours) Shadowing Experience**
- ◆ **Portfolio** - The portfolio could include some or all of the following:

Student's best work	Lab Manuals	Presentations and/or video
Awards	Projects	Shadowing Experiences

Upon completion of these requirements, qualifying seniors will be awarded a Tech Prep Certificate through the Tech Prep office.

Communications Courses for Tech Prep Certificate

Communications Core Units

(At least 2 Units must be from the Core List)

- *BOCES Advertising & Design I (2 units)
- *BOCES Advertising & Design II (2 units)
- *BOCES New Visions Communications (2 units)
- Career & Financial Management
- Communication/Video Arts
- Computer Graphics
- Desktop Publishing
- Media Productions
- Photography
- Studio Design
- Web Page Development

Communications Elective Units

(a maximum of 2 elective units)

- Drawing
- Music
- Painting
- Pottery
- Sculpture
- Theatre Arts

**New Visions Courses and BOCES Courses are considered 2 units.*

Note – Courses cannot be used for sequence if used to meet a math or science requirement

Tech Prep Certificate with Honors – students completing four (4) units of math and four (4) units of science as well as the other certificate requirements, qualify to receive a “Certificate with Honors.”