



Entertainment Technology

An Associate of Applied Science Degree Program

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The Entertainment Technology program is designed to provide students with the real-world application of sound, lighting, and video production within the entertainment industry. Students will receive training in live sound production, recording engineering, video production, lighting production, and entertainment business management. Courses are taught in both classroom and lab settings. The conditions are established according to current industry methods as seen in the field.

The Entertainment Technology program is accredited by the Association of Technology, Management, and Applied Engineering (ATMAE).

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APPLICATION PROCEDURE

A student desiring to enroll in the Associate of Applied Science degree program in Entertainment Technology must:

1. Submit the Northeast State Application for Admission to the Office of Admissions and Records.
2. Indicate Entertainment Technology as the desired major on the Northeast State application form.
3. See a faculty advisor from the Entertainment Technology program prior to registering for classes.



The Association of Technology, Management, and Applied Engineering

TYPICAL PROGRAM OF STUDY

Course No.	Course Title	Credit
FALL		
EDUC 1030	College and Lifelong Learning	3
ENT 1100	Introduction to Entertainment	3
ENT 1300	Recording Engineering I	3
ENT 1550	Live Video Production	3
MATH 1010	Math for General Studies	3
or		
MATH 1530	Introductory Statistics	3
SPRING		
BUSN 1305	Introduction to Business	3
ENT 1200	Live Sound Production I	3
ENT 1400	Concert Lighting I	3
ENT 1600	Electronic Music/Digital Audio	3
PSCI 1010	Principles of Physical Science	4
FALL		
ENGL 1010	English Composition I	3
ENT 2200	Live Sound Production II	3
ENT 2300	Recording Engineering II	3
ENT 1700	Commercial Music Applications	3
PSYC 1030	Introduction to Psychology	3
SPRING		
ENT 2400	Concert Lighting II	3
ENT 2800	Entertainment Business Management	3
ENT 2900	Sound and Lighting Capstone	3
Elective	Humanities (an approved elective from the general education core)	3
Elective	Communication (an approved elective from the general education core)	3
Total Credit Hours		61

Additional courses may be required to overcome deficiencies in English, mathematics, and reading.

TYPICAL JOB OPPORTUNITIES:

Sound Production Technician: Set up audio systems for event production, concerts, festivals, church production, and recording productions.

Lighting Production Technician: Set up and operate lighting systems for event production, concerts, festivals, church production, and theatres.

PROGRAM COMPETENCIES:

1. Apply real-world industry applications, employability skills, and industry specific technical skills common to sound and lighting technology.
2. Demonstrate professional communication skills and conduct to effectively communicate and succeed in industry production settings.
3. Select and utilize industry technology and specific equipment related to sound and lighting production.
4. Apply problem-solving skills appropriate for employment as a sound and lighting technician.
5. Upon completion of the program, students will demonstrate critical thinking skills for inquiry and analysis, assimilation of facts, and knowledge of industry specific terms and equipment.

BEGINNING SALARY RANGE:

\$30,500 - \$49,700

SOURCE:

Bureau of Labor Statistics, Occupational Employment Statistics Survey; Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Labor Market Information

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