



Investing in tomorrow.

By developing capable, next-generation technology talent today.

Cisco's technology and career skills program is our largest social investment, based on our thought leadership in digital transformation.

FREE. Our courses are free to nonprofit high schools, colleges, libraries, military and veteran groups, and many non-traditional learning environments. We offer:

- innovative, globally-consistent curriculum
- ongoing alignment with new technology
- preparation for industry certifications



The Global Knowledge [2019 IT Skills & Salary Report](#) says that IT compensation is the highest it's ever been. The average salary in the USA is \$110,000.

Workforce development and reskilling increase regional economic strength. WEF's [Future of Jobs Report](#) estimates that **54%** of all employees will require significant reskilling by 2022.

United States

1,723,613 Students since inception
 172,134 Current students / 15% female
 1,850 Education partners
\$814.2 million Cisco's In-Kind* Investment

Maryland

40,902 Students since inception
 7,263 Current students / 21% female
 78 Education partners
\$17.5 million Cisco's In-Kind* Investment



Students not only learn technology, they learn on a team, helping others, discovering their strengths. - Engineer / Cisco instructor

Networking Academy data from 7/31/2019

Global Outcomes

94% of our students got a better job or entered a higher ed level with a Cisco certification.
Don't let your students miss out.

Global Skills Gap

3 million = shortage of cybersecurity professionals globally. The skills gap in North America is half a million.
[ISC² study](#)

Organizations that do not strengthen their STEM or training programs may be left behind.
[World Economic Forum](#)



Discover our diverse learning pathways, and try out a course demo!



Maryland, USA *Academies active on 7/31/2019*

114th Signal Battalion-US Army	Dorchester Career and Technology Center	New Town High School
Academy for College and Career Exploration HS	Dr. Henry A. Wise, Jr. High School	North Point HS for Science, Tech and Ind
Allegany County Center for Career and Tech Ed	Dr. James A. Forrest Career and Tech Center	Parkside High School Career Tech Ed
Alliance for Innovation in Education	DuVal High School	Parkville High School
Anne Arundel Community College	Eastern Technical High School	Pass IT On-Community Tech Training
Applications Research Laboratory	Edmondson West Side High School	Per Scholas
Baltimore County Public Library	Fairmont Heights High School	Potomac HS, Prince George's CPS
Bethesda-Chevy Chase High School	Frederick Community College	Prince George's Community College
Bishop McNamara High School	Frederick County Career and Tech Center	Prince George's Co Mem Library Sys
Bridging the Digital Divide	Gaithersburg High School	Quince Orchard High School
Calvert Career and Technology Academy	Garrett College	Shades of Ebony Kulture dba WEN
Carroll Community College	Hagerstown Community College	Sollers Point Technical High School
Carroll County Career and Technology	Harford Community College	Springbrook High School
Carroll County Public Library	Harford County Public Library	Suitland High School
Carver Vocational-Technical High	Harford Technical High School	Team Caveo
Cecil County School of Technology	Howard Community College	Thomas Edison HS of Technology
Center of Applied Technology North	Howard County Library System, Admin Branch	Thomas S. Wootton High School
Center of Applied Technology South	I'm Still Standing Community Corporation	Towson University
Charles H. Flowers High School	J. M. Tawes Technology & Career Center	UMBC Training Centers
College of Southern Maryland	Laurel High School	University of Baltimore
Community College of Baltimore County	Mergenthaler Vocational-Technical High	University of Maryland Univ College
Croom High School	Milford Mill Academy	Washington County Free Library
Crossland High School	Montgomery College	Washington County Technical HS
Cybersoft Vocational Institutes	National Academy Foundation	Western High School
Damascus High School	NAVAIR	Western School of Technology
Digital Harbor High School	New Era Academy Baltimore City Public Schools	Westlake High School