

**CompTIA**  
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Certifying Agency	<a href="#">CompTIA</a> (Exam Developer) <a href="#">Pearson VUE</a> (Test Administrator)
Description of Credentials	<p>CompTIA Suite of IBCs prepares students for demonstrating proficiency in a variety of skills including foundational operating systems, network connectivity, troubleshooting wired and wireless networks, using security and web browsing best practices, and computer installation and preventive maintenance.</p> <p>Basic State:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>IBC# 014</b> – <a href="#">A+</a></li> <li>2. <b>IBC# 050</b> – <a href="#">Network+</a></li> <li>3. <b>IBC# 166</b> – <a href="#">IT Fundamentals+</a></li> <li>4. <b>IBC# 167</b> – <a href="#">Security+</a></li> </ol>
Graduation Pathway Inclusion	<p><b>Jump Start 2.0:</b> Information Technology  <b>K-16 Pathway:</b> University of Louisiana at Monroe Pre-Educator (IBC #014 and #167); LSU Computing (IBCs #014 and #166)</p>
	<p><b>Jump Start 1.0:</b> Cyber Engineering; Information Technology; and Technology Specialist</p>
Certification Resources	<p>Exam overviews: <a href="#">A+</a>, <a href="#">IT Fundamentals+</a>, <a href="#">Network+</a>, and <a href="#">Security+</a>  <a href="#">CompTIA Online Learning Materials</a>  <a href="#">CompTIA Academy Partner Program</a>  <a href="#">CertMaster Learn</a>  <a href="#">Frequently Asked Questions</a></p>
System Requirements	<p><a href="#">System Requirements for Pearson VUE Testing System</a>  <a href="#">System Requirements for Proctor Test Delivery</a></p>
Testing Details	<p><a href="#">Testing Options</a>  <a href="#">Testing Policies</a>  <a href="#">Become a Pearson VUE Authorized Test Center</a>  <a href="#">CompTIA Client Proctor Test Delivery System</a>          Specific Exam details: <a href="#">A+</a>, <a href="#">IT Fundamentals+</a>, <a href="#">Network+</a>, and <a href="#">Security+</a></p>
Test Accommodations & Language Access	<p><a href="#">Pearson VUE testing accommodations</a>          Language Access for <a href="#">IT Fundamentals+</a>, <a href="#">A+</a>, <a href="#">Network+</a>, and <a href="#">Security+</a></p>
Testing Methodology	<p><b>Paper Exam Option:</b> No  <b>Online Exam Option:</b> Yes  <b>Hands-on Skills Assessments:</b> No  <b>Work Experience Required:</b> No  <b>Clinical Rotation Required::</b> No</p>

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Test Proctoring and Security	Test security should be aligned to state and district policies, including but not limited to, Bulletin 118 §5305 <a href="#">CompTIA Certification Exam Policies</a> <a href="#">Unauthorized Training Material</a>
Cost Details	Exam vouchers can be purchased through <a href="#">individual and volume purchasing</a> Exam vouchers are available through the <a href="#">CompTIA Academy Partner Program</a>
Additional Details	
Instructor Certification Requirements (by certifying agency)	Bulletin 746, Chapter 5: All Louisiana teachers providing instruction in a course that leads to an IBC must hold the certification that they're teaching students to attain. <a href="#">CompTIA Certified Technical Trainer (CTT+) Information</a>
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This document serves as a guide for school systems to implement IBCs. Always check with the certifying agency for latest updates.