: Students who are KY residents transferring directly from a KCTCS institution with at least 36 hours from that institution and minimum GPA of 3.0, were never enrolled as a degree-seeking student at NKU, and will be enrolled in at least 12 credit hours both fall and spring semester are eligible for a limited number of $2,500 annual scholarships ($1,250 per fall and spring). Students must gain admission to NKU by June 15 for fall and November 1 for spring to be eligible for a possible scholarship. Online accelerated programs are not eligible for the KCTCS Scholars Award.

Students with a current certification at the time of registering for classes will receive credit for equivalent NKU courses based on the following course mappings.

NKU students who have taken and passed an examination from Cisco and hold a current certification (at the time of registering for classes) will receive credit for an equivalent NKU course. The chart below shows the semester credit hours and the equivalent NKU course.

CCNA Exam (200-301)*	CIT 247 Networking Fundamentals CIT 447 Network Design/Troubleshooting	6
CCNP Security Core Exam (350-701)*	CIT 484 Network Security	3
Certified Entry Networking	CIT 247 Networking Fundamentals	3

*Credit given for exams taken after Summer 2020

NKU students who have taken and passed an examination from CompTIA and hold a current certification (at the time of registering for classes) will receive credit for an equivalent NKU course. The chart below shows the semester credit hours and the equivalent NKU course.

Security+ (versions SY0-501 and later)	CIT 285 Cybersecurity Fundamentals	3
Network+	INF 284 Introduction to Computer Networks	3

Note: Students with Security+ exams SY0-401 and before will be required to take CIT 285.