



Interior Design Technology (2389) | A.S. Degree

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The Associate in Science (A.S.) in Interior Design Technology will tap into students' creativity using a balance of theory, practical hands-on training and real-life experience to provide the foundation they need to become a successful designer. Throughout the program, students will learn the elements and principles of design, space planning, furniture and accessory arrangement, characteristics and performance of textiles, hand drawing and rendering, color selection, rules and regulations related to the industry, and computer-aided drafting skills. Communication, presentation skills and portfolios are also emphasized.

Graduates of the A.S. in Interior Design Technology fulfill the educational requirements needed for eligibility to take the National Council for Interior Design Qualification (NCIDQ) exam. Courses within the program may help students prepare to pursue optional certifications, including LEED Associate, Evidence-Based Design, Kitchen and Bath and Certified Aging-in-Place Specialist.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- High school diploma or high school equivalent
- Check the catalog to learn about all course and program prerequisites

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- 75 Credit Hours
- Financial Aid Eligible
- Face-to-Face Courses
- Embedded Technical Certificate:
 - Home Staging T.C.

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Apply online at [fscj.edu/admissions](https://www.fscj.edu/admissions).

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

When can I start?

New student enrollment for the program begins every year during the Fall Term. However, FSCJ enrolls students year-round.

Where are the educational courses held?

General education courses are offered at any of FSCJ's campuses and centers, as well as online. The professional core courses for this program are offered at FSCJ Kent Campus.

What is the cost of the program?

Many students attending FSCJ qualify for financial aid, which can greatly reduce out-of-pocket expenses. This program is Federal financial aid eligible. *The approximate cost of tuition and fees is \$7,866.**

Besides tuition and fees, students have to pay for things like living expenses, transportation, supplies and books. Book costs vary widely by program and course selection as well as choice of electives; students are encouraged to budget about \$60 per credit hour.

**Tuition reflects Florida resident rates and are subject to change. Certain classes that require labs may have additional fees for lab supplies. Additional fees are published in the class schedule.*

What other programs are related to the field?

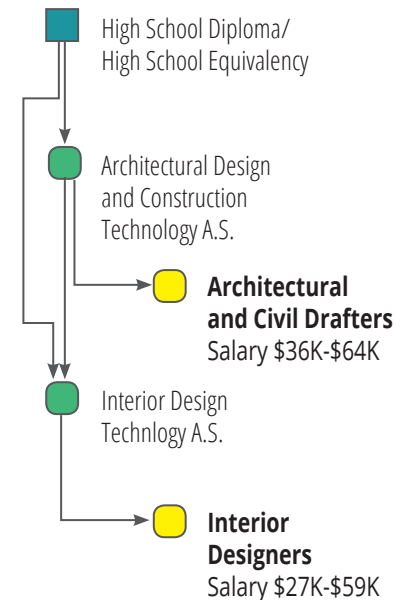
Students who have an interest in the Interior Design Technology (A.S.) may also be interested in the following FSCJ programs:

- Business Administration (B.S.)
- Business Administration (A.S.)
- Home Staging Specialist (T.C.)

Where can I get more information about potential careers?

Research local job opportunities, wage data, career paths and market trends at fscj.emsicareercoach.com.

CAREER PATHWAY



Source: Payscale.com

JOB PROFILE

Duval and
Nassau Counties

Interior Designers

Local employment	363
Number of job openings	35/year
10-year job growth	2%

Expected salaries by area and occupation may be found at bls.gov

Potential employers:

- Architectural firms
- Furniture and design showrooms
- Interior design studios
- Other businesses specializing in interior furnishings