Computer Technology

Career Opportunities

Computer Support Specialist
Telecommunication Installers/ Repairers
Network System Administrators

Average Wages

Computer Support Specialist
$46,250

Telecommunication Installers / Repairers
$54,710

Network System Administrator
$60,160

Schooling / License

Computer Support Specialist

Bachelor's degree is required for some computer support specialist positions, but an associate's degree or postsecondary classes may be enough for others. After being hired, many workers enter a training program that lasts for several months.

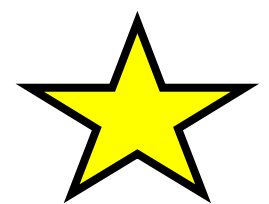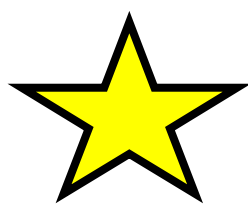### Telecommunication Installers / Repairers

Certificate or 2-year associate's degree program in electronics repair, computer science, or related subjects. Equipment and software manufacturers also offer educational and training programs on specific products.

Network System Administrator

Bachelor's degree in fields related to computer or information science is most common. However, because administrators work with computer hardware and equipment, a degree in computer engineering or electrical engineering usually is acceptable as well.

Job Outlook

Employment in the field of Computer Technology is expected to grow slightly faster than the average for all occupations through 2020.

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