



**Average Salary** 

\$65k - \$90K

## Information Technology: Web & Digital Communications Career Pathway Plan of Study: Digital Media/Web Designer

**Career Track Description:** Web design has an important impact on business from branding to sales. This high-demand career is expected to grow by 27% by the year 2024.

Education Levels	Grade	Career and Technical Courses for Web & Digital Communications Pathway	eDL Course Recommended Elective Options	eDL Course Options For English, Science and Social Studies
ary	9	<ul> <li>Principles of Information Technology 1a: Introduction Principles of Information Technology 1b: Working with Computers</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Workplace and Internship Readiness</li> <li>Social Media: Our Connected World</li> <li>Personal Psychology: The Road to Self-Discovery</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Anatomy and Physiology 1a: Introduction</li> <li>Anatomy and Physiology 1b: Discovering Form and Function</li> <li>Marine Science: Secrets of the Blue</li> </ul>
	10	<ul> <li>Digital Media Fundamentals 1a: Introduction</li> <li>Digital Media Fundamentals 1b: Producing for the Web</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Personal Psychology: The Road to Sen-Discovery</li> <li>Personal Psychology: Living in a Complex World</li> <li>Public Speaking 1a: Introduction</li> <li>Public Speaking 1b: Finding Your Voice</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Introduction to Renewable Technologies</li> <li>Astronomy 1a: Introduction</li> <li>Astronomy 1b: Exploring the Universe</li> </ul>
Secondary	11	<ul> <li>Digital Media Web Design 2a: Build a Portfolio Website</li> <li>Digital Media Web Design 2b: Build an eCommerce Website</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Microsoft PowerPoint</li> <li>Microsoft Word</li> <li>Microsoft Excel</li> <li>The Lord of the Rings: An Exploration of the Films &amp; Their Literary Influences</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Creative Writing: Unleashing the Core of Your Imagination</li> <li>Introduction to Programming 1a: Introduction</li> <li>Introduction to Programming 1b: Problem Solving Through Programming</li> </ul>
	12	<b>Optional Course Options:</b> • Animation 1a: Introduction • Animation 1b: Animating Your Creativity	<ul> <li>Theater, Cinema &amp; Film Production</li> <li>Entrepreneurship 1a: Introduction</li> <li>Entrepreneurship 1b: Make Your Idea a Reality</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Gothic Literature: Monster Stories</li> <li>Mythology &amp; Folklore</li> </ul>
		*Courses with an "a" and "b" version are each a semester in length and taught together over the course of one year.	*All courses listed above are options appropriate for grades 9-12	*All courses listed above are options appropriate for grades 9-12

**Middle School Course Recommendation:** Middle School Exploring IT Middle School Digital Art and Design



Industry Certifications **(c)** iC3 Computing Fundamentals (mid pathway) iC3 Living Online (mid pathway) iC3 Key Applications (mid pathway) CompTIA IT Fundamentals (ITF+) (mid pathway)

CIW Site Development Associate CIW Web Design Specialist ICT Web Design Essentials NOCTI Interactive Media (Pathway Assessment)

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