# **Game Simulation Programming**

(PROGRAM #8208300)

The Game Simulation Programming pathway focusses on broad transferrable skills and stresses understanding and demonstration of the game and simulation industry: production planning, elements of production design, elements of visual design, integration of digital audio and digital video, and programming for single and multi-user environments.

Students in this pathway will participate in the following Career Technical Student Organization(s) (CTSO). BPA

#### PROFESSIONAL CAREER CERTIFICATIONS\*

Industry Certification Title	CAPE college credits	Graduation online course requirement	Math/Sci Waiver (non-EOC)
Microsoft Office Bundle	3 credits	YES	YES
Microsoft Office Specialist Bundle	3 credits	YES	YES
Adobe Certified Associate Dreamweaver	3 credits	YES	YES
Adobe Certified Associate Flash	3 credits	YES	YES
CIW Web Design Specialist	3 credits	YES	YES
CIW Database Design Specialist	3 credits	YES	YES
CIW JavaScript Specialist	3 credit	YES	YES
Adobe Photoshop CC	n/a	YES	NO
Adobe Illustrator	n/a	YES	NO

### POST SECONDARY OPTIONS

Options	Pathway	Career**	Avg. Salary**
COLLEGE / UNIVERSITY ENROLLMENT	Game development BS Computer programming and analysis AS	Video game designer Senior graphic designer Senior Animator	\$87,836 \$59,794 \$86,723
REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP	N / A	N/A	N/A
WORKFORCE	IT Industry	Technical support Senior game advisor Graphic designer	\$18.00 / hr \$9.06 / hr \$20.74 / hr

### **COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS**

# Florida Gold Seal Vocational Scholars (GSV)

The Florida Gold Seal Vocational Scholars (GSV) can be used to fund a career education or certificate program at a Technical or State College.

Funds 2-year programs: Technical College certificate or

State College degree

To earn this scholarship students must:

• Complete 3 credits within a single pathway

3.0 weighted core GPA

• 3.5 unweighted GPA in the pathway courses

Minimum college ACT, SAT, or PERT scores

Florida Gold Seal CAPE Scholars (GSC) Click here to see the full eligibility requirements: www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/SSFAD/PDF/BFHandbookChapter1.pdf

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fund a career education or certificate program.
To earn this scholarship students must:

Funds a 2+2 bachelor's degree (BS or BAS)

• Pass Industry Certification exam(s) equaling 5 or more college credits

• Document a minimum of 30 service hours

2-year program at Technical College or State college EST. VALUE \$6,293 Click here to see the full GSC eligibility requirements:

www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/SSFAD/PDF/BFHandbookChapter1.p

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Click here to see Industry Certification awarded college credits:

2 year BS program at a Florida University  $\underline{\text{http://www.fldoe.org/academics/career-adult-edu/career-technical-edu-agreements/industry-certification.stml}$ 

EST. VALUE \$12,763

SCHOOLS OFFERING THIS PATHWAY					
	High Schools:	Coral Glades Coral Springs Hollywood Hills Lauderhill 6-12 McArthur	Monarch Piper Pompano Beach South Broward South Plantation		
	Middle Schools:	Any school that offers the <b>Digital Information Technology</b> high school course			

## **COURSE PROGRESSION**

Course	Course #	Teacher Certification
Digital Information Technology (practical art) Game & Simulation Design Game & Simulation Programming (honors) Multi-User Game & Simulation Programming (honors)	8207310 8208120 8208330 8208340	BUS ED 1 COMPU SCI

## **CAREER PATHWAY DUAL ENROLLMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

**Broward College Eligibility Requirements** 

- 2.5 unweight GPA
- 3.0 Career Pathway GPA
- Complete 3 pathway courses

TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE	COURSES	TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE
Broward College:	IN DEVELOPMENT	IN DEVELOPMENT

<sup>\*</sup>Industry certifications offered may vary by school.

## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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