CITY TECH'S CREDIT HOUR POLICY

City Tech's degree and certificate programs are approved by the New York State Education Department (NYSED). Our credit hour policy for degree and certificate programs is consistent with NYSED guidelines and with the U.S. Department of Education's definition of a credit hour.

Per NYSED:

Semester hour: a credit, point, or other unit granted for the satisfactory completion of a course which requires at least 15 hours (of 50 minutes each) of instruction and at least 30 hours of supplementary assignments, except as otherwise provided pursuant to section 52.2(c)(4) of the Commissioner's Regulations. This basic measure shall be adjusted proportionately to translate the value of other academic calendars and formats of study in relation to the credit granted for study during the two semesters that comprise an academic year.