



Week 2: October 8th through October 12th

Millions of Rewarding Jobs: Educating for a Career in Cybersecurity

A key risk to our economy and security continues to be the shortage of cybersecurity professionals to safeguard our ever-expanding cyber ecosystem. Raising the next generation of interested and capable cybersecurity professionals is a starting point to building stronger defenses. There are limitless opportunities to educate students of all ages – from high school into higher education and beyond – on the field of cybersecurity as they consider their options. In addition, veterans and individuals who are looking for a new career or re-entering the workforce, should explore the multitude of well-paying and rewarding jobs available.¹

Use the National Initiative for Cybersecurity Careers and Studies (NICCS) website for resources on all things related to the cybersecurity workforce, from K-12 curricula, to professional development tools. NICCS is a one-stop shop with something for everyone. Visit <https://niccs.us-cert.gov> for more information.

¹ National Cybersecurity Awareness Month Themes – Stay Safe Online. <https://staysafeonline.org/ncsam/themes>