CIS 110: Introduction to Computers is a college transferable course under our state’s Comprehensive Articulation Agreement. CIS 111: Basic PC Literacy doesn’t transfer to our state universities under this agreement. Some degree programs here at CFCC allow students to take either CIS 110 or CIS 111 to satisfy requirements for the degrees, but some programs specifically require students to take only CIS 110 and some require only CIS 111. Regardless, neither of these course proficiency exams should be confused with the Computer Competency Exam offered in the Learning Lab.

CIS 110 Proficiency Exam

CFCC does not offer a CIS 110 proficiency exam. If students are interested in testing out of this course, UNCW offers the College Level Examination Program (CLEP) exam at a cost to students. CLEP is a nationally accredited and recognized testing program for a variety of college transfer course subjects, including Information Systems. The Information Systems CLEP exam will suffice for CFCC required CIS 110 course credit. CLEP credit should also transfer to other universities. The links below take you to UNCW webpages that detail all you need to know about taking the CLEP and how the transfer CLEP credit works.

http://uncw.edu/testing/services/national/clep.html

http://uncw.edu/reg/transfercredit-examCLEP.htm