Governor's Institutes 2026 Embedded Credit
CCX-101: Survey of Technology & Design

Rising Juniors and Seniors are eligible to receive embedded college credit by completing this Institute. **Receiving college credit is not necessary to participate in the Institute– all students will have equal access to activities and experiences at the Institute whether they pursue this credit or not.**
Receiving college credit has additional costs beyond GIV tuition, although most students can cover the course fees in full by using a Vermont Dual Enrollment voucher.
For more information, see the GIV Academic Guide at https://giv.org/academicguide

Accrediting Institution: Champlain College
Credits: 3 (45 hours)
Instructor: Shannon Walters shannon@giv.org

Hybrid Class

- In-person coursework dates: June 20- June 28, 2026
    - GIV Technology and Design Institute on the Champlain campus
- Online submission of wrap-up assignments
    - Due July 6, 2026

Course Overview:

CCX-101: Survey of Technology & Design is designed to help students build specific technical skills while developing a broader understanding of the technology and design landscape. The course emphasizes transferable skills such as design thinking, creativity, innovation, and collaboration, while also providing opportunities to experience college life and engage with faculty and staff.

What Counts for the Course

Your full institute (June 20-28, 2026) experience counts toward CCX-101, including:

- Bootcamp classes (morning & afternoon sessions)
- Guest speakers
- Professional visits and tours
- Evening activities
- Final Project

Together, these fulfill the required in-person course components.

What You'll Do

To earn dual enrollment credit, you will:

- Complete **2–3 short reflections** during the institute, via our Institute private discord server and
- Complete **one final written reflection, due by July 6, 2026.**