

# FLORICULTURE - UNDERGRADUATE CERTIFICATE

College of Applied and Technical Studies  
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## Examples of Possible Careers\*

### First-line supervisors of retail sales workers

- -5.5% decline
- 1,476,400 number of jobs
- \$41,580 potential earnings

### Floral designers

- -20.1% decline
- 51,800 number of jobs
- \$29,140 potential earnings

## Contact Information

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- Speak with an Advisor
  - Geauga Campus
  - Salem Campus

## Fully Offered

- **Delivery:**
  - In person
- **Location:**
  - Geauga Campus
  - Salem Campus

### \*Note

Source of occupation titles and labor data is from the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics'

Occupational Outlook Handbook. Data comprises projected percent change in employment over the next 10 years; nation-wide employment numbers; and the yearly median wage at which half of the workers in the occupation earned more than that amount and half earned less.

## Description

The Floriculture undergraduate certificate provides entry-level skills for those interested in employment or a career in the field. The curriculum provides basic principles of design used in commercial and natural settings, commercial production, marketing and post-harvest care. The certificate articulates well into Kent State's associate and bachelor's degree in horticulture.

## Admission Requirements

The university affirmatively strives to provide educational opportunities and access to students with varied backgrounds, those with special

talents and adult students who graduated from high school three or more years ago.

Kent State campuses at Ashtabula, East Liverpool, Geauga, Salem, Stark, Trumbull and Tuscarawas, and the Twinsburg Academic Center, have open enrollment admission for students who hold a high school diploma, GED or equivalent.

For more information on admissions, contact the Regional Campuses admissions offices.

## Program Requirements

### Certificate Requirements

Code	Title	Credit Hours
<b>Certificate Requirements</b>		
ART 10023	3D COMPOSITION	3
HORT 16001	INTRODUCTION TO HORTICULTURE	1
HORT 16010	FLORAL DESIGN I	3
HORT 16011	FLORAL DESIGN II	3
HORT 16020	PLANT MATERIALS I	3
HORT 16021	WHOLESALE FLORICULTURE	3
HORT 26001	OCCUPATIONAL REGULATIONS AND SAFETY	2
HORT 36092	INTERNSHIP IN HORTICULTURE (ELR)	1
<b>Minimum Total Credit Hours:</b>		<b>19</b>

### Graduation Requirements

Minimum Certificate GPA	Minimum Overall GPA
2.000	2.000