# Business Administration 

## Degree Type

Associate in Applied Science
Type
Career
Division of Liberal Arts \& Professional Studies
Associate Dean: Deborah Beall

The (AAS) career program in Business Administration offers an excellent opportunity for students looking for employment following graduation with an Associate's degree. This program enables students to develop the proficiencies necessary for entry-level employment in fields such as marketing, sales, management, customer service, office management, administrative support, and hospitality. The career program offers a range of program requirements and electives for entrepreneurs who want to develop the skills to start and manage a small business. While most of the coursework is centered on general business subjects, the diversity of liberal arts courses allows students a deeper understanding of business associates, customers, and others.

Graduates will be able to:

- Demonstrate the foundation of business knowledge required to successfully complete the transition to a position in business;
- Understand a broad based liberal arts education suitable to multiple applications and occupations;
- Provide educational enhancement opportunities for employers looking to increase the expertise of their employees.


## Program Requirements

| Item \# | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| ENGL 1010 | College Composition I | 3.0 |
| ENGL 1020 | College Composition II | 3.0 |
|  | MATH 1110 or Higher | 3 |
|  | Social Sciences Elective | 3 |
|  | ECON 1000, ECON 2001, or ECON 2002 | 3 |
|  | Humanities Elective | 3 |
|  | Laboratory Science Elective | 3 |
|  | Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, Social Justice (DEI/SJ) Course | 3 |
|  | Business Program Electives | 12 |
| BUSN 1055 | Management Elective | 3 |
| BUSN 1033 | ACCT 1000 or ACCT 1030 | 4 |
| BUSN 1030 | Professionalism | 3.0 |
| BUSN 1040 | Applied Business Mathematics | 3.0 |
| BUSN 1100 | Business Communications | 3.0 |
| BUSN 1231 | Principles of Business | 3.0 |
| BUSN 1232 | Business Applications and Solutions | 3.0 |
|  | Business Law I | 3.0 |
|  | Business Law II | 3.0 |
|  | Total Credits | $\mathbf{6 4}$ |

## Course Sequencing

## First Semester

Intended as a guide for academic planning. It need not be followed exactly or completed in four semesters.

| Item \# | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| ENGL 1010 | College Composition I | 3.0 |
| BUSN 1040 | Principles of Business | 3.0 |
| BUSN 1100 | Business Applications and Solutions | 3.0 |
|  | MATH 1110 or Higher | 3 |
|  | Business Program Electives | 3 |

## Second Semester

| Item \# | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| ENGL 1020 | College Composition II | 3.0 |
| BUSN 1030 | ACCT 1000 or ACCT 1030 | 4 |
| BUSN 1231 | Business Communications | 3.0 |
| BUSN 1055 | Business Law I | 3.0 |

## Third Semester

| Item \# | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Economics Elective | 3 |
|  | Humanities Elective | 3 |
| BUSN 1232 | Business Law II | 3.0 |
| BUSN 1033 | Applied Business Mathematics | 3.0 |
|  | Business Program Electives | 3 |

## Fourth Semester

| Item \# | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Laboratory Science Elective | 3 |
| Social Sciences Elective | 3 |  |
|  | Business Program Electives | 6 |
| Management Elective | 3 |  |
|  | Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, Social Justice (DEI/SJ) Course | 3 |

## Footnotes

*Based on placement, students might be required to take developmental and/or prerequisite classes before taking the required English and Math courses.
*Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, Social Justice (DEI/SJ) Course: See General Education Requirements for courses that meet this requirement.
*Social Sciences Elective: PSYC 1101, or any other social science course designated as meeting the SUNY Critical Thinking competency requirement, is recommended.
*Humanities Elective: SPCH1080, or any other humanities course designated as meeting the SUNY Oral Communication competency, is recommended.

