

# Accounting A.S. Degree Map

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## A Day in the Life ...

Graduates of this program are prepared to continue their education in accounting or finance at a four-year college or university. Students entering the workforce after transferring and completing a baccalaureate degree in accounting benefit from a strong demand for accountants. The Financial Accounting Research System (FARS) database is introduced so that students can learn to research complex accounting issues, preparing them for the CPA exam and professional practice as an accountant.

## Three Reasons to Consider Accounting (A.S.)

1. Small enough classes to give you individual attention and experienced enough to give you individual encouragement.
2. Special projects teach analytical skills through finding, extracting, and evaluating financial information to make sound decisions.
3. Nationally accredited by the Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP).

## Keep This in Mind

Students learn the accounting cycle including preparation of financial statements in accordance with GAAP.

## Accounting A.S. Gateway Courses:

- Gateway courses: BUS 161, ACC 153
- Key courses: BUS 161, ACC 153, ACC 154, BUS 203, ECO 201, ECO 202
- Electives: One Restricted SUNY Elective

*Courses above have been recommended by the department to help introduce you to the program (Gateway courses) and guide you in selecting courses that will provide you with the best academic experience (Key courses and suggested Electives).*

## First Semester

| Course # | Course Name                          | P, C, P/C | Cr |
|----------|--------------------------------------|-----------|----|
| ENG 101  | Freshman English 1 (G10A [w] & G11A) | P         | 3  |
| MAT ____ | Selected Math Course* (G1A)          | P         | 3  |
| BUS 161  | Computer Applications for Business   | P         | 3  |
| ACC 153  | Financial Accounting                 | P         | 4  |
| _____    | Restricted SUNY Elective**           |           | 3  |
|          | Total Semester Credits               |           | 16 |

## Milestones

### During this semester, students should:

- Become familiar with MySUNY Orange (Orange Connect, DegreeWorks, email, alerts, your Academic Information)

## Second Semester

| Course #      | Course Name                     | P, C, P/C | Cr |
|---------------|---------------------------------|-----------|----|
| ENG 102       | Freshman English 2 (G7A & G12A) | P         | 3  |
| MAT ____      | Selected Math Course* (G1A)     | P         | 3  |
| ECO 201       | Macro-Economics (G3A)           |           | 3  |
| ACC 154       | Managerial Accounting           | P         | 4  |
| <b>Either</b> | Principles of Marketing         | P         |    |
| MKT 101       |                                 |           |    |
| <b>Or</b>     | Principles of Management        | P         | 3  |
| MGT 201       |                                 |           |    |
|               | Total Semester Credits          |           | 16 |

## Milestones

### During this semester, students should:

- Seek Academic Support Services/Tutoring
- Join the Business Club

## Third Semester

| Course # | Course Name                 | P, C, P/C | Cr |
|----------|-----------------------------|-----------|----|
| ECO 202  | Micro-Economics (G3A)       |           | 3  |
| _____    | SUNY Natural Sciences (G2A) |           | 3  |

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| Course # | Course Name                 | P, C, P/C | Cr |
|----------|-----------------------------|-----------|----|
| BUS 209  | Diversity in Business (G6A) |           | 3  |
| BUS 201  | Business Law 1              |           | 3  |
| ACC 201  | Intermediate Accounting 1   | P         | 4  |
|          | Total Semester Credits      |           | 16 |

## Milestones

During this semester, students should:

- Attend a transfer fair or transfer event

## Fourth Semester

| Course #      | Course Name                               | P, C, P/C | Cr  |
|---------------|---|-----------|-----|
| BUS 203       | Business Communications (G10A [o] & G11A) |           | 3   |
| BUS 202       | Business Law 2                            | P         | 3   |
| ACC 202       | Intermediate Accounting 2                 | P         | 4   |
| <b>Either</b> | Business Statistics                       | P         |     |
| BUS 205       |   |           |     |
| <b>Or</b>     | Accounting w/ Spreadsheet Applications    | P         | 3   |
| ACC 205       |   |           |     |
| ACC 220***    | Accounting Internship***                  | P, P/C    | (3) |
|               | Total Semester Credits                    |           | 13  |

## Milestones

During this semester, students should:

- Audit your degree using Degree Works
- Apply for graduation

**TOTAL DEGREE CREDITS: 61**

## Notes:

\*Select one of the following pairs:(MAT 121 and MAT 122), (MAT 122 and MAT 120), (MAT 122 and MAT 205), (MAT 131 and MAT 205), (MAT 131 and MAT 120), (MAT 205 and MAT 120) OR (MAT 205 and MAT 206)

\*\*Select one from four different SUNY lists: G4A (SUNY US History & Gov), G5A (SUNY World History), G8A (SUNY Arts) or G9A (SUNY World Languages)

\*\*\* This course is an additional, optional course and does not replace any other course in this program