

**Accounting  
Associate in Applied Science**



**Business, Management, Marketing &  
Technology Career Pathway**

Accountants and auditors prepare, analyze and verify financial reports and taxes and monitor information systems that furnish this information to managers in business, industry and government.

The accounting major prepares students for initial employment and develops competencies for those already in the field. Students develop skills in the posting and recording of financial data, use of computers, preparation of financial statements and reports, interpretation of financial information, and develop effective supervisory and communicative techniques and skills.

Typical job opportunities and places of employment are: junior accountant with public accounting firms, banks and other financial institutions, educational institutions and other profit and not-for-profit organizations.

Minimum credits:	60
Minimum cumulative GPA:	2.0
Minimum grade in all courses:	2.0
Minimum JCC credits:	12
MACRAO agreement:	No

**GENERAL EDUCATION — (17 credits)**

**ENGLISH — (3 credits)**

ENG 131 Writing Experience	3
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**MATHEMATICS — (3 credits)**

MTH 120 Beginning Algebra or higher	3
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**SCIENCE — (4 credits)**

**Choose one of the following:**

BIO 131 General Biology	4
BIO 132 Human Biology	4
BIO 151 General Botany	4
BIO 152 General Zoology	4
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry	4
CEM 141 General Chemistry I	5
GEL 160 Introduction to Geology	4
NSC 131 Contemporary Science	4
PHY 131 Conceptual Physics	4
PHY 151 Astronomy	4

**SOCIAL SCIENCE — (3 credits)**

**Choose one of the following:**

ECN 231 Macroeconomics	3
ECN 232 Microeconomics	3

**HUMANITIES — (3 credits)**

**Choose one of the following:**

ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric to 1400	3
ART 112 Art History: Renaissance-Present	3
ENG 236 Women in a Changing Society	3
ENG 246 Short Story and Novels	3
ENG 247 Poetry and Drama	3
ENG 249 African American Literature	3
ENG 252 Shakespeare	3
ENG 255 American Literature 19th Century	3
ENG 256 American Literature 20th Century	3
ENG 257 World Literature I	3
HUM 131 Cultural Connections	3
MUS 131 Understanding Music	3
MUS 132 History of American Popular Music	3
MUS 133 Music Education	3
MUS 151 Music Theory I	4
MUS 152 Music Theory II	4
PHL 231 Introduction to Philosophy	3
PHL 232 Logic	3
THR 116 Introduction to Theatre	3

**HEALTH/PHYSICAL FITNESS — (1 credit)**

**Choose one of the following:**

HPF 160 Wellness	1
HPF 168 Weight Training & Conditioning	2
HPF 221 Jazz Techniques	3
HPF 277 Stress Management	2

**ACCOUNTING CORE REQUIREMENTS — (36 credits)**

ACC 115 Payroll Accounting	2
ACC 130 QuickBooks Pro or CIS 121 Microsoft® Excel® Comprehensive	2
ACC 220 Taxation Issues in Business or ACC 122 Volunteer Income Tax Project	3
ACC 231 Principles of Accounting I	4
ACC 232 Principles of Accounting II	4
ACC 234 Managerial Accounting	4
ACC 240 Intermediate Accounting	4
BUA 100 Contemporary Business	3
BUA 110 Introduction to Wall Street	1
BUA 250 Business Law I	3
CIS 101 Introduction to Computer Systems	3
ENG 232 Technical and Business Writing	3



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**ELECTIVES — (Select electives from the following list so that  
the degree equals 60 credits.)**

ACC 130 QuickBooks Pro or CIS 121 Microsoft Excel Comprehensive.....	2
ACC 220 Taxation Issues in Business or ACC 122 Volunteer Income Tax Project.....	3
ACC 245 Internship .....	3
BUA 111 Personal Finance.....	3
BUA 120 Human Relations in Business .....	3
BUA 122 Successful Small Business .....	3
BUA 220 Principles of Management .....	3
BUA 230 Principles of Marketing .....	3