

**Murray State College
Tishomingo and Ardmore**

Business

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

	Credit Hours
GENERAL EDUCATION	38
EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION (6 hours)	
ENG 1113 English Composition I	3
ENG 1213 English Composition II	3
HISTORY & POLITICAL AWARENESS (6 hours)	
HST 1483 US History to 1877 (or)	3
HST 1493 US History since 1877	3
GVT 1113 American Federal Government.....	3
MATH & QUANTITATIVE REASONING (3 hours)	
MTH 1513 College Algebra	3
SCIENTIFIC REASONING (8 hours)	
PHS 1114 General Physical Science	4
BIO 1114 General Biology.....	4
HUMANITIES (6 hours)	
Any courses with a HUM prefix	3
Any Area 4 courses from college catalog	3
LIBERAL ARTS & GLOBAL AWARENESS (3 hours)	
ECO 2113 Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ARTS & SCIENCES (3 hours)	
BC 2113 Business Communications	3
COMPUTER PROFICIENCY (3 hours)	
CIS 1113 Computer Applications (or)	3
Demonstrated Proficiency	
ACADEMIC SUCCESS (If applicable)*	
COL 1211/1211L Success Strategies.....	(1)
PROGRAM CORE REQUIREMENTS 12	
ACC 2103 Fundamentals of Financial Acct.....	3
ACC 2203 Fundamentals of Managerial Acct	3
BM 1103 Introduction to Business.....	3
ECO 2123 Principles of Microeconomics	3
*Substitutions may be made with prior departmental approval.	
RECOMMENDED PROGRAM ELECTIVES 11	
ACC 1113 Introduction to Accounting	3
ACC 2303 Computerized Accounting	3
BM 1123 Marketing	3
BM 2013 Principles of Management	3
BM 2533 Small Business Ownership & Mngt.....	3
BUS 2763 Professional Development	3
CIS 2253 Web Page Design	3
CIS 2603 Specialized Word Processing.....	3
CIS 2723 Spreadsheet Applications.....	3
CIS 2803 Desktop Publishing.....	3
ECO 2603 Business & Economic Statistics	3
SL 1111 Service Learning	1
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	
	61
HEALTH, WELLNESS, & HUMAN PERFORMANCE	
HWP Personal Health, First Aid, or Activity	2
Courses (i.e., Swimming, Bowling, Golf, Tennis, Dance, Weight Training, Walking/Jogging, Women's Fitness, etc.).	
MSC TOTAL CREDIT HOURS REQUIRED	
	63

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

	Credit Hours
FIRST SEMESTER	
	16
COL 1211/1211L Success Strategies.....	1
ENG 1113 English Composition I.....	3
CIS 1113 Computer Applications	3
BM 1103 Introduction to Business.....	3
GVT 1113 American Government	3
MTH 1513 College Algebra (or)	3
MTH 1413 Survey of Math	
SECOND SEMESTER	
	16
ENG 1213 English Composition II	3
HST 1483 US History to 1877 (or)	3
HST 1493 US History since 1877	3
Cultural Diversity Elective	3
BC 2113 Business Communications	3
Recommended Program Elective.....	4
THIRD SEMESTER	
	15
ACC 2103 Fund of Financial Acct	3
ECO 2113 Principles of Macroeconomics	3
PHS 1114 General Physical Science	4
Any approved HWP course	2
Recommended Program Elective.....	3
FOURTH SEMESTER	
	16
ACC 2203 Fund. of Managerial Acct	3
ECO 2123 Principles of Microeconomics	3
BIO 1114 General Biology	4
Cultural Diversity Elective	3
Recommended Program Elective.....	3

*All first-time, full-time freshmen students seeking a degree or certificate are required to enroll in the Success Strategies course and attend the New Student Symposium.

This is a suggested course sequence only. Students may, with guidance from an Academic Advisor as well as a Faculty Advisor, make changes to their specific course sequence. The student should be aware that changes may result in more than four semesters to complete their desired Associates Degree.

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The recommended curriculum satisfies degree requirements and courses that are usually completed in the first two years of a four-year degree program. It is advised that students interested in transferring to a four-year college or university consult with an academic advisor from that school to ensure transferability.

The business curriculum, in general is designed to prepare graduates for transfer to a regional or comprehensive university. The Associate in Science in Business is a general business degree. When students transfer, they may decide to specialize in specific areas of business such as, Accounting, Finance, Management, Marketing, Human Resources or Economics.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Accountant
- Auditor
- Commercial and/or Investment Banker
- Human Resource Manager
- Marketing Consultant
- Entrepreneur
- Financial Planner

GENERAL COLLEGE PREPARATORY REQUIREMENTS

Students may be required to complete transitional courses in English and/or math prior to being admitted into college level courses. Academic placement is determined either by ACT results or placement exams.