

Bachelor of Science Curriculum Guide

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS**31-34 Credits****International Perspectives (3)**

Select from University approved list.

US Diversity (3)

Select from University approved list.

*US Diversity might also count as 3 of 9 credits of Humanities & Social Sciences.***Communications (13)**

ENGL 150	Critical Thinking and Communication (3)
ENGL 250	Written, Oral, Visual Electronic Composition (3)
ENGL 302	Business Communication (3)
SP CM 312	Business and Professional Speaking (3)
LIB 160	Introduction to College Level Research (1)

Humanities & Social Sciences (9)

Select from College approved list.

Global Perspectives (6)

Select from University approved International Perspectives list.

*International Perspectives may count as 3 of 6 credits here.***Natural Science (3)**

Select from College approved list.

FOUNDATION COURSES**20-21 Credits**

BUSAD 102 or 103	Orientation (1)
BUSAD 203	Professional Development in Business (1)
COM S 113	Introduction to Spreadsheets and Databases (3)
*MATH 150 or MATH 160	Discrete Math for Business and Social Sciences (3) Survey of Calculus (4)
ECON 101	Principles of Microeconomics (3)
ECON 102	Principles of Macroeconomics (3)
^STAT 226	Introduction to Business Statistics (3)
ACCT 284	Financial Accounting (3)

BUSEC majors take MATH 160 instead of MATH 150.^STAT 226 is required for all majors. Transfer coursework may substitute for STAT 226 in all majors except for ACCT, BU AN, BUSEC, FIN.***Strongly recommended that Foundation courses be completed within student's first 2-3 semesters.****SUPPORTING COURSES****9-13 Credits****ALL MAJORS:**

*MATH 151 or ECON 207	Calculus for Business and Social Sciences (3) Applied Economic Optimization (3)
ACCT 215	Legal Environment of Business (3)
PHIL 230	Moral Theory and Practice (3)

BUSEC majors take ECON 207 instead of MATH 151.*MAJOR SPECIFIC:**

STAT 326	Introduction to Business Statistics II (3) [ACCT, BU AN, BUSEC, FIN majors only]
MIS 207	Fundamentals of Computer Programming (3) [MIS majors only]
ACCT 301	The Accounting Cycle (1) [Prerequisite for all 300-level ACCT classes – to be taken concurrently with ACCT 285]

BUSINESS CORE**27 Credits**

ACCT 285	Managerial Accounting (3)
ENTSP 310	Entrepreneurship and Innovation (3)
FIN 301	Principles of Finance (3)
MGMT 371	Organizational Behavior (3)
MGMT 372	Responsible Management and Leadership in Business (3)
MIS 301	Management Information Systems (3)
MKT 340	Principles of Marketing (3)
SCM 301	Supply Chain Management (3)

Credit or enrollment in all core courses (except MGMT 372) and senior standing required to take:

MGMT 478	Strategic Management (3) [taken senior year]
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BUSINESS MAJOR**18-24 Credits**

See individual major guides for specific, required, and elective major courses.

Electives**7-17 Credits**

Take additional "free" electives to fulfill the minimum graduation requirement of 122 credits.

Additional Graduation Requirements:

1. Minimum of 122 credits total,
2. 42 credits of 300-level or higher coursework from a four-year institution,
3. Grade of "C or better" in ENGL 250 and grade of "C or better" in ENGL 150 or ENGL 302,
4. Grade of "C or better" in at least 30 credits applied to Business Core and major,
5. 50% of required business courses must be earned at Iowa State University,
6. Last 32 credits applied to a degree must be taken at Iowa State University (exceptions for study abroad and internship may be requested),
7. All 300-level and higher business courses must be earned at a four-year college or university,
8. Cumulative GPA of at least 2.0 with no Quality Point Deficiencies,
9. Multiple business majors must have at least 15 distinct credits in each. When applicable, one course can be shared between business majors. (See your advisor regarding multiple business degree requirements.)

Notes Pertaining to the Curriculum:

- No courses taken for the business degree can be taken Pass-Not Pass (only non-business "free" electives may be taken P-NP).
- Business course prerequisites are monitored and will be enforced.

****See specific curriculum guides for Actuarial Science major and Bachelor of Business Administration degree.**