

# ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED BUSINESS IN ACCOUNTING

The Williamson College of Business Administration offers an Associate of Applied Business in Accounting that includes some business tool courses and some upper-level accounting courses. This degree is often pursued by individuals already in the workforce wanting to enhance their knowledge and skills in the field of accounting, often leading to promotion and/or salary increase. The majority of courses taken in the Associate of Applied Business in Accounting can all be applied to the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration in Accounting degree.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

An Associate of Applied Business in Accounting equips graduates with a solid foundation in business principles, opening doors to a variety of entry-level career opportunities across multiple industries. Graduates can pursue roles such as bookkeepers, tax preparers, and human resources assistants, where skills in organization, communication, and basic accounting are invaluable. Moreover, this degree can serve as a foundation to pursue a bachelor's degree in business.

## STUDENT EXPERIENCES

Students enrolled in the Associate of Applied Business in Accounting have the opportunity to build their knowledge and leadership skills in their field through various student leadership organizations including the Institute of Management Accountants, the Economics Club, and the Student Nonprofit Leadership Organization.

COURSE	TITLE	S.H.
<b>FIRST YEAR REQUIREMENT - STUDENT SUCCESS</b>		
YSU 1500	Success Seminar	1-2
or YSU 1500S	Youngstown State University Success Seminar	
or HONR 1500	Intro to Honors	
<b>GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS</b>		
ENGL 1550	Writing 1	3-4
or ENGL 1549	Writing 1 with Support	
MATHEMATICS <small>Grade of a "C" or higher required</small>		
MATH 2623	Quantitative Reasoning	3-6
or MATH 2623C	Quantitative Reasoning with Co-Requisite Support	
or MATH 1510	College Algebra	
or MATH 1510C	College Algebra with Co-requisite Support	
or MATH 1571	Calculus 1	
ECON 2610	Principles 1: Microeconomics	3
Any Gen Ed AH or NS		3
<b>BUSINESS COURSES</b>		
Business courses must be completed with a grade of a "C" or higher and CAN NOT be taken CR/NC		
ACCT 2602	Financial Accounting <small>Required for students planning to pursue a Bachelor of Science in Business (BSBA) degree.</small>	3
or ACCT 1503	Essentials of Accounting	
ACCT 2603	Managerial Accounting	3
BUS 1500	Foundations of Business	3
BUS 2600	Business Applications of Microsoft Excel	3
BUS 2610	Collaborating, Writing, & Presenting in Business	3
BUS 3700	Business Analytics	3
ECON 1505	Personal Financial Literacy <small>Required for students planning to pursue a Bachelor of Science in Business (BSBA) degree.</small>	3
or POL 1560	American Government	

ECON 2630	Principles 2: Macroeconomics <small>Required for students planning to pursue a Bachelor of Science in Business (BSBA) degree.</small>	3
or PSYC 1560	General Psychology	
MGT 2604	Legal and Social Responsibilities of Business	3
MGT 3725	Fundamentals of Management	3
BUS 4815	Career Planning & Management <small>or ACCT elective</small>	3
<b>ACCOUNTING UPPER-DIVISION</b>		
Accounting courses must be completed with a grade of a "C" or higher and CAN NOT be taken CR/NC		
ACCT 3701	Intermediate Accounting 1	3
ACCT 3702	Intermediate Accounting 2	3
ACCT 4813	Federal Taxation 1	3
ACCT 4860K	Spec Tpcs Comp Acct Quickbooks	3
ACCT 4860V	Special Topics in Accounting Payroll Accounting	3
<b>Total Semester Hours</b>		<b>61-66</b>