

ACCOUNTING

Associate of Science degree



Program and Career Description:

The Accounting emphasis is a two-year program for students planning to complete a bachelor's degree in Accounting or Marketing. Students pursuing careers in accounting, sales, retail management, marketing, or advertising should consider this degree. Below are a few examples of career and salary information.

Career	Median Salary with BS degree	Experienced Salary Median
Retail Sales	\$37,200	\$47,850
Accounting	\$40,370	\$50,340

Career and salary information taken from www.bls.gov. Check out this web site for additional information about education requirements and preferred work styles and abilities for these careers. Salaries are not guaranteed.

Transfer Options

This program is a Tennessee Transfer Pathway (TTP) major. A student who completes the associates degree in this major is guaranteed that all required community college courses will be accepted in this major at the transfer institution. To see which four-year institutions offer this TTP major and guarantees a seamless transfer, visit the Tennessee Transfer Pathway website at www.tntransferpathway.org.

Articulation agreements exist between other private and non-TN public institutions. These agreements are available at www.columbiastate.edu/admissions/transfer-information.



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Major in Tennessee Transfer Pathway with Emphasis in Accounting (A.S.)

Program Requirements

Students may be required to take additional Learning Support courses.

Communications Requirement

ENGL 1010, 1020
SPCH 1010 or SPCH 1030

History Requirement (Take 2 courses)

HIST 1110, 1120, 2010, 2020, 2030

Humanities/Fine Arts (Take 3 courses -- one must be a literature course)

ART 1030
ARTH 2010, 2020
ENGL 2015, 2440
HUM 1130, 1131
MUS 1030
PHIL 1030, 2030, 2033
THEA 1030
Literature Options: ENGL 2130, 2230, 2310, 2320, 2920

Natural Sciences Requirement (Take 2 courses)

ASTR 1030
BIOL 1030 (must not be paired with another BIOL)
BIOL 1110, 1120, 2010, 2020
CHEM 1110, 1120
GEOG 1010, 1020
PHYS 2010, 2020, 2110, 2120
PSCI 1030

Mathematics Requirement

MATH 1530*

Social/Behavioral Sciences (Take 2 courses)

ECON 2010, 2020

Major Required Courses

ACCT 1010, 1020
COLS 101
MATH 1130* or 1630* or 1710* or 1730*
MATH 1830*
INFS 1010
Electives**

*Check TN Transfer Pathway website for required Math courses based on transfer university.

**Note: An elective can be any college-level course.

If you have completed TN eCampus courses, run a degree audit from the student tab in myChargerNet to determine how these courses apply to this program.

Requirements for Graduation include:

- earning 25% of total program credits in residence at Columbia State.
- cumulative GPA must be at least 2.0.
- taking the Exit Exam.

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Sample Academic Plan

First Year – Fall Semester

___ ENGL 1010	Composition I	3
___ History Requirement		3
___ INFS 1010	Computer Applications	3
___ ECON 2010	Macroeconomics	3
___ MATH 1530*	Elementary Statistics	3
___ COLS 101	Columbia State College Success	1
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First Year – Spring Semester

___ ENGL 1020	Composition II	3
___ SPCH 1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication <u>or</u>	3
___ SPCH 1030	Argumentation & Debate	
___ ECON 2020	Microeconomics	3
___ History Requirement		3
___ MATH 1130 <u>or</u> MATH 1630 <u>or</u> MATH 1710 <u>or</u> MATH 1730*		3
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Second Year – Fall Semester

___ Natural Sciences Requirement		4
___ Humanities/Fine Arts		3
___ ACCT 1010	Principles of Accounting I	3
___ Electives**		3
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Second Year – Spring Semester

___ Literature Requirement		3
___ ACCT 1020	Principles of Accounting II	3
___ Natural Sciences Requirement		4
___ Humanities/Fine Arts		3
___ MATH 1830*	Applied Calculus	3
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TOTAL CREDIT HOURS 60

At some universities, foreign language may be required in certain programs that lead to the Bachelor of Arts Degree. Complete information regarding foreign language requirements at each university may be found on the transfer and articulation web sites of the Tennessee Board of Regents and the University of Tennessee System. Community college students are encouraged to be familiar with foreign language requirements at the universities and, if applicable, complete the requirements before transferring.

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