

ACCOUNTING, BS

Bachelor of Science in Accounting (620000BS)

More on the Accounting major (<https://www.uakron.edu/cba/undergraduate/majors/accounting.dot>)

The George W. Daverio School of Accountancy prepares students to become competent and responsible accounting professionals and business leaders. Accounting is essential for planning, decision-making, control and performance evaluation in all types of organizations, including business, government and non-profit entities. An accounting major offers a wide range of opportunities for future success as a professional. Professional certification is vital for accounting professionals. The School of Accountancy's undergraduate accounting degree prepares you to pursue certifications such as certified public accountant (CPA), certified management accountant (CMA), certified internal auditor, and certified information systems auditor.

Requirements for Admission

- 2.5 average cumulative
- English Composition I and II (ENGL 111 & ENGL 112)
- Speech requirement (COMM 105 or COMM 106)
- College Algebra (MATH 145) or Calculus with Business Applications (MATH 210)
- Principles of Microeconomics (ECON 200) or Principles of Macroeconomics (ECON 201)
- One of the following courses:
 - Accounting Principles I (ACCT 201)
 - Spreadsheet Modeling & Decision Analysis (ACCT 250)
 - Introduction to Entrepreneurship (ENTRE 201)
 - Legal & Social Environment of Business (BLAW 220)
 - Marketing Principles (MKTG 205)

College of Business Undergraduate Programs

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The following information has official approval of **The George W. Daverio School of Accountancy** and **The College of Business**, but is intended only as a supplemental guide. Official degree requirements are established at the time of transfer and admission to the degree-granting college. Students should refer to the Degree Progress Report (Stellic) which is definitive for graduation requirements. *Completion of this degree within the identified time frame below is contingent upon many factors, including but not limited to: class availability, total number of required credits, work schedule, finances, family, course drops/withdrawals, successfully passing courses, prerequisites, among others.* The transfer process is completed through an appointment with your academic advisor.

Three year accelerated option: for first time students who have earned credits for at least the first year of courses. Credits can be earned through qualifying scores on appropriate Advanced Placement (AP) exams or through [College Credit Plus Program \(CCP\)](#) courses. Credits for qualifying AP scores or CCP courses are determined by the appropriate academic department. Departments may assign varied

course credit, depending on the student's score on an AP exam or [grade in a CCP](#) course. Students may also receive credit by examination or via placement tests, where appropriate.

Requirements Summary

Code	Title	Hours
General Education Requirements (https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/general-education/) *		35
Additional Business Requirements		4
College of Business Core		42
Accounting Required Courses		27
Accounting Electives		9
Free Elective		3
Total Hours		120

* Several courses required for the major also satisfy General Education requirements. The University minimum of 36 credits are required for General Education and credit for these courses will apply to multiple requirements.

Recommended General Education Courses

Code	Title	Hours
Students pursuing a bachelor's degree must complete the following General Education coursework. Diversity courses may also fulfill major or Breadth of Knowledge requirements. Integrated and Applied Learning courses may also fulfill requirements in the major.		
Students are not required to enroll in the specific courses listed below. However, to facilitate successful degree completion, the academic department strongly encourages completion of the following recommendations.		
Academic Foundations		12
<i>Mathematics, Statistics and Logic: 3 credit hours</i>		
<i>Speaking: 3 credit hours</i>		
COMM 105	Introduction to Public Speaking or COMM 10 Effective Oral Communication	
<i>Writing: 6 credit hours</i>		
ENGL 111	English Composition I	
ENGL 112	English Composition II	

Breadth of Knowledge		22
<i>Arts/Humanities: 9 credit hours</i>		
<i>Natural Sciences: 7 credit hours</i>		
<i>Social Sciences: 6 credit hours</i>		
ECON 200	Principles of Microeconomics	
SOCIO 100	Introduction to Sociology	
Diversity		
Domestic Diversity		
SOCIO 100	Introduction to Sociology	
Global Diversity		
Integrated and Applied Learning		
<i>Select one class from one of the following subcategories:</i>		
Complex Issues Facing Society		
Capstone		

Review the General Education Requirements page for detailed course listings.

Total Hours **34**

Additional Business Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
General Education Mathematics Requirement		
MATH 145	Algebra for Calculus ¹	4
Required Business Courses		
BUSN 110	College of Business Success Seminar ²	
BUSN 111	Professional Development Seminar	
Recommended Business Courses		
BUSN 200	Personal Leadership Skills	
Total Hours		4

¹ MATH 145 Algebra for Calculus needs to be completed with a C- or better.

² Only required for new first-year students. Transfer students are excluded from this requirement.

College of Business Core ¹

Code	Title	Hours
ECON 201 or ECON 244	Principles of Macroeconomics ² Introduction to Economic Analysis	3
BUSN 230 or COMM 235	Business Communication ³ Business and Professional Communication	3
ACCT 201	Accounting Principles I ⁴	3
ACCT 202	Accounting Principles II ⁴	3
ACCT 250	Spreadsheet Modeling & Decision Analysis ⁴	3
ACCT 424	Business Law	3
FIN 301	Principles of Finance	3
MGMT 304	Business Statistics	3
MGMT 201	Management: Principles & Concepts	3
MGMT 305	Business Analytics	3
MGMT 490	Strategic Management	3
SCM 330	Principles of Supply Chain and Operations Management	3
MKTG 205	Marketing Principles	3
INTB 205	International Business	3
Total Hours		42

¹ Student must also have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 across the College of Business Core.

² Students cannot get credit for both ECON 201 and ECON 244.

³ Students cannot get credit for both BUSN 320 and COMM 235.

⁴ Accounting majors must complete with a grade of C or better.

Accounting Required Courses

Code	Title	Hours
<i>Must be admitted to the Accounting Major to take the courses below:</i>		
ACCT 301	Cost Management and Control	3
ACCT 320	Accounting Systems and Internal Control	3
ACCT 321	Financial Reporting and Analysis I ¹	3

ACCT 322	Financial Reporting and Analysis II	3
ACCT 330	Contemporary Federal Taxation	3
ACCT 420	Advanced Financial Reporting and Analysis	3
ACCT 431	Business Entity Taxation	3
ACCT 440	Assurance Services and Professional Responsibilities	3
ACCT 450	Advanced Applied Analytics & Decision Analysis	3
Total Hours		27

¹ Accounting majors must complete with a grade of C or better.

Accounting Electives

Code	Title	Hours
Select three of the following:		
ACCT 454	Information Systems Security	
ACCT 408	International Financial Reporting & Analysis	
ACCT 441	Information Systems Audit & Control	
ACCT 460	Advanced Managerial Accounting	
ACCT 470	Governmental Accounting	
ACCT 490	Special Topics in Accounting	
ACCT 475	Experiential Learning in Tax	
ACCT 405	Experiential Learning in Accounting ¹	
Total Hours		9

¹ Eligibility for ACCT 405

- Admitted to CBA and minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA
- Completed or enrolled in ACCT 320 and ACCT 321
- Grade of B or better in ACCT 201 and ACCT 202
- Requires ACCT 305 as a corequisite (0 credits)

Free Elective

Code	Title	Hours
	Free Elective ¹	3
Total Hours		3

¹ Students may take any course offered at The University of Akron to fulfill the 120 credit hour requirement.

Graduation Requirements – Review Stellar for Status

- 120 Credit Hours
- College of Business Residency = Last 15 credits earned in The College of Business
- UA Residency = Students must complete their final 30 credits in residence at The University of Akron
- At least 50% of the business core and major course requirements must be earned at The University of Akron
- Overall GPA = 2.3
- Major GPA = 2.0
- Business & Economics GPA = 2.0
- Business Core Classes GPA = 2.0

Recommended Sequence

1st Year		
Fall Semester		
ENGL 111	English Composition I	3
COMM 105 or COMM 106	Introduction to Public Speaking or Effective Oral Communication	3
MATH 145	Algebra for Calculus	4
	Arts Requirement	3
	Natural Science Requirement	3
BUSN 110	College of Business Success Seminar	1-3
Hours		17-19
Spring Semester		
ENGL 112	English Composition II	3
SOCIO 100	Introduction to Sociology	3
BUSN 111	Professional Development Seminar	1
	Humanities Requirement	3
	Natural Science with Lab Requirement	4
Hours		14
2nd Year		
Fall Semester		
ECON 200	Principles of Microeconomics	3
BUSN 230 or COMM 235	Business Communication or Business and Professional Communication	3
ACCT 201	Accounting Principles I ⁴	3
ACCT 250	Spreadsheet Modeling & Decision Analysis ⁴	3
MKTG 205	Marketing Principles	3
Hours		15
Spring Semester		
ECON 201	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ACCT 202	Accounting Principles II ⁴	3
MGMT 201	Management: Principles & Concepts	3
INTB 205	International Business	3
	Global Diversity/Humanities Requirement ³	3
Hours		15
3rd Year		
Fall Semester		
ACCT 301	Cost Management and Control	3
ACCT 320	Accounting Systems and Internal Control	3
ACCT 321	Financial Reporting and Analysis I ⁴	3
MGMT 304	Business Statistics	3
SCM 330	Principles of Supply Chain and Operations Management	3
Hours		15
Spring Semester		
ACCT 322	Financial Reporting and Analysis II	3
ACCT 330	Contemporary Federal Taxation	3
FIN 301	Principles of Finance	3
MGMT 305	Business Analytics	3
Hours		12

4th Year

Fall Semester		
ACCT 420	Advanced Financial Reporting and Analysis	3
ACCT 424	Business Law	3
ACCT 431	Business Entity Taxation	3
ACCT 440	Assurance Services and Professional Responsibilities	3
ACCT 450	Advanced Applied Analytics & Decision Analysis	3
	Accounting Elective 1 ⁵	3
Hours		18
Spring Semester		
MGMT 490	Strategic Management	3
	Integrated and Applied Learning Requirement	3
	Accounting Elective 2 ⁵	3
	Accounting Elective 3 ⁵	3
	Free Elective ⁶	4
Hours		16
Total Hours		122-124

⁴ Must have a C or higher in this course.

⁵ Students may choose their electives from the following list (9 credits total):

- ACCT 454 Information Systems Security (3 credits)
- ACCT 408 International Financial Reporting & Analysis (3 credits)
- ACCT 441 Information Systems Audit & Control (3 credits)
- ACCT 460 Advanced Managerial Accounting (3 credits)
- ACCT 470 Governmental Accounting (3 credits)
- ACCT 490 Special Topics in Accounting (3 credits)
- ACCT 405 Experiential Learning in Accounting (3 credits)

⁶ Students may complete any course at the University of Akron to satisfy this requirement.