

Degree Pathway

A.S. in Business Administration - Catalog Year 2024-25

The number of credits you take each year will determine when you graduate. To graduate on time, you are strongly encouraged to enroll in at least 30 credits toward your degree during the calendar year, including fall and spring semesters and winter and summer sessions. This Degree Pathway is designed for students who place into **developmental English and math**. Additional Degree Pathways are available for students who start at other levels. Please see the degree website or your advisor for more information.

Courses in **Bold Text** are prerequisites for later courses and should be taken where indicated in the sequence.

Fall Semester #1

Courses	Credits	Prerequisites and Corequisites ¹
ENGL-101 English Composition I (ALP section) (Required Core 1A - English Composition)	3	Pre/corequisite: Must satisfy developmental requirement in English or be co-enrolled in ENGL-99
ENGL-99 Developing Competence in College Reading, Writing, & Study Skills	0 (4 eq.)	Corequisite: ENGL-101
MA-114 College Algebra and Trigonometry for Technical Students OR MA-119 College Algebra and MA-121 Elementary Trigonometry²	4	Corequisite for MA-114: MA-114ALP Corequisite for MA-119: MA-10ALP
MA-114 ALP College Algebra and Trigonometry for Technical Students OR MA-10 ALP Elementary Algebra	0 (3 eq.)	Corequisite for MA-114ALP: MA-114 Corequisite for MA-10ALP: MA-119
Total credits for semester	7 + 7 eq.	

Spring Semester #1

Courses	Credits	Prerequisites and Corequisites ¹
ENGL-102 English Composition II (Required Core 1A: English Composition)	3	Prerequisite: ENGL-101
BU-101 Principles of Accounting I	4	None
BU-201 Business Organization and Management	3	None
CIS-205 Introduction to Information Systems and Technologies	3	None
One course from Flexible Core 2A, 2B, 2C, 2D, or 2E^{3,4}	3	Check individual courses for prerequisites and corequisites
Total credits for semester	16	

Summer Session

Courses	Credits	Prerequisites and Corequisites ¹
One course from Required Core 1C: Life & Physical Sciences	3-4	Check individual courses for prerequisites and corequisites
Science Laboratory course ⁵	0-1	Corequisite: 3-credit Science course in Required Core 1C
One course from Flexible Core 2A, 2B, 2C, 2D, or 2E ^{3,4}	3	Check individual courses for prerequisites and corequisites
Total credits for session	7	

Fall Semester #2

Courses	Credits	Prerequisites and Corequisites ¹
MA-128 Calculus for Technical and Business Students OR MA-440 Pre-Calculus Mathematics ²	4	Prerequisite(s): MA-119 and MA-121 (C or better), MA-114 (C or better), or placement
BU-102 Principles of Accounting II	4	Prerequisite: BU-101 with grade of C- or better
ECON-101 Introduction to Macroeconomics OR ECON-102 Introduction to Microeconomics	3	Prerequisite: Complete developmental requirements in English or co-register for ENGL-101 and ENGL-99
One course from Flexible Core 2A, 2B, 2C, 2D, or 2E ^{3,4}	3	Check individual courses for prerequisites and corequisites
Total credits for semester	14	

Spring Semester #2

Courses	Credits	Prerequisites and Corequisites ¹
BU-203 Principles of Statistics	3	Prerequisite: MA-114, MA-119, or MA-321
BU-301 Business Law ⁶	3	Prerequisite: Complete developmental requirements in English
Three courses from Flexible Core 2A, 2B, 2C, 2D, or 2E ^{3,4}	9	Check individual courses for prerequisites and corequisites
Free elective ²	1	
Total credits for semester	16	
Total credits for A.S. Degree in Business Administration	60	

Notes:

- Prerequisites for a course must be passed before taking the course. Corequisites must be passed before taking the course or taken in the same term as the course.
- Students who place out of MA-114/MA-119 may take MA-128 or 440 to satisfy Required Core 1B. Students who take MA-440 as Required Core 1B will take MA-441 as Requirement for Major. Students who take MA-128 or MA-441 as Required Core 1B, will take BU-401 or BU-701 as a requirement for the major. Students taking BU-401 or BU-701 may need one additional credit hour to reach 60 credits.
- Students must complete one course from each of the Flexible Core categories (2A, 2B, 2C, 2D, and 2E) and one additional course from any one of the categories.
- Students planning to transfer to Baruch College are strongly recommended to take SP-217 and both ECON-101 and ECON-102. Please see information about the [Baruch Business Academy](#) for more information.**
- This course is not required for students who take a 4-credit STEM variant course in Required Core 1C.
- Sections of this course designated "WI" in the course schedule may be taken as one of the two writing intensive courses required for graduation.

All students must complete two (2) WI designated classes to fulfill degree requirements.