

**BACHELOR of SCIENCE in ACCOUNTING (#602)**

Department of Accounting  
 Gordon Ford College of Business  
 Western Kentucky University

The suggested program of study shown below should be used in consultation with your advisor(s).  
 Every student will finish with a unique plan of his/her own depending on the electives selected.

**Sample - Four Year Plan**

Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
BA 170, Business Student Basics	1	ACCT 200, Introductory Accounting – Financial	3
CIS 141, Basic Computer Literacy	3	Arts & Humanities (E-AH)	3
ECON 202, Principles of Economics – Micro (E-SB)	3	COMM 145, Fund Speaking (F-OC)	3
ENG 100, Introduction to College Writing (F-W1)	3	ECON 203, Principles of Economics – Macro (E-SB)	3
MATH 123, Mathematical Apps for Business (F-QR)	3	HIST 101 <b>OR</b> 102, World History I <b>OR</b> II (F-SB)	3
General University Elective	2		
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>

Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
ACCT 201, Introductory Accounting – Managerial	3	ACCT 301, Intermediate Financial Accounting II	3
ACCT 300, Intermediate Financial Accounting I	3	ACCT 310, Managerial Cost Accounting	3
CIS 243, Principles of MIS	3	ECON 206, Statistics	3
Literary Studies (F-AH)	3	MGT 200, Legal Environment of Business	3
MGT 210, Organization and Management	3	Natural & Physical Sciences with lab (E-SL)	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>

For more details and courses offered in the **Colonnade General Education** program visit the <https://www.wku.edu/colonnade/>.

Language Proficiency of novice-high before completing 60 credit hours is required (or completion of 2<sup>nd</sup> level of a language). Two credits (or equivalent) of a single world language in High School satisfies this WKU requirement.

**Admission to the Major** – To gain admission to the Accounting major students must have 60 earned hours with a minimum 2.5 overall GPA. They must also complete the eight admission courses (ACCT 200, ACCT 201; CIS 141; COMM 145; ECON 202, ECON 203, ECON 206; MATH 123 (or higher)) with a separately calculated 2.5 GPA.

Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
ACCT 303, Intermediate Financial Accounting III	3	ACCT 430, Federal Taxation-Individuals	3
ACCT 312, Accounting Information Systems	3	ACCT Elective (401, 420)	3
FIN 330, Principles of Financial Management	3	MGT 313, Decision Modeling <b>OR</b> ECON 306, Stat Analysis <b>OR</b> ECON 307, Financial Data Modeling	3
MKT 220, Basic Marketing Concepts	3	MGT 314, Operations Management	3
Natural & Physical Sciences (E-NS)	3	Writing in the Disciplines (F-W2)	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>

Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
ACCT Elective (401, 420, 431)	3	ACCT 450, Auditing and Assurance Services	3
Connections <sup>1</sup> (K-SC or K-LG or K-SY)	3	ACCT or Professional Elective	3
Connections <sup>2</sup> (K-SC or K-LG or K-SY)	3	ACCT 499, Senior Assessment	1
General University Elective	3	Connections <sup>3</sup> (K-SC or K-LG or K-SY)	3
General University Elective	3	General University Elective	2
		MGT 498, Strategy & Policy	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Total Credit Hours: 120</b>			

Students must maintain a “C” or better in ACCT 300, 301, 303, 310, 312, and other upper-division courses that are prerequisites.

Superscript numbers after the word Connections indicates that there are three Connections requirements and that the semester taken is interchangeable.

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