

BUSINESS, AA

Program Code: Business-AA

This program can be completed 100% online.

We are now offering the Business FastTrack Program (<https://www.tmcc.edu/business/disciplines/business-fasttrack/>) for the Business Associate of Arts Degree in a one-year or two-year format that offers all of the required courses in five-week blocks, entirely online.

Program Description

The Associate of Arts, Business is designed for students who are interested in graduating from TMCC and pursuing a bachelor's degree in business at a four-year accredited institution. This degree is the result of a cooperative effort with NSHE to allow students to freely transfer more business units than previously offered through the Associate of Applied Science degree. Since this emphasis is part of a 2+2 program, students receiving this degree will be eligible for transfer to upper division status in UNR's College of Business. Within the program, students will explore a wide variety of opportunities in various business fields. The solid background in economics, statistics, and accounting is designed to provide skills required to pursue advanced degrees in any business major. In addition to the completion of the AA business emphasis, students must also have a minimum overall grade point average of 2.0 to be admitted directly into a major in UNR's College of Business.

Business Career Map (<https://sites.tmcc.edu/flipbook/career-maps/>)

Recommended Course Schedule

1st semester		Units
COM 113	Fundamentals of Speech Communications	3
ENG 101 or ENG 100 or ENG 113	Composition I or Composition Enhanced or Composition I for International and Multilingual Students	3
Social Science ⁴		3
IS 101	Introduction to Information Systems	3
MATH 124	College Algebra (or MATH 126 or Transferrable Elective)	3
Semester Total		15
2nd semester		
Social Science ⁴		3
ECON 102	Principles of Microeconomics	3
ENG 102 or ENG 114	Composition II (English) or Composition II For International and Multilingual Students	3
MATH 176	Introductory Calculus for Business and Social Sciences	3
Diversity/Fine Arts ⁴		3
Semester Total		15
3rd semester		
ACC 201	Financial Accounting	3
ECON 103	Principles of Macroeconomics	3

ECON 261	Principles of Statistics I	3
Humanities ⁴		3
Science ³		3
Semester Total		15
4th semester		
ACC 202	Managerial Accounting	3
U.S. and Nevada Constitutions ⁴		3
ECON 262	Principles of Statistics II	3
Science ³		3
MKT 210	Marketing Principles	3
Semester Total		15
Total Units		60

³ See approved General Education list for the AA/AS Degree. (<https://catalog.tmcc.edu/degrees-certificates/general-education/aa-as/>)

⁴ See program recommendations or requirements.

Program Requirements

Associate of Arts degrees are designed for students who plan to transfer to a four-year college or university.

To earn an AA degree, students must:

1. Maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 (see requirements for graduation.)
2. Complete a minimum of 15 units within the college.
3. Satisfy General Education requirements for the AA (<https://catalog.tmcc.edu/degrees-certificates/general-education/aa-as/>).
4. Have no financial or library obligation to the college.

Code	Title	Units
General Education Requirements		
<i>English</i>		3-6
Must include ENG 102 or ENG 114 ¹		
<i>Fine Arts</i>		3
Recommended:		
THTR 210	Theatre: a Cultural Context (satisfies Diversity)	
<i>Humanities</i>		3
Recommended:		
CH 201 or CH 202	Ancient and Medieval Cultures The Modern World	
<i>Mathematics</i>		3
Required:		
MATH 176	Introductory Calculus for Business and Social Sciences (or equivalent)	
<i>Science</i>		6
Lab required. See transfer requirements.		
<i>Social Science</i>		3
Recommended:		
ANTH 101	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	
PSC 211	Introduction to Comparative Politics	
PSC 231	Introduction to International Relations	

PSY 101	General Psychology	
SOC 101	Principles of Sociology	
Additional College Requirements		
Diversity ²		[3]
Foreign Language		0
U.S. and Nevada Constitutions ²		[3]
Recommended:		
CH 203	American Experiences and Constitutional Change	
or PSC 101	Introduction to American Politics	
Degree Requirements		
ACC 201	Financial Accounting	3
ACC 202	Managerial Accounting	3
COM 113	Fundamentals of Speech Communications	3
ECON 102	Principles of Microeconomics	3
ECON 103	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ECON 261	Principles of Statistics I	3
ECON 262	Principles of Statistics II	3
IS 101	Introduction to Information Systems	3
MKT 210	Marketing Principles	3
Elective Requirements		
Select 6 units of transferable electives.		6
Recommended as a pre-requisite to MATH 176		
MATH 124	College Algebra (Or MATH 126)	
Select one of the following Social Science courses:		3
ANTH 101	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	
PSC 211	Introduction to Comparative Politics	
PSC 231	Introduction to International Relations	
PSY 101	General Psychology	
SOC 101	Principles of Sociology	
Total Units		60

Speak with a TMCC Academic Advisor and consult with that institution. The transfer institution determines how TMCC courses will transfer. TMCC has agreements with the following institutions towards a bachelor's degree in the same or similar discipline.

- University of Nevada, Reno (<https://www.unr.edu/admissions/transfer/credits/transfer-agreements/>)

¹ If you place into ENG 102 or ENG 114, the additional 3 required units will become elective units.

² May also count toward degree requirements. Please consult with Academic Advisement.

Program Outcomes

Students completing the degree will:

PSLO1: Obtain the required knowledge and familiarity with the range of business disciplines including accounting, economics, statistics, and marketing.

PSLO2: Demonstrate understanding of and competency in applied skills, analytical skills, and interpersonal/group relation skills as they contribute to business professional skills.

Transfer Agreements

AA/AS degrees are designed for students who plan to transfer to a four-year college or university. General information about general transfer agreements can be found on the Academic Advisement website (<https://www.tmcc.edu/advisement/transfer-students/transfer-agreements/>). Students who intend to transfer to another college or university should