

ILLINOIS STATE UNIVERSITY
College of Business (Effective ISU's 20013-2014 catalog)
Associate in Science Degree

The following is a list of courses that satisfy the **Associate in Science Degree** requirements here at Sauk Valley Community College as well as the requirements for the College of Business at Illinois State University. Students transferring without the AS Degree may need to complete different general education courses.

GENERAL EDUCATION CORE CURRICULUM – 37-38 CREDITS

COMMUNICATIONS **9 CREDITS**

#ENG 101, #ENG 103, SPE 131 # Effective 6/99 a "C" or better is required

MATHEMATICS **3-4 CREDITS**

*MAT 221 OR *MAT 203 (or MAT 220 for Business Education Majors)

HUMANITIES AND FINE ARTS **9 CREDITS**

Select at least one course from *Humanities* and one course from *Fine Arts*.
 Only one course noted with the same letter subscript can be used for Humanities/Fine Arts credit.

Humanities

LAN 262A; ENG 160, 201, 203, 204, 212,
 215B, 225, 226, 227, 228, 230B; PHL 101,
 PHL 102, 103, +104; HUM 150, 210, 211

Fine Arts

ART +118, 119, 120, 121D, 120, 122D;
 MUS 150, 201; SPE 141; HUM 112,
 HUM 150, 210, 211

SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES **9 CREDITS**

*ECO 211 and *ECO 212

Select 1 course from one of the following disciplines (PSY 103 for Business Education majors).

Anthropology

SOC +115, +116

Human Geography

+GEO 122

Psychology

PSY 103, 200, 214, 251

Political Science

GOV 163, 164, 232c, 233c,
 GOV +261

Sociology

SOC 111, 112, 251

History

HIS 131, 132, +151, 221, 222,
 +255, +265

LIFE AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES **7-8 CREDITS**

Select one course from Life Sciences and one course from Physical Sciences.

One lab course is required (lab courses are in **bold type**).

Life Sciences

BIO **103**, 104, **105**, **108**

Physical Sciences

CHE 102, **103**, **105**; GSC **105**, 106, 115;
 PHY **175**, **201**, **211**

SVCC DEGREE REQUIREMENTS – 4 CREDITS

FIRST YEAR EXPERIENCE **1 CREDIT**

PSY 100 or FYE 101

PERSONAL HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENT **3 CREDITS**

CIS 109

MAJOR FIELD REQUIREMENTS/ELECTIVES – 21-23 CREDITS

*ACC 101, *ACC 102; #BUS 103, *BUS 214 or MAT 240, #BUS 222

Electives to total 64 credits (courses other than business recommended; MAT 220 recommended)

EDU 275 (Business Education Majors)

64 Total Credits

+Global Studies ISU Graduation Requirement – Choose one noted course

***Tool Courses for Admission to the College of Business – A grade of "C" or higher required.**

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IMPORTANT APPLICATION INFORMATION ON THE BACK!

**ILLINOIS STATE UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF BUSINESS**

Undergraduate majors include Accounting, Business Administration, Business Information Systems, Business Teacher Education, Finance, Insurance, International Business, Management, and Marketing

Students will experience the smoothest transition from SVCC to ISU's College of Business if they:

- ❖ Complete an **Associate of Science Degree**.
- ❖ Complete **ALL** tool courses (ACC 101, ACC 102, BUS 214 or MAT 240, ECO 211 & ECO 212, MAT 221 or MAT 203) with a minimum of a "C" grade.
- ❖ Complete **BUS 103 and BUS 222 with a minimum grade of C or better**.
- ❖ Show computer competency by completing CIS 109 or by passing an ISU administered competency exam
- ❖ Earn a **minimum cumulative GPA of 2.50**. *The cumulative grade-point average will be re-calculated upon transfer to ISU generally using all grades from all colleges and universities attended. However, for repeated courses, only the last repeated grade will be used for calculation for admission. Also, remedial course grades will not be used for admission purposes.*
- ❖ **Apply early** to enjoy the benefits of Transfer Day Advisement and early registration.

GENERAL RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that students complete two years in high school or one year in college of a single foreign language as a background for the increasingly global aspect of business.

Students should complete the economics sequence at SVCC. Micro and macroeconomics are combined into one course at ISU (ECO 105, Principles of Economics). Students who transfer without both courses completed with "C" or better will be required to take ECO 105 at ISU.

ACCOUNTING MAJORS

Students interested in enrolling in advanced Accounting classes must earn a **minimum grade of "C" and a 2.50 GPA (between all attempts) in the introductory Accounting classes (B/C grade combination)**. Due to the difficulty of Intermediate Accounting and Managerial Accounting classes, students should be cautioned from over estimating their preparedness based on their performance in Elementary Accounting I and II.

ISU offers five specialty areas in Accounting: AIS (Accounting Information Systems), BIS (Business Information Systems), Career Specialty Sequence, Financial Accounting, and a 3+2 program allowing students to receive an integrated Bachelors /Master of Professional Accountancy. Transfer students are eligible for the 3+2 as long as all general education, tool courses and College of Business admission requirements are completed prior to transfer.

CPA Examination Information: Candidates planning to sit for the Exam will need 150 hours of completed college credit, including at least a bachelor's degree. A master's degree or other advanced degree is not required. However, the 150 total hours must include an accounting concentration including specific courses, or equivalent as determined by the Illinois Board of Examiners.

+All students must complete **ONE** course in Global Studies to satisfy ISU graduation requirements.
See front page for course selection.

<p>Business Education Majors: This program prepares graduates for secondary teaching positions as well as optional K-12 special certificate. BTE students must have a minimum 2.5 CGPA at ISU for admission into the teacher education component of this program. Students will also need to complete the general education requirements for teacher's certification.</p>
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STUDENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR FINAL COURSE ARTICULATION. 07/14