

West Texas A&M University
Advising Services
Degree Checklist
2021-2022

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NAME: _____ WT ID: _____ DATE: _____

General Business
Department of Management, Marketing and General
Business - CC 220 651-2525

CORE CURRICULUM COURSES: 42 HOURS ♦		HRS
Communication (Core 10)		
See University Core Requirements below	(6)	
Mathematics (Core 20)		
See University Core Requirements below	(3)	
Life and Physical Sciences (Core 30)		
Take two courses from (extra lab hours move to Core 90): ♦		
ANSC 1319; BIOL 1406 or 1408, 1407* or 1409*, 1411, 1413; CHEM 1405* or 1411*, 1412*; ENVR 1407*; GEOL 1401 or 1403, 1402, 1404; PHYS 1401*, 1402*, 1411, 1471, 1412, 2425*, 2426*; PSES 1301, 1307	6	
Language, Philosophy and Culture (Core 40)		
ANTH 2351, ENGL 2321*, 2326*, 2331*, 2341*, 2343*; HIST 2311, 2323, 2372; MCOM 1307; PHIL 1301, 2374; SPAN 2311*, 2312***, 2313*, 2315*, 2371	3	Choose 1
Creative Arts (Core 50)		
ARTS 1301, 1303, 1304; DANC 2303; MUSI 1306, 1307 (for music majors), 1310; or THRE 1310	3	Choose 1
American History (Core 60)		
HIST 1301, 1302, 2301, 2381, 2382	6	Choose 2
Government/Political Science (Core 70)		
POSC 2305 and 2306	6	
Social and Behavioral Sciences (Core 80)		
See University Core Requirements below	(3)	
Component Area Option (Core 90)		
Take three hours from: ♦		
AGRI 2300; BIOL lab hours (from Core 30); BUSI 1304; CHEM lab hours (from Core 30); CIDM 1105, CIDM 1301 or 1315; CS 1301; ECON 2331; ENGL 1101, 1102, 1302*, 2311*; ENVR lab hour (from Core 30); GEOL lab hours (from Core 30); IDS 1071 (1-3 hours); extra MATH hours (from Core 20); MUSI 1053; PHIL 2303; PHYS lab hours (from Core 30); SES 1120	3	
GENERAL BUSINESS REQUIREMENTS: 87-88 HOURS		
A grade of "C" or better must be earned in all courses required for major.		
UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS: 18 HOURS ♦		
CORE 10 ENGL 1301 Introduction to Academic Writing and Argumentation	3	
CORE 10 COMM 1315, 1318, or 1321	3	
CORE 20 MATH 1324* Math for Business and Economics I (Preferred) or MATH 1314* College Algebra	3	
CORE 80 ECON 2301 Principles of Macroeconomics	3	
CORE 90** BUSI 1304, CIDM 1301 or 1315, or ECON 2331 or University Core 90 equivalent	3	
BBA CORE REQUIREMENTS: 39-40 HOURS		
ACCT 2301 Principles of Financial Accounting	3	
ACCT 2302* Principles of Managerial Accounting	3	
MATH 1325* Math for Business & Economics II OR MATH 2413* Calculus I	3-4	
CIDM 2342* Statistics for Business and Economics	3	
CIDM 3330* Management Information Systems	3	
ECON 2302 Principles of Microeconomics	3	
ADVANCED ECONOMICS ELECTIVE*	3	
FIN 3320* Business Finance	3	

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BUSI 3312* Business Law	3	
MGT 3330 Principles of Management	3	
MKT 3340 Principles of Marketing	3	
College of Business communication component		
Take one course from:		
ACCT 4373* Accounting Communications	3	
BUSI 1304 Business Communication		
BUSI 4333 Cross-Cultural Issues in Business Comm.		
BUSI 4350 Current Issues in Mgt. Communication		
BUSI 4375 Healthcare Comm. for the Bus. Environment		
BUSI/MGT 4380 Conflict Resolution and Negotiation		
BUSI 4382 Emerging Media Law		
BUSI/CIDM 3320 Digital Communications & Collaboration		
ECON 4370* Economics of Healthcare		
FIN 3350* Personal Financial Planning		
FIN 4320* Investments		
FIN 4321* Portfolio Management		
MGT 3335* Organizational Behavior		
MKT 3342 Consumer Behavior		
MGT 4315* Strategic Management and Policy	3	
GENERAL BUSINESS CORE REQUIREMENTS: 6 HOURS		
BUSI 3319* International Business OR MGT 4335* International Management OR MKT 4340* International Marketing	3	
MGT 4311* Business Ethics and Society OR FIN 4311* Corporate Governance and Ethics	3	
Major Area: 27 HOURS		
Take a total of 27 hours with at least 21 hours of upper level (3000-4000) courses. Maximum of 12 hours in a subject area.		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accounting (ACCT) • Business (BUSI) • Computer Information Systems (CIDM) • Economics (ECON) • Finance (FIN) • Management (MGT) • Marketing (MKT) 		
Students earning a General Business degree may only earn one minor from the College of Business.		
	27	
ELECTIVES: 5-6 HOURS ♦		
ELECTIVES	5-6	
MINIMUM HOURS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE DEGREE		120

♦ NOTE: The core curriculum must total **exactly 42 hours**; excess hours must be moved to the major as an elective or a major requirement and stay within the 120-hour requirement or approved total submitted to the Coordinating Board for degree requirements.

** Note: **only six hours are required for Core 90**; extra hours from 4-hour Core 30 courses (if taken) will count either towards Core 90 or as elective hours.

* Indicates prerequisites—see catalog for more information.

** Or an equivalent course (second year, second semester) in a foreign language.

NOTE: At least 36 hours of advanced work (3000- or 4000-level courses) for which tuition is paid must be earned at WTAMU. A maximum of six semester hours in religion (RELI) and six semester hours in physical education (PHED) courses can count toward a baccalaureate degree.

NOTE: This is NOT a degree plan. All undergraduate students must request an official degree plan from their academic dean's office by the time they have completed 30 credit hours.

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2021-2022 Curriculum Guide

Major: General Business

Major Code: 302

First Year	
Fall	Spring
CORE 10 - ENGL 1301 3	CORE 90 - See checklist for options 3
CORE 20 - MATH 1324 or 1314 3-4 <small>(see Note 1 below)</small>	MATH 1325* or 2413* 3-4
ECON 2301 3 <small>(required for Core 80)</small>	ECON 2302 3
CORE 10 - Take one course from: 3 COMM 1315, 1318, or 1321	CORE 60 - Take one course from: 3 HIST 1301, 1302, 2301, 2381, 2382
CORE 90 - Business course 3 <small>(see Note 2 below)</small>	CORE 70 3 POSC 2305 or 2306
Semester Hours 15-1	Semester Hours 15

Second Year	
Fall	Spring
ACCT 2301 3	ACCT 2302* 3
CIDM 2342* 3	MGT 3330 3
CORE 40 - See checklist for options 3	MKT 3340 3
CORE 60 - Take a 2nd course from: 3 HIST 1301, 1302, 2301, 2381, 2382	CIDM 3330* 3
CORE 70 3 POSC 2305 or 2306	FIN 3320* 3
Semester Hours 15	Semester Hours 15

Third Year	
Fall	Spring
General Business Course 3 <small>(see checklist for options)</small>	General Business Course 3 <small>(see checklist for options)</small>
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FIN 4311* or MGT 4311* 3	BUSI 3319* or MGT 4335* 3
Advanced Economics Elective* 3 <small>(3000- or 4000-level ECON course)</small>	BUSI 3312 3
CORE 30 - See checklist for options 3	CORE 30 - See checklist for options 3
Semester Hours 15	Semester Hours 15

Fourth Year	
Fall	Spring
General Business Course 3 <small>(see checklist for options)</small>	MGT 4315* 3 <small>(see Note 3 below)</small>
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General Business Course 3 <small>(see checklist for options)</small>	Elective 3
COB Communication Component 3 <small>(see checklist for options)</small>	Elective 3
CORE 50 - See checklist for options 3	Semester Hours 15
Semester Hours 15	Semester Hours 15

Degree Total Hours 120

DISCLAIMER: This curriculum guide should be used in conjunction with the corresponding degree checklist for general planning purposes only. The degree checklist (later a student's official degree plan) should be referred to as the comprehensive list of all courses required for the degree. An official degree plan is required after completing 30 hours. Students should always seek the advice of their academic adviser before scheduling classes.

Identified Marketable Skills:

- Problem identification and solving skills
- Communicate effectively in written and verbal formats
- Strong interpersonal skills that include: communication, listening, and leadership

Top 3 Local Employers or Industries/Professional Programs/Possible Career Opportunities

- Banking and financial industries
- Federal, State, or local government institutions
- Utility companies

Prerequisites/Important Sequences/Other degree Notes:

* Indicates prerequisites are required. See University catalog for more information.

Note 1 - Math progression: MATH 1324 (or 1314) to MATH 1325 (or 2413) to CIDM 2342.

Note 2 - Core 90: BUSI 1304, CIDM 1301, CIDM 1315, ECON 2331, or University Core 90 equivalent.

Note 3 - MGT 4315: Must be a current senior and have completed FIN 3320, MGT 3330, and MKT 3340.