



Business  
Associate of Arts  
100% Online

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2024-2025

Texas Southmost College  
Division of Arts and Sciences

The Associate of Arts Degree in Business can help a student qualify for certain jobs that require college hours or an associate degree. If a student is already working, this degree may increase the chance of obtaining a salary increase or promotion. This program is 100% online.

**Recommended Course Sequence**

FIRST YEAR – FALL SEMESTER	Credits	Suggested Semester/Year
ENGL 1301* Composition I	3	Fall/Year 1
MATH 1342* Elementary Statistics	3	Fall/Year 1
HIST 1301 United States History I OR HIST 2327 <sup>§</sup> Mexican American History I	3	Fall/Year 1
XXXX X3XX <sup>‡</sup> Component Area Option Elective	3	Fall/Year 1
BCIS 1305 Business Computer Applications	3	Fall/Year 1
FIRST YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER	Credits	Core/Program
ENGL 1302 Composition II	3	Spring/Year 1
HIST 1302 United States History II OR HIST 2328 <sup>§</sup> Mexican American History II	3	Spring/Year 1
XXXX X3XX <sup>‡</sup> Life and Physical Sciences Elective	3	Spring/Year 1
BUSI 1301 Business Principles	3	Spring/Year 1
XXXX X3XX <sup>‡</sup> Creative Arts Elective	3	Spring/Year 1
SECOND YEAR – FALL SEMESTER	Credits	Core/Program
XXXX X3XX <sup>‡</sup> Language, Philosophy & Culture Elective	3	Fall/Year 2
GOVT 2305 Federal Government	3	Fall/Year 2
XXXX X3XX <sup>‡</sup> Life and Physical Sciences Elective	3	Fall/Year 2
ECON 2301 Principles of Macroeconomics	3	Fall/Year 2
ACCT 2301 Principles of Financial Accounting	3	Fall/Year 2
SECOND YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER	Credits	Core/Program
XXXX X3XX <sup>‡</sup> Component Area Option Elective	3	Spring/Year 2
GOVT 2306 Texas Government	3	Spring/Year 2
MATH 1324 Mathematics for Business and Social Sciences I	3	Spring/Year 2
ECON 2302 Principles of Microeconomics	3	Spring/Year 2
ACCT 2302 Principles of Managerial Accounting	3	Spring/Year 2
<b>Total Credit Hours for Graduation</b>	<b>60</b>	

Check course core designation at the [Class Availability website](#).

\*Grade of "C" or better is required for graduation.

†Courses must be taken in the order offered.

‡Students may take any course within this category of the TSC General Education Core Curriculum.

§Courses must be taken in sequence: United History I and United History II or Mexican American History I and Mexican American History II.

**Program Student Learning Outcomes**

Program Student Learning Outcomes (PSLO) are statements that specify what students will know, be able to do or be able to demonstrate when they have completed the program.

1. Student will be able to apply basic general business knowledge in hypothetical business scenarios.
2. Student will be able to explain basic economic concepts.
3. Student will be able to use business-related information systems with proficiency.
4. Student will be able to explain the roles and functions of an accounting and finance system as relates to business.
5. Student will be able to explain the basic principles of law as they apply to business and to business transactions.