

Technical Studies Program A.A.S. Degree

Business Management Option

This career program is designed for students with prior work experience and apprenticeship training to earn an Associate's degree and pursue a business career related to their technical expertise. Students may be granted up to 25 college credits from training programs approved by the American Council on Education. Students complete course work that provides management training for employment opportunities in business or in establishing their own business.

Graduates of this program will be able to:

- ▶ Analyze business situations and develop effective plans for achievement of goals
- ▶ Utilize appropriate technology to solve business-related problems
- ▶ Make decisions that reflect an understanding of how political-legal, competitive, technological, economic and social issues influence business
- ▶ Communicate an understanding of business principles in written and oral form
- ▶ Demonstrate effective team/interpersonal skills

Requirements

General Education – 20 credits as described on page 50.

Technical Core – A maximum of 25 credits (if student does not have 25 technical credits, the remaining credits can be elective credits approved by assigned counselor or can be completed through the apprenticeship program while also taking Brookdale courses) from the following:

Apprenticeship Training	
Military Training	
Trade/Proprietary Education	25

Career Studies – 18 credits as follows:

BUSI 105	Introduction to Business	3
BUSI 165	Computer Applications in Business	3
BUSI 205	Principles of Management	3
BUSI 206**	Supervisory Management	3
BUSI 231*	Human Resource Management	3
BUSI 241**	Small Business Management	3

Total Credits for Degree 63

*Offered Fall term only

**Offered Spring term only

Degree Audit

Your progress toward your degree is available through WebAdvisor. Refer to page 23 for details.

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Suggested Sequence – Technical Studies A.A.S. Degree Business Management Option

The following sequence is an example of how this degree can be completed in two years. This sequence is based on satisfaction of all Basic Skills requirements and prerequisites and presumes a Fall Term start date. An individual's program may vary depending on transfer institution, career objectives, or individual needs. See your counselor for other options and to monitor your progress.

Course Code	Credits	Course Code	Credits
SEMESTER 1 – Fall Term		SEMESTER 2 – Spring Term	
ENGL 121	3	Communications	3
General Education ⁽¹⁾	3	BUSI 165	3
BUSI 105	3	Mathematics or Science or Technological or Info Literacy	3-4
Technical Core	<u>6</u>	Technical Core	<u>7</u>
	15		16-17
SEMESTER 3 – Fall Term		SEMESTER 4 – Spring Term	
Humanities	3	BUSI 206**	3
BUSI 205	3	BUSI 241**	3
BUSI 231*	3	General Education	2-3
Social Sciences	3	Technical Core	6
Technical Core	<u>6</u>		14-15
	18		

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⁽¹⁾ One course is recommended from the Cultural & Global Awareness knowledge area.