



2009-2010 PETITION/PROGRAM SHEET
Degree: Bachelor of Business Administration
Major: Business Administration
Concentration: Finance
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About This Major . . .

The Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) is designed to prepare students for the challenges of today's organizations, as well as, the business world of tomorrow. The program provides students with the knowledge, skills and abilities to compete in both the local and global business environments. Additionally, the program allows for an emphasis in a specialized area such as management, marketing, finance, economics, entrepreneurship, energy management or travel and tourism.

The BBA degree can be applied in various fields such as medicine, the arts, sports, and education. In addition to positions in corporate America, nonprofit organizations like hospitals, school systems, and theaters also require people with business training and skills. Graduates of BBA programs hold positions in organizations from entry level manager to chief executive officer. Mesa State's BBA graduates are entrepreneurs, small business owners, bank vice-presidents, product managers in advertising firms, and project and operations managers in manufacturing organizations.

The BBA is a very versatile, flexible and valuable degree. Mesa State BBA graduates have gone on to succeed in the business world as well as earn advanced degrees in business such as the Master of Business Administration – one of the most sought after degrees by employers in today's job market.

POLICIES:

1. Demonstrated competency in personal computer skills and computer literacy required. See Department of Business for details.
2. It is your responsibility to determine whether you have met the requirements for your degree. Please see your MSC Catalog for a complete list of graduation requirements.
3. You must go to the Registrar's Office and fill out the "Intent to Graduate" form **at the beginning of the semester prior to graduating.**
4. This program sheet must be submitted with your graduation planning sheet to your advisor during the **semester prior to graduating, no later than September 15 for Spring graduates, February 15 for Fall graduates.**
5. Your advisor will sign and forward the Program Sheet, Intent to Graduate Form, and Graduation Planning Sheet to the Department Head for signature.
6. Finally, the Department Head or the department administrative assistant will take the signed forms to the Registrar's Office. (Students cannot handle the forms once the advisor signs.)
7. If your petition for graduation is denied, it will be your responsibility to reapply for graduation in a subsequent semester. Your "Intent to Graduate" does not automatically move to a later graduation date.
8. NOTE: The semester before graduation, you will be required to take a Major Field Achievement Test (Exit Exam).

NAME: _____ **STUDENT ID #** _____

LOCAL ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER: _____

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I, (Signature) _____, hereby certify that I have completed (or will complete) all the courses listed on the Program Sheet. I further certify that the grade listed for those courses is the final course grade received except for the courses in which I am currently enrolled and the courses which I complete next semester. I have indicated the semester in which I will complete these courses.

Signature of Advisor

Date

Signature of Department Head

Date

Signature of Registrar

Date

Students should work closely with a faculty advisor when selecting and scheduling courses prior to registration.

Degree Requirements:

- Must earn 120 semester hours total and meet the academic residency requirements to earn a baccalaureate degree at Mesa State College.
- 40 upper division credits (i.e., 300-level and 400-level courses).
- 2.00 cumulative GPA or higher in all MSC coursework
- 2.00 cumulative GPA or higher in coursework toward the major content area
- Pre-collegiate courses (usually numbered below 100) cannot be used for graduation.
- A student must follow the MSC graduation requirements either from 1) the program sheet for the major in effect at the time the student officially declares a major; or 2) a program sheet for the major approved for a year subsequent to the year during which the student officially declares the major and is approved for the student by the department head. Because a program may have requirements specific to the degree, the student should check with the faculty advisor for additional criteria. It is the student's responsibility to be aware of, and follow, all requirements for the degree being pursued. Any exceptions or substitutions must be approved by the student's faculty advisor and Department Head.
- When filling out the program sheet a course can be used only once.
- See the "Undergraduate Graduation Requirements" in the Mesa State College catalog for additional graduation information.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (31 semester hours)

See the current Mesa State College catalog for a list of courses that fulfill the requirements below. If a course is on the general education list of options and a requirement for your major, you must use it to fulfill the major requirement and make a different selection within the general education requirement.

Course	No	Title	Sem.hrs	Grade	Term/Trns
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English (6 semester hours, must receive a grade of "C" or better and must be completed by the time the student has 60 semester hours.)

ENGL 111	English Composition	3			
ENGL 112	English Composition	3			

Math: MATH 121 or higher (3 semester hours, must receive a grade of "C" or better, must be completed by the time the student has 60 semester hours.)

*MATH 121	Calculus for Business				
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Humanities (3 semester hours)

Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 semester hours)

ECON 201	Principles of Macroeconomics	3			
ECON 202	Principles of Microeconomics	3			

Natural Sciences (7 semester hours, one course must include a lab)

History (3 semester hours)

HIST					
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Fine Arts (3 semester hours)

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OTHER LOWER DIVISION REQUIREMENTS (6 semester hours)

Kinesiology (3 semester hours)

KINE 100	Health and Wellness	1			
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Applied Studies (3 semester hours)

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DISTINCTION REQUIREMENTS (6 semester hours) Must receive a grade of "C" or better.

STAT 200	Probability and Statistics	3			
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Humanities or Social/Behavioral Sciences: (3 semester hours)

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BBA MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (59 semester hours)

Business Administration Core (29 semester hours)

ACCT 201	Principles of Financial Accounting	3			
ACCT 202	Principles of Managerial Accounting	3			
BUGB 105	Freshman Business Seminar	2			
BUGB 211	Business Communications	3			
BUGB 349	Legal Environment of Business	3			
*CISB 210	Fundamentals of Info Technology	3			
FINA 301	Managerial Finance	3			
MANG 201	Principles of Management	3			
MANG 491	Business Strategy	3			
MARK 231	Principles of Marketing	3			

* May require additional prerequisites beyond those listed

Required Concentration Courses (30 Semester Hours)

ECON 310	Money and Banking	3			
FINA 320	Fundamentals of Investments	3			
FINA 420	Security Analysis and Portfolio Management	3			
FINA 451	Financial Management: Theory and Applications	3			
MANG 341	Quantitative Decision Making	3			

OR

CISB 341	Quantitative Decision Making	3			
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CHOOSE 1 FROM

FINA 431	International Financial Management	3			
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OR

ECON 420	International Economics	3			
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Four courses (12 semester hours minimum) selected from list on pg 3.

Electives (All college level courses appearing on your final transcript, **not listed above** that will bring your total semester hours to 120 hours.) (18 semester hours; 1 hour must be upper division.)

REQUIRED CONCENTRATION COURSE ELECTIVES: (Choose four)

ECON 342 Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory (3)

ACCT 311 Advanced Managerial Accounting (3)

ECON 343 Intermediate Microeconomic Theory (3)

MANG 499. Internship (3-6)

ACCT 321 Intermediate Accounting I (3)

Special requirements: To be admitted to the Business Finance concentration, certain prerequisites must be satisfied. Please see the Business department head for complete requirements and application form. All degree requirements must be completed as described above. Any exceptions or substitutions must be recommended in advance by the faculty advisor and approved by the Department Head. Students are required to participate in exit examinations or other programs deemed necessary to comply with the college accountability requirement.

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCING FOR BBA, CONCENTRATION IN FINANCE**FRESHMAN YEAR**

Fall Semester		Hours	Spring Semester		Hours
BUGB 105	Freshman Business Seminar	2	ENGL 112	English Composition	3
ENGL 111	English Composition	3	STAT 200	Probability and Statistics	3
General Education History		3	CISB 210	Fundamentals of Information Technology	3
MATH 121	Calculus for Business	3	General Education Natural Science with Lab		4
General Education Fine Arts		3	KINE 100	Health and Wellness	1
KINA Activity		<u>1</u>	KINA Activity		<u>1</u>
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SOPHOMORE YEAR

Fall Semester		Hours	Spring Semester		Hours
ACCT 201	Principles of Financial Accounting	3	ACCT 202	Principles of Managerial Accounting	3
ECON 201	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	ECON 202	Principles of Microeconomics	3
MARK 231	Principles of Marketing	3	MANG 201	Principles of Management	3
BUGB 211	Business Communications	3	Elective		3
General Education Humanities or Social/Behavioral Science		<u>3</u>	General Education Humanities		<u>3</u>
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JUNIOR YEAR

Fall Semester		Hours	Spring Semester		Hours
BUGB 349	Legal Environment of Business	3	MANG 331 or CISB 341 Quantitative Decision Making		3
Elective		3	Elective – Concentration Course		3
FINA 301	Managerial Finance	3	Elective		3
General Education Applied Studies		3	Elective		3
General Education Natural Science		<u>3</u>	Elective		<u>2</u>
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SENIOR YEAR

Fall Semester		Hours	Spring Semester		Hours
ECON 310	Money and Banking	3	FINA 451	Financial Mgmt: Theory & Applications	3
FINA 320	Fundamentals of Investments	3	FINA 420	Security Analysis & Portfolio Mgmt.	3
Elective – Concentration Courses (2 courses)		6	MANG 491	Business Strategy	<u>3</u>
Elective—Upper Division		1	Elective – Business Concentration Course		3
FINA 431	International Financial Management OR		Elective		<u>3</u>
ECON 420	International Economics	<u>3</u>			15
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