

ASSOCIATE IN BUSINESS

This is the Associate in Business DTA / MRP program map for the Business & Management Area of Study. This map is intended as a general guide. Please work with your academic advisor regarding your specific goals and transfer requirements. If you are not eligible yet for college level Math or English courses, please consult your advisor for changes in your progression through this pathway.

Order	Category	Course	Credits
FALL YR 1			
1	Elective	BUSI 101: Intro to Business	5
2	Communication Skills	ENGL& 101: Composition I	5
3	Natural Science with lab	Any physical, biological and/or earth science with a lab	5
WINTER YR 1			
4	Communication Skills	ENGL& 102: Composition II	5
5	Social Science	PSYC& 100: Intro to Psychology	5
6	Business	BUS 201: Business Law	5
SPRING YR I			
7	Natural Science	C SC 100: Introduction to Computers/Computer Science	5
8	Natural Science	MATH 146: Statistics	5
9	Humanities	CMST& 210: Interpersonal Communication	5
FALL YR 2			
10	Quantitative Reasoning	MATH 111: Finite Math	5
11	Business	ACCT 201: Principles of Accounting I	5
12	Social Science	ECON& 201: Microeconomics	5
WINTER YR 2			
13	Quantitative Reasoning	MATH 148: Business Calculus	5
14	Business	ACCT 202: Principles of Accounting II	5
15	Humanities	CMST& 220: Public Speaking	5
SPRING YR 2			
16	Humanities	PHIL 130: Ethics	5
17	Social Science	ECON 202: Macroeconomics	5
18	Business	ACCT 203: Principles of Accounting III	5
			Total credits required: 90

Business & Management

Area of Study Outcomes

Communication Competencies

- Demonstrate ability to communicate effectively utilizing the language, tools, concepts, and models applicable to business and/or management disciplines.
- Exhibit an ability to communicate business and/or management concepts to diverse audiences through visual presentation.
- Display professional written and oral communication skills as a team member.
- Apply effective written and oral communication skills as a team leader.

Quantitative Reasoning

- Develop and evaluate options to problems using quantitative analysis and decision making skills.
- Devise solutions based on the outcomes of the quantitative data analyses.

Information Competencies

- Identify relevant information to develop, evaluate options, and implement solutions.
- Recognize the relative costs and benefits of potential actions.
- Research and demonstrate proficiency in assessing and selecting information technology.
- Demonstrate proper citations from reference information.
- Evaluate the credibility and authenticity of research information.

Critical Thinking

- Identify complex problems and review relevant information.
- Exhibit critical thinking using logic and reasoning to identify the strengths and weaknesses of alternative solutions, conclusions, or approaches to problems.
- Demonstrate judgment and decision making skills to assess the relative costs and benefits of potential actions to select the appropriate solution.
- Analyze key legal principles that apply in organizational transactions.
- Demonstrate an understanding of legal risk management.

Personal and Interpersonal Competencies

- Interact collaboratively and engage respectfully with team members to successfully achieve team goals.
- Demonstrate an understanding of management and/or team member roles.
- Exhibit effective interpersonal skills.
- Formulate and articulate a code for ethical behavior.

Career Pathways

By earning a degree or certificate in the area of Business & Management you'll be on your way to any of the following career opportunities listed below:

- Accountant
- Administrative office specialist
- Event planner
- Executive assistant

- Financial analyst
- General manager
- Hotel/lodging manager
- Human resource manager
- Marketing specialist
- Office assistant
- Operations supervisor
- Project manager

Program Notes

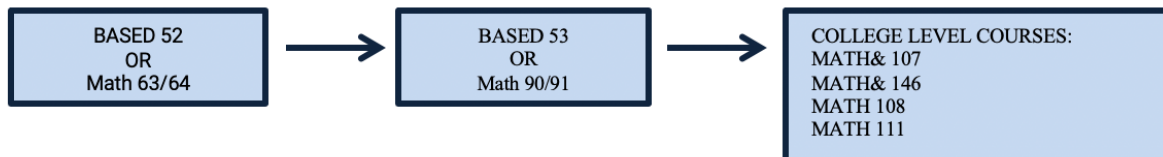
Please note that many universities require a foreign language and intermediate algebra (Math 98 at PC) as admissions criteria. Select from two subject areas to fulfill Natural Sciences and Humanities Distribution requirements. Please refer to the AB degree guide for additional information.

A Passion for a Unique Educational Opportunity

Our Honors program is for highly motivated students who seek to be engaged in an intensive learning process where they make connections among ideas while developing critical thinking skills as they pursue an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree. Students discover their intellectual interests, and the gateway to a culminating capstone experience. This distinct Honors Program leads to sustained academic success after transfer, and lifelong success after college. Contact Barbara Blackie, Honors Program Coordinator, at bblackie@pencol.edu for more information.

Math Information

If you are not ready for college level Math, please contact your advisor about adjusting your course sequence as needed. See below for Math sequence for this pathway (Note: Math 107 is the math course for this pathway):



Please note, if you change your pathway from an Associates of Arts to an Associates of Science or to a Professional Technical pathway, the Math pathway will change also.

English Composition Information

If you are not ready for college level English courses, please contact your advisor about adjusting your course sequence as needed. See below for English pathway options:

