

Accounting: B.S./M.S. Five Year Plan

Recommended Graduation Plan (Fall 2026)

This recommended graduation plan is designed to provide a blueprint for students to complete their B.S. in Accounting on time while beginning to take graduate courses their senior year, and **completing their M.S. in Accounting in the fifth year**. These plans are the recommended sequences of courses. Students must meet with their Academic Advisor to develop a more individualized plan to complete their degree.

NOTE: This recommended Graduation Plan is applicable to students admitted into the major during the 2026-2027 academic year.

| CRWT Placement |
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| CRWT 101 to CRWT 102 |
| CRWT 101S to CRWT 102S |

| Math Placement |
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| MATH 021/022 to MATH 108-121 |

NOTE: CRWT and MATH courses are determined by placement testing and should be taken following the sequence above.

| First Year | | | | | |
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| Fall Semester | HRS | ✓ | Spring Semester | HRS | ✓ |
| Gen Ed: INTD 101-First Year Seminar | 4 | | General Education Requirement | 4 | |
| Gen Ed: CRWT 102-Critical Reading & Writing II | 4 | | General Education Requirement | 4 | |
| General Education Requirement | 4 | | ASB: ECON 101-Microeconomics OR ECON-102 Intro. to Macroeconomics | 4 | |
| Gen Ed: Quantitative Reasoning (MATH 108, 110 or 121 required for ASB majors; MATH 108 is highly recommended) | 4 | | ASB: INFO-224 Principles of Information Technology | 4 | |
| | | | Career Pathways Module 1: PATH 001 Self-Assessment | Degree Rqmt. | |
| Total: | 16 | | Total: | 16 | |

| Second Year | | | | | |
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| Fall Semester | HRS | ✓ | Spring Semester | HRS | ✓ |
| General Education Requirement | 4 | | General Education Requirement | 4 | |
| ASB: MKTG-290 Marketing Principles & Practices | 4 | | ASB: BADM 223 Business Law I | 4 | |
| ASB: ACCT-221 Principles of Financial Accounting | 4 | | ASB: ACCT-222 Principles of Managerial Accounting | 4 | |
| ASB: ECON 101-Microeconomics OR ECON-102 Intro. to Macroeconomics | 4 | | ASB: BADM-225 Management Statistics | 4 | |
| Career Pathways Module 2: PATH 002 Self-Assessment | Degree Rqmt. | | Career Pathways Module 3: PATH 003 Self-Assessment | Degree Rqmt. | |
| BADM-120 Excel Expert Certification Prep | 2 | | | | |
| Total: | 18 | | Total: | 16 | |

| Third Year | | | | | |
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| Fall Semester | HRS | ✓ | Spring Semester | HRS | ✓ |
| Major: ACCT-321 Intermediate Accounting I | 4 | | Major: ACCT-322 Intermed. Accounting II | 4 | |
| Major: ACCT-329 Federal Tax I | 4 | | Major: ACCT-332 Federal Tax II | 4 | |
| General Education Requirement | 4 | | General Education Requirement | 4 | |
| ASB: MGMT-302 Managing Organizational Behavior | 4 | | ASB: FINC-301 Corporate Finance I | 4 | |

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| Total: | 16 | Total: | 16 |
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| Fourth Year | | | | | |
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| Fall Semester | HRS | ✓ | Spring Semester | HRS | ✓ |
| Major: ACCT-411 Cost Accounting | 4 | | MSAC: ACCT-502 Government or Not-for-Profit Accounting*** (For 4+1 majors who completed BADM 301) | 3 | |
| Major: ACCT-421 Auditing | 4 | | Major: ACCT-423 Advanced Financial Accounting | 4 | |
| ASB: International Category | 4 | | ASB: BADM 495-Strategic Management | 4 | |
| ASB: MGMT-370 Operations Management | 4 | | MSAC: BADM- 501 Data Analytics*** | 3 | |
| Total: | 16 | | Total: | 14/15 | |

Total Credits Required: 128 credits

Required GPA for Graduation: 2.0 (overall **and** in the major)

General Education courses can be done in any order with the exception of INTD 101, CRWT and MATH. Those three general education courses will need to be done first. First Year Seminar is taken in the first semester. Failure to complete CRWT and MATH will result in a hold when the student hits 64 credits. The following general education courses can be done in any order. For more info on these courses, please visit the [General Education program requirements website in the College Catalog](#):

- Social Science Inquiry (SOSC 110) [+W]
- Scientific Reasoning
- Historical Perspectives [+W]
- Studies in the Arts & Humanities (CRWT 102 is a prerequisite to this course) [+W]
- Global Awareness [+W]
- Distribution Category (Social Systems and Society **OR** Culture & Creativity)
- Distribution Category (Values & Ethics) (BADM 301 Ethics in Business double counts for Values & Ethics and ASB)

+W: Students transferring in with 48 or more credits are waived from these general education requirements.

Students must earn at least a “C-“ in ACCT 321 - INTERMEDIATE ACCOUNTING I in order to take ACCT 322 INTERMEDIATE ACCOUNTING II, ACCT 411 COST ACCOUNTING, and ACCT 421 AUDITING

*BADM 120 Excel Expert Certification Prep (2 cr.) is recommended for all Accounting majors in the second year, first semester.

** The ASB Career Pathways Program is managed through the ASB Career Services Office, ASB-513, which documents module completion. The Registrar is then notified and the course for that module is posted to the student’s record. All ASB Career Pathways courses must be completed prior to graduation.

*****Two graduate accounting courses taken during the student’s senior year double-count towards the M.S. Accounting 30 credit requirement. Students who take a graduate course in the Summer term, must apply for the August graduation to complete their undergraduate degree. Students in the Five Year B.S./M.S. Accounting Program complete the requirements of the M.S. in Accounting degree in their fifth year:**

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| Fifth Year |
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| Fall Semester | HRS | ✓ | Spring Semester | HRS | ✓ |
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| MSAC: BADM-503 Business Law, Ethics and Regulatory Pronouncements | 3 | | MSAC: ACCT-615 Advanced Federal Taxation Issues or Another Elective | 3 | |
| MSAC: ACCT-604 Financial Statement Analysis | 3 | | MSAC: ACCT-620 Fraud Examination and Advanced Auditing or Another Elective | 3 | |
| MSAC: ACCT-605 Advanced Auditing and Information Technology Systems | 3 | | MSAC: ACCT-625 International Accounting | 3 | |
| MSAC: ACCT-610 Forensic Accounting or Another Elective | 3 | | MSAC: ACCT-680 Fundamental Accounting Research and Advanced Topics | 3 | |
| Total: | 12 | | Total: | 12 | |