Business, Marketing, and Finance Career Cluster

The Business, Marketing, and Finance Career Cluster focuses on careers in planning, organizing, directing, and evaluating business functions essential to efficient and productive business operations. This career cluster includes occupations ranging from business owner and entrepreneur, to account, retail manager and market analyst.

Business Management





The Business Management program of study focuses on occupational and educational opportunities associated with planning, directing, and coordinating the administrative services and operations of an organization. It includes formulating policies, managing daily operations, and allocating the use of materials and human resources. This program of student also introduces students to mathematical modeling tools and organizational evaluation methods.

Secondary Courses for High School Credit

Level 1

- Business Information Management I
- · Principles of Business, Marketing, and Finance

Level 2

• Business Information Management II (H) 1

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Level 4

None











Postsecondary Opportunities

Associates Degrees

- · Business Administration and Management
- Human Resources Management/Personal Administration

Bachelor's Degrees

- Business Analytics
- · Accounting and Business Management

Master's, Doctoral, and Professional Degrees

- · Business Administration and Management
- Organizational Leadership

Work-Based Learning and Expanded Learning Opportunities

Exploration Activities

Participate in • I Business I

Professional of America (BPA) Work-Based Learning Activities

Intern with a local business or chamber of commerce

Industry-Based Certifications

- Microsoft Office Specialist 2016 Master ¹
- Microsoft Office Specialist: Microsoft Access Expert (Access 2019) ¹
- Microsoft Office Specialist: Microsoft Excel Expert (Excel 2019) ¹
- Microsoft Office Specialist: Microsoft Word Expert (Word 2019)¹
- General Management ²

Aligned Advanced Academic Courses

- AP Macroeconomics
- AP Statistics



Aligned Occupations

Occupations	Median Wage	Annual Openings	% Growth
First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	\$62,500	14,000	10%
Human Resources Specialist	\$67,900	6,200	23%
General and Operations Managers	\$110,000	25,500	23%

Successful completion of the Business Management program of study will fulfill requirements of the Business and Industry endorsement. Revised – July 2024



Business Management Course Information

Level 1

COURSE NAME	SERVICE ID	PREREQUISITES	GRADE LEVEL(S)
Business Information Management I	13011400 (1 credit)	None	9
Principles of Business, Marketing, and Finance	13011200 (1 credit)	None	10

Level 2

COURSE NAME	SERVICE ID	PREREQUISITES	GRADE LEVEL(S)
Business Information Management II (H)	13011500 (1 credit)	Business Information Management I	11

Level 3

COURSE NAME	SERVICE ID	PREREQUISITES	GRADE LEVEL(S)
Business Management	13012100 (1 credit)	Business Information Management I, Principles of Business, Marketing, and Finance, <u>AND</u> Business Information Management II	12

Level 4

COURSE NAME	SERVICE ID	PREREQUISITES	GRADE LEVEL(S)
None	-	-	-

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THE BUSINESS, MARKETING, AND FINANCE CAREER CLUSTER, PLEASE CONTACT YOUR CAMPUS CTE COUNSELOR

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