

**Business
Associate of Arts**

Texas Southmost College
Division of Humanities

The Associate of Arts (AA) in Business can help a student qualify for certain jobs that require college hours or an associate degree. If a student is already working, this degree may increase the chance of obtaining a salary increase or promotion.

FIRST YEAR - FALL SEMESTER	CREDIT HOURS
ENGL 1301 ⁺ Composition I.....	3
MATH 1342 ⁺ Elementary Statistical Methods	3
HIST 1301 United States History I or HIST 2327 ⁵ Mexican American History I	3
XXXX X3XX ³ Component Area Option	3
BCIS 1305 ⁺ Business Computer Applications.....	3

FIRST YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER	
ENGL 1302 Composition II	3
HIST 1302 United States History II or HIST 2328 ⁵ Mexican American History II.....	3
XXXX X3XX ² Life and Physical Sciences	3
BUSI 1301 ⁺ Business Principles.....	3
XXXX X3XX ¹ Creative Arts	3

SECOND YEAR - FALL SEMESTER	
XXXX X3XX ⁴ Language Philosophy & Culture.....	3
GOVT 2305 Federal Government	3
XXXX X3XX ² Life and Physical Sciences	3
ECON 2301 ⁺ Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ACCT 2301 ⁺ Principles of Financial Accounting.....	3

SECOND YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER	
XXXX X3XX ³ Component Area Option	3
GOVT 2306 Texas Government	3
MATH 1324 Mathematics for Business and Social Sciences I	3
ECON 2302 ⁺ Principles of Microeconomics	3
ACCT 2302 ⁺ Principles of Managerial Accounting.....	3

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS FOR GRADUATION - 60

⁺ Grade of "C" or better is required for graduation.

¹ Creative Arts: Any General Education Core in this category.

² Life and Physical Sciences: Any General Education Core course that meets this category.

³ Component Area Options: Any course in the Component Area Option (CAO) Category found in the General Education Core Curriculum

⁴ Language, Philosophy & Culture: Any General Education Core course in this category.

⁵ Courses must be taken in sequence: United States History I and United States History II or Mexican American History I and Mexican American History II.

TSI Requirement (Texas Success Initiative - any other state-approved test) - Student must pass all three sections of state-approved test to graduate with this degree.

