

WESTERN DAKOTA TECH

ACCOUNTING

Associate of Applied Science, 62 Credit Hours, 18-Month Program

The Accounting Program will prepare students for entry-level positions in accounting-related employment opportunities by providing them with technical and social skills.

Because accountants and bookkeepers are an organization's financial record-keepers and assistants to management, graduation from this two-year program with an AAS degree can lead to a number of good-paying employment opportunities. Students will learn the principles of accounting and the concepts behind the principles. Students receive up-to-date training on some of the latest software available. Payroll accounting, taxes, and managerial accounting are included in this program. With the general education and business courses required to obtain this degree, graduates are well equipped to compete for employment.

This degree is available 100% online or with a combination of classes on campus and online.

Course	No.	Course Title	Credits
General Education Requirements			
CIS	105	MICROCOMPUTER SOFTWARE APPLICATIONS I	3
ECON	202	PRINCIPLES OF MACROECONOMICS <i>online</i>	3
MATH	112	BUSINESS MATHEMATICS**	3
PSYC	101	GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY	3
SPCM	101	FUNDAMENTALS OF SPEECH	3
		Total	15
Technical Requirements			
ACCT	120	PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING I	3
ACCT	121	PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING II	3
ACCT	212	INTERMEDIATE ACCOUNTING I	4
ACCT	213	INTERMEDIATE ACCOUNTING II	4
ACCT	215	PAYROLL ACCOUNTING	3
ACCT	218	TAX ACCOUNTING I	3
ACCT	223	MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING	3
ACCT	227	EXCEL FOR ACCOUNTING	3
ACCT	228	QUICKBOOKS ACCOUNTING	3
ACCT	230	TOPICS AND ISSUES IN ACCOUNTING	3
BUS	228	PERSONAL INVESTMENTS <i>or</i>	3
ACCT	290	INTERNSHIP	
BUS	140	BUSINESS LAW	3
BUS	141	WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS FOR BUSINESS*	3
BUS	210	SUPERVISORY MANAGEMENT	3
BUS	224	PERSONAL FINANCE	3
		Total	47

*Prerequisite: Acceptable ACCUPLACER score or Basic Writing.

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Semester Breakdown AAS

First Semester			Second Semester		
		CR			CR
ACCT 120	Principles of Accounting I	3	ACCT 121	Principles of Accounting II	3
BUS 224	Personal Finance	3	ACCT 215	Payroll Accounting	3
CIS 105	Microcomputer Software Applications I	3	ACCT 228	QuickBooks Accounting	3
MATH 112	Business Mathematics	3	ACCT 230	Topics and Issues in Accounting	3
SPCM 101	Fundamentals of Speech	3	BUS 141	Written Communications for Business	3
Total Credit Hours		15	Total Credit Hours		15
Third Semester			Fourth Semester		
		CR			CR
ACCT 212	Intermediate Accounting I	4	ACCT 213	Intermediate Accounting II	4
ACCT 218	Tax Accounting I	3	ACCT 223	Managerial Accounting	3
ACCT 227	Excel for Accounting	3	BUS 228	Personal Investment <i>or</i>	3
BUS 210	Supervisory Management	3	ACCT 290	Internship	
ECON 202	Principles of Macroeconomics <i>online</i>	3	BUS 140	Business Law	3
			PSYC 101	General Psychology	3
Total Credit Hours		16	Total Credit Hours		16

If you are or have been convicted, pleaded guilty or no contest to, or received a suspended imposition of sentence for a felony or certain misdemeanors, you are advised that you may not be able to complete all course requirements for your chosen program, you may be prevented from taking required certification/licensure examinations in your chosen program field, and you may be prevented from gaining employment in your program field.