

MSU-West Plains Associate of Science in Business

to

MSU Bachelor of Science in Finance - Corporate and Investments

**Available on campus and online.**

*Comprehensive majors do not require a minor or second major.*

**MSU West Plains Year 1 Semester 1**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU-West Plains COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT		
Institutional Requirement	IDS 110	Student Success	2	GEC 101			
Institutional Requirement	CIS 101	Computers for Learning	3	ITC 200	✓		
Mathematical Sciences	MTH 136 or higher <i>must earn a "C" or better</i>	Pre-Calculus I: Algebra	3	MTH 136	✓		
Oral Communications	COM 115	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3	COM 115	✓		
Written Communications	ENG 110	Writing I	3	ENG 110	✓		
Humanities and Fine Arts*	<b>Choose one:</b>		3	Varies			
	ART 115▲	MUS 239 ▲				PHI 115	SPN 102 ▲
	ART 200	MUS 241				REL 100	THE 101
	ENG 236	PHI 110				SPN 101 ▲	
<b>Semester 1 Total</b>			<b>17</b>				

**MSU West Plains Year 1 Semester 2**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU-West Plains COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT		
Humanities and Fine Arts*	<b>Choose one:</b>		3	Varies			
	ART 115▲	MUS 239 ▲				PHI 115	SPN 102 ▲
	ART 200	MUS 241				REL 100	THE 101
	ENG 236	PHI 110				SPN 101 ▲	
Natural Sciences*	<a href="#">Choose one course from Natural Sciences.</a>		3-4	Varies			
General Elective	MGT 286	Business Communications	3	MGT 286	✓		
Core Elective	PSY 121	Introductory Psychology	3	PSY 121	✓		
Social/Behavioral Sciences*	ECO 165	Principles of Microeconomics	3	ECO 165	✓		
<b>Semester 2 Total</b>			<b>15-16</b>				

**MSU West Plains Year 2 Semester 3**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU-West Plains COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
Major Requirement	ACC 201 <i>must earn a "B" or better</i>	Introduction to Financial Accounting	3	ACC 201	✓
Written Communications	ENG 210 or ENG 221	Writing II: Academic Writing Writing II: Writing for the Professions	3	ENG 210 ENG 221	
Social/Behavioral Sciences*	ECO 155	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	ECO 155	✓
Natural Sciences*	<a href="#">Choose one course from Natural Sciences.</a>		3-4	Varies	
Social/Behavioral Sciences*	<b>Choose one:</b>		3	PLS 101 HST 121 HST 122	
	PLS 101	American Democracy and Citizenship			
	HST 121	Survey of US History to 1877			
	HST 122	Survey of US History Since 1877			
<b>Semester 3 Total</b>			<b>15-16</b>		

**MSU West Plains Year 2 Semester 4**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU-West Plains COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
Core Elective <i>5 hours required for Core 42 (If Globalization option not selected in humanities)</i>	<b>Choose one:</b>		3	SOC 150 GRY 100	✓
	SOC 150 ▲ GRY 100 ▲	Principles of Sociology Business Communications			
Humanities and Fine Arts*	BUS 170	Business and Professional Ethics	3	PHI 120	
Major Requirement	BUS 297	International Business Capstone	3	MGT 000	
Major Elective	ACC 211 <i>must earn a "B" or better</i>	Intro to Managerial Accounting	3	ACC 211	✓
Major Elective	QBA 237	Basic Business Statistics	3	QBA 237	✓
<b>Semester 4 Total</b>			<b>15</b>	Total MSU hours:	36
<b>Total Hours at MSU-West Plains</b>			<b>62-64</b>		

\*Must fulfill two disciplines

▲ Options listed fulfill the MSU Globalization requirement

▲ MOTR code 'PERF' course- only three credit hours of PERF courses can be applied to Humanities knowledge area.

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**MSU Year 3 Semester 1**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID/TITLE	CREDIT HOURS
COB Admission Requirement	LAW 231 Legal Environment of Business	3
COB Core Requirement	FIN 380 Financial Management	3
COB Core Requirement	ITC 201 Computer Applications for Business	3
Option Requirement	<b>Choose one from Corporate and Investments option #3</b>	3
COB Core Requirement	MGT 340 Principles of Management	3
<b>Semester 1 Total</b>		<b>15</b>

**MSU Year 3 Semester 2**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID/TITLE	CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	FIN 390 Intermediate Financial Management	3
Major Requirement	FIN 384 Financial Markets and Intermediaries	3
Option Requirement	<b>Choose one from Corporate and Investments option #1</b>	3
COB Core Requirement	MKT 364 Operations Management	3
Major Requirement	LAW 332 Debtor and Creditor Rights and Remedies	1
Option Requirement	<b>Choose one from Corporate and Investments option #3</b>	3
<b>Semester 2 Total</b>		<b>16</b>

**MSU Year 4 Semester 3**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID/TITLE	CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	FIN 585 Investments	3
Major Requirement	FIN 587 Intermediate Investments	3
COB Core Requirement	MKT 350 Principles of Marketing	3
Option Requirement	<b>Choose one from Corporate and Investments option #1</b>	3
Major Requirement	<b>Choose one:</b> LAW 335 LAW 532 Business Enterprises, Rights/Liabilities Legal Environment of Business Organizations for Professionals	2-3
<b>Semester 3 Total</b>		<b>15-16</b>

**MSU Year 4 Semester 4**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID/TITLE	CREDIT HOURS
COB Core Requirement	MGT 487 Strategic Management and Policy	3
Major Requirement	<b>Choose one:</b> FIN 266 FIN 381 RMI 211 Principles of Real Estate Financial Planning Principles of Risk Management and Insurance	3
Option Requirement	<b>Choose one from Corporate and Investments option #3</b>	3
Major Requirement	FIN 586 International Financial Statement Analysis	3
COB Core Requirement	ITC 429 Information Systems with Business Intelligence	3
<b>Semester 4 Total</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Total Hours at MSU</b>		<b>61-62</b>
<b>Total Hours Overall</b>		<b>123-126</b>

\*\*Work with your MSU advisor to identify courses that will complement your specific career goals. Electives provide the opportunity to customize your degree program. Some elective credits may or may not be needed to bring total credit hours to a minimum of 120 credit hours and upper division hours (300+) to 40.

**Admission to the College of Business is separate from admission to the University.**  
Students must have completed at least 54 hours (MSU and/or transfer). GPA requirements include a minimum 2.00 Missouri State GPA and a minimum 2.5 combined GPA to apply for admission to the College of Business.

This information is provided as a guide only.

- MSU-West Plains students are strongly encouraged to meet with their major specific MSU transfer advisor early in their MSU-West Plains education to discuss the most appropriate MSU-West Plains coursework for their intended MSU major, MSU degree requirements, etc.
- Students are required to fulfill MSU graduation and GPA requirements to receive a degree and should consult with their MSU advisor and the MSU undergraduate catalog for details, as there may exist pre-requisite requirements as well as periodicity limitations that could affect scheduling sequences.
- Please note that transfer students from Missouri public colleges and universities may follow the general education and general baccalaureate degree requirements in effect at Missouri State when they first enrolled (or re-enrolled after an absence of one calendar year or more) as degree-seeking students at the institutions from which they transferred (e.g., MSU-West Plains).