



General Business B.B.A. Degree

Business and Marketing Education/Teaching Concentration

Are you interested in making a difference in the lives of those around you? Do you enjoy motivating others to succeed? Are you challenged to dedicate your life in service to those who may need a guiding hand? Do you believe that opportunities exist for worthwhile careers in business if young people have the skills to compete for the jobs? If you respond positively to these questions, you might have discovered that your niche can be found in teaching business and marketing courses!

Considering Career Opportunities

A Bachelor of Science Degree in Business and Marketing Education provides you with certification to teach comprehensive business courses in grades 5 through 12. The job outlook for teaching careers in middle and secondary schools is very good. Currently, many teachers are reaching retirement age, and school systems are actively seeking qualified business education teachers. Many students also pursue graduate study or field experience that may qualify them to teach in federally supported vocational business education programs and community college programs.

Getting Started for Success

In addition to general education requirements and business core requirements, business and marketing education majors take a variety of skills, marketing, and related business courses. This background helps ensure your success as a teacher and helps prepare you to enhance your career through the master's degree. All courses are taught by experienced, knowledgeable faculty in a small classroom environment. Learning is viewed as a hands-on process as skills are developed through practical business applications.

Staying the Course

Students are encouraged to interact with faculty both in and out of the classroom. Faculty serve as advisors to students in the Business and Marketing Education program, and graduates of these programs have rated these services as very helpful. You may also choose to participate in Phi Beta Lambda, an active business student organization, and Pi Omega Pi, an honorary business education group. Throughout your program, you will find faculty members who are accessible and willing to help, computer labs that are state-of-the-art, and activities such as the College to Careers Conference that are structured to provide additional professional experiences outside of the traditional classroom.

For More Information

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Students interested in a business & marketing education/teaching major and who have a minimum ACT composite score of 24 and a high school minimum 3.0 cumulative grade point average may apply for the Opal and Kermit Patterson Scholarship that can be renewed annually. Application may be obtained on the web or by calling 859-622-1377.



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Suggested Curriculum Guide for Business & Marketing Education/Teaching Concentration

Freshman (1st Semester) 16 hrs

- BUS 100* (1)** Professional Development Series
- BUS 101** Nature of Business
- CED 100 (0)** Clinical I: Intro to the Education Profession
- EDF 203** Educational Foundations
- E-1A*** ENG 101
- E-2 MAT 112A/B, 114** Algebra & Applications or **MAT 211** Calculus
- E-6 SED 104** Special Education Introduction

Sophomore (1st Semester) 16 hrs

- BUS 200 (1)** Professional Development Series
- CED 200 (0)** Clinical II: Understanding the Learner
- EDF 219** Human Development and Learning
- BUS 207** Fundamentals of Interpersonal Business Communication
- BUS 209** Fundamentals of Financial & Managerial Accounting
- CCT 270** Entrepreneurship
- ECO 230** Fundamentals of Microeconomics (Element 5B)

Junior (1st Semester) 16.5 hrs

- CED 300 (0.5)** Clinical III: Curriculum and Instructional Design
- EDC 300** Differentiation in Inclusive Classrooms
- EMS 300W** Curriculum and Instructional Design
- BUS 300 (1)** Professional Development Series
- BUS 204** Fundamentals of Business Law and Ethics
- BUS 305** Essentials of Marketing
- BUS 303** Essentials of Organizational Behavior and HR

Senior (1st Semester) 17 hrs

- BUS 400 (1)** Professional Development Series
- CED 450 (1)** Clinical V: Practicing Teaching
- ESE 573** Teaching Business and Marketing in Middle and Secondary Schools
- BUS 402** Integrated Business Management
- MKT** Upper Division Course
- E-6** Diversity
- E-4A** Biological or **E4B** Physical Lab Science

Freshman (2nd Semester) 18 hrs

- BUS 206** Fundamentals of Problem Solving with Excel
- E-1B*** ENG 102
- E-1C** CMS 100 or 210
- E-3B** Humanities
- E-3A** Arts
- E-4A** Biological or **E4B** Physical Lab Science

Sophomore (2nd Semester) 18 hrs

- E-5A** History
- BUS 301W** Essentials of Formal Business Communication
- ECO 231** Fundamentals of Macroeconomics
- EDF 204 (2)** Emerging Instructional Technologies
- STA 270 (4)** Applied Statistics
- BUS 304** Essentials of Management Information Systems

Junior (2nd Semester) 15.5 hrs

- CED 400 (0.5)** Clinical IV: Diagnosis and Prescription
- EDF 413** Assessment in Education
- EMS 490** Classroom & Behav MGT
- BUS 302** Essentials of Finance
- CCT 304S** Applied Entrepreneurship and Service Learning
- BUS 306** Essentials of Operations and Supply Chain

Senior (2nd Semester) 12 hrs

- CED 499 (9)** Clinical VI: The professional Seminar
- EMS 474** Disciplinary Literacy

*Course must be taken in semester indicated.

UNIVERSITY GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

General Education	36 hrs
Student Success Seminar (BUS 100)	1 hr
Total Hours University Graduation Requirements	37 hrs
Professional Development Series.....	3 hrs
BUS 200, 300, 400	
Nature of Business: BUS 101.....	3 hrs
Fundamentals Series: Environment and Tools of Business.....	12 hrs
BUS 204, 206, 207, 209	
Essentials Series: Functions of Business: BUS 301W, 302, 303, 304, 305, and 306.....	18 hrs
Mastery of Business: BUS 402.....	3 hrs
Supporting Course Requirements	7 hrs
Environment of Business: ECO 230 (^G Element 5B) and 231	
Tools of Business: MAT 112A and 112B (^G Element 2), 114(^G Element 2), or 211(^G Element 2), STA 270	
^G = Course also satisfies a General Education element. Hours are included within the 36 hr. General Education Requirement above.	
General Business	24 hrs
CCT 270, 304S, and 3 hrs from: MKT 310, 400, or 435.	
Professional Education Requirements.....	37 hrs
EDF 203, 204(2), 219, 413, EMS 300W, 474, 490, ESE 573, SED 104 (^G Element 6), EDC 300(3), and 11 hrs of Clinical Experiences: CED 100(0), 200(0), 300(0.5), 400(0.5), 450(1), 499(9).	
Candidates earning a degree that leads to teacher certification must take the PRAXIS Series	
(Professional Assessments for Beginning Teachers) and PLT (Principles of Learning and Teaching) exams as a requirement for graduation.	
Total Curriculum Requirements	129 hrs