

NOTE: Curriculum worksheets are supplemental planning aids. Every effort is made to ensure accuracy; however, it is the student's responsibility to understand and meet degree requirements as stated in the applicable Undergraduate Catalog. Pre-Business is not a degree-granting program. All Pre-business students must complete the Pre-Business freshman core and have a cumulative grade-point average of 2.0 or better before being admitted into the Financial Management major. Registration for 3000- and 4000-level business courses may be restricted to students in their degree major, so students should endeavor to complete the core requirements and declare Finance a major as soon as possible.

Business Majors Curriculum Worksheet (2021-22)

Freshman Curriculum

First Semester	Second Semester
<p>3 ECON 2110 Principles of Microeconomics</p> <p>3 MATH 1020 Business Calculus ^{1,2}</p> <p>3 PSYC 2010 Introduction to Psychology or 3 SOC 2010 Introduction to Sociology</p> <p>4 Natural Science w/ lab⁴ _____</p> <p>1 BUS 1010 Business Foundations</p> <p>1 Elective³ _____</p> <p>15 Hours</p>	<p>3 ECON 2120 Principles of Macroeconomics</p> <p>3 MATH 2070 Business Calculus II¹</p> <p>3 ENGL 1030/1031 Composition and Rhetoric</p> <p>3 COMM 1500/1501 Intro. to Human Comm. or 3 COMM 2500/2501 Public Speaking or approved cluster.</p> <p>3 STS Req.⁴ _____</p> <p>15 Hours</p>

Financial Management BS Curriculum

Sophomore Year

First Semester	Second Semester
<p>3 STAT 3090 Introductory Business Statistics</p> <p>3 ACCT 2010 Financial Acct. Concepts</p> <p>3 MGT 2010 Principles of Management⁷</p> <p>3 MGT 2180 Mgt. Personal Comp. Apps or 3 CPSC 2200 Problem Solving w/Office Apps</p> <p>3 Non-Literature Req.⁴ _____</p> <p>15 Hours</p>	<p>3 MGT 3100 Intermediate Business Statistics</p> <p>3 MKT 3010 Principles of Marketing⁷</p> <p>3 FIN 3110 Financial Management I⁷</p> <p>3 Cross-Cultural Awareness Req.^{4,7} _____</p> <p>3 Literature Req.^{4,7} _____</p> <p>15 Hours</p>

¹ Placement into the appropriate math class is based on the student's score from the Clemson Math Placement Test or the math portion of their SAT or ACT test. The following math sequences are acceptable: MATH 1020/2070, MATH 1060/1080 or MATH 1060/2070. If a student elects to take MATH 1060 or 1080, one credit-hour will be applied toward the elective hour requirement. Students considering a graduate degree in Economics or related field should take MATH 1060/MATH 1080. **See advisor for approval of course selection.**

² A grade of C or better is required to take MATH 2070.

³ Elective hours may be used for courses not required by General Education or your major curriculum and may be taken in any combination or at any time during your college career.

⁴ See General Education Requirements list in the catalog. If this requirement is met through the completion of another General Education requirement, students will have three additional elective hours. Students must complete 120 total hours.

Notes:

- A. **MOST ACCOUNTING & FINANCE COURSES REQUIRE A GRADE OF C OR BETTER.**
- B. Financial Management majors are required to have a minimum grade-point average of 2.0 in all Finance (FIN) designated courses to graduate. Only the last grade for courses that are repeated is used in computing this grade-point average.
- C. At least 50 percent of the total credits taken in ACCT, ECON, FIN, LAW, MGT, and MKT must be taken at Clemson University.
- D. To comply with the South Carolina REACH ACT, all undergraduate students who enter the university during summer 2021 or after **must pass one of the following courses – HIST 1010, POSC 1010, or POSC 1030.** This course may count as a requirement in any part of the program of study including the major, minor, general education, or as a free elective. This requirement may be completed with corresponding AP, IB, or dual enrollment credit for these courses. Additional courses may be approved which can satisfy this requirement. Successful completion of coursework in compliance with the REACH ACT is required for graduation.

Junior Year**First Semester**

- 3 ACCT 3110 Intermediate Financial Acct. I
 - 3 FIN 3120 Financial Management II
 - 3 ENGL 3040 Business Writing
 - 3 LAW 3220 Legal Environment of Business
 - 3 Elective³ _____
- 15 Hours

Second Semester

- 3 ACCT 3120 Intermediate Financial Acct. II
 - 3 ACCT 3030 Cost Accounting
 - 3 FIN 3050 Investment Analysis⁷
 - 3 FIN 3070 Principles of Real Estate
 - 3 Emphasis Area⁵ _____
- 15 Hours

Senior Year**First Semester**

- 3 ACCT 3130 Analytics for Acct. Dec. Making
 - 3 FIN 3080 Financial Institutions & Markets⁷
 - 3 Emphasis Area⁵ _____
 - 3 Emphasis Area⁵ _____
 - 3 Elective³ _____
- 15 Hours

Second Semester

- 3 MGT 4150 Business Strategy⁶
 - 3 Emphasis Area⁵ _____
 - 3 Emphasis Area⁵ _____
 - 3 Elective³ _____
 - 3 Elective³ _____
- 15 Hours

Total Hours 120

⁵ 15 credit hours from one of the following emphasis areas are required. Emphasis area should be selected before the end of the junior year in consultation with the advisor (not all courses are offered every semester). Three credits of the same variable credit course, such as FIN 4980, are required to be used to satisfy emphasis area requirements. No ACCT course already required by the major (ACCT 3030, 3110, 3120, 3130) may be used to fulfill an emphasis area requirement.

Corporate Finance:

- __FIN 4110
- PLUS 2 courses from:
 - __FIN 4010
 - __FIN 4020
 - __FIN 4030^a
 - __FIN 4040^a
- PLUS 2 courses from:
 - __FIN 3040
 - __FIN 3990 (3 credits)
 - __FIN 4000- level (3 credits)
 - __ACCT 3000- or 4000- level course^b

Financial Planning^d:

- __ACCT 4040^c
- __ACCT 4080
- __FIN 3040
- __FIN 4050
- __FIN 4090

Banking and Investments:

- __FIN 4050
- __FIN 4060
- __FIN 4080
- __FIN 4110
- PLUS 1 course from:
 - __FIN 3040
 - __FIN 3990 (3 credits)
 - __FIN 4000- level
 - __ACCT 3000-4000- level course

Real Estate:

- __FIN 4150
- __FIN 4160
- __FIN 4170
- __LAW 3330
- PLUS 1 course from:
 - __CRP 4010
 - __ECON 3060
 - __ECON 3400
 - __FIN 3990 (3 credits)
 - __FIN 4000- level
 - __ACCT 3000-4000- level course

^a Credit will only be given for one of FIN 4030 or 4040

^b Only one 3000- or 4000- level ACCT course may count towards the emphasis area.

^c Should be taken in spring of your junior year.

^d Due to CFP Board Requirements, no substitutions allowed.

⁶ MGT 4150 must be taken at Clemson University.

⁷ Reserving this course, electives, and coursework for some minors (when possible) increases study abroad course options. Contact the Office of Career and Global Engagement for further information and assistance with study abroad opportunities.