

**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.

<b>FIRST YEAR - FALL SEMESTER</b>	<b>CREDIT HOURS</b>
<a href="#">ENGL 1301</a> <sup>+</sup> Composition I.....	3
<a href="#">MATH 1342</a> <sup>+</sup> Elementary Statistical Methods .....	3
<a href="#">HIST 1301</a> United States History I OR	
<a href="#">HIST 2327</a> <sup>5</sup> Mexican American History I .....	3
XXXX X3XX <sup>3</sup> Component Area Option .....	3
<a href="#">BCIS 1305</a> <sup>+</sup> Business Computer Applications.....	3
 <b>FIRST YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER</b>	
<a href="#">ENGL 1302</a> Composition II .....	3
<a href="#">HIST 1302</a> United States History II OR	
<a href="#">HIST 2328</a> <sup>5</sup> Mexican American History II.....	3
XXXX X3XX <sup>2</sup> Life and Physical Sciences .....	3
<a href="#">BUSI 1301</a> <sup>+</sup> Business Principles .....	3
XXXX X3XX <sup>1</sup> Creative Arts .....	3
 <b>SECOND YEAR - FALL SEMESTER</b>	
<a href="#">XXXX X3XX</a> <sup>4</sup> Language Philosophy & Culture.....	3
<a href="#">GOVT 2305</a> Federal Government .....	3
XXXX X3XX <sup>2</sup> Life and Physical Sciences .....	3
<a href="#">ECON 2301</a> <sup>+</sup> Principles of Macroeconomics .....	3
<a href="#">ACCT 2301</a> <sup>+</sup> Principles of Financial Accounting.....	3
 <b>SECOND YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER</b>	
XXXX X3XX <sup>3</sup> Component Area Option .....	3
<a href="#">GOVT 2306</a> Texas Government .....	3
<a href="#">SPCH 1321</a> Business and Professional Communication .....	3
<a href="#">ECON 2302</a> <sup>+</sup> Principles of Microeconomics .....	3
<a href="#">ACCT 2302</a> <sup>+</sup> Principles of Managerial Accounting.....	3

**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS FOR GRADUATION - 60**

<sup>+</sup> Grade of "C" or better is required for graduation.

<sup>1</sup> Creative Arts: Any General Education Core in this category.

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

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

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

<sup>5</sup> 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.