International Perspective (3 credits) (See Note #4)
Below is a partial list. Select course from approved list: http://www.registrar.iastate.edu/students/div-ip-guide
Any F Lang course # 142, 231, 232 - example listed below
FLF 142 Elementary French II FRNCH 102
FLF 231 Intermediate French I FRNCH 201
FLF 232 Intermediate French II FRNCH 202
FLS - SPANISH, FLG - GERMAN
ANT 105 Cultural Anthropology ANTHR 201
HIS 117 West Civ: Ancient and Medieval HIST 201
HIS 118 West Civ: Early Modern HIST 202
HIS 119 West Civ: The Modern Period HIST 1T**
(both 118 and 119 must be taken to earn HIST 202 credit)
POL 125 Comparative Gov’t & Politics POL S 241
MUS 100 Music Appreciation MUSIC 102
REL 101 Survey of World Religions RELIG 205

U.S. Diversity Requirement: (3 credits) (See Note #4)
Below is a partial list. See approved list: http://www.registrar.iastate.edu/students/div-ip-guide
EDU 245 Exceptional Learner SP ED 250
LIT 105 Children's Literature HD FS 240
PSY 261 Human Sexuality HD FS 276
PSY 262 Psychology of Gender PSYCH 2T**
SOC 115 Social Problems SOC 235

Communication: (13 credits)
ENG 105 Composition I ENGL 150
ENG 106 Composition II ENGL 250
Take @ ISU ENGL 302
SPC 112 Public Speaking SP CM 212
Take @ ISU Library Instruction LIB 160


HUM Choice HUM Choice
ANT 105 Cultural Anthropology ANTHR 201
COM 140 Intro to Mass Communications JL MC 101
POL 111 American National Government POL S 215
PSY 111 Introduction to Psychology PSYCH 101
PSY121 Developmental Psychology PSYCH 230
PSY 251 Social Psychology
SOC 110 Introduction to Sociology

Global Perspectives: (6 credits) required from the International Perspective list to fulfill GP. Note: Courses used for the Global Perspective requirement cannot be used to meet any General Education requirement other than International Perspective.
Special Notes:

1. Any course listed on the Natural Science approved list in the Catalog linked above transferring to Iowa State (please see the Course Equivalency Guide – See Note #11) fulfills the Natural Science requirement.

Foundation: (22 credits)

Take @ ISU Business Orientation BUSAD 102/103
Take @ ISU Intro to Spreadsheets and Databases COM S 113
MAT 140 Finite Math MATH 150 (Bus Econ majors see Note #2)
ECN 130 Principles of Microeconomics ECON 101
ECN 120 Principles of Macroeconomics ECON 102
Take @ ISU Introduction to Business BUSAD 250 (no substitutions approved)
MAT 156 Statistics STAT 104 (Acct, Fin, Bus Econ majors see Note #3)
ACC 142 Financial Accounting ACCT 284

Supporting Course: (10-14 credits)

Take @ ISU Business Communications PHI 105
Take @ ISU Business Careers and Employment Practices BUSAD 203
MAT 210 Calculus I Subs for MATH 151 (Bus Econ majors see Note #2 below)
Take @ ISU Bus Econ majors: Applied Econ Optimization ECON 207 required for Bus Econ majors in lieu of MATH 151
BUS 185 Business Law I ACCT 215
Take @ ISU ACCT,FIN,B Econ majors Intro Bus Stat II STAT 326
Take @ ISU MIS majors Programming I MIS 207
Take @ ISU ACCT Majors ACCT Cycle ACCT 301

Professional Program Requirements:

Business Core Courses: (24 credits)

ACC 146 Managerial Accounting ACCT 285
Take @ ISU Business Principles courses FIN 301, MGMT 370, MGMT 372, MIS 301, MKT 340, SCM 301
Take @ ISU Business Policy & Strategic Mgmt MGMT 478

Business Major: (18 – 23 credits)

Required credits depend on the Major – To be taken at ISU

Special Notes:

1. All new entering students are enrolled in a pre-business curriculum. To enter the Professional Program and declare a Business major, students must complete the following: All Foundation Courses and English through ENGL 150 (including any ENGL 101 requirements); completion of 30 credits; a minimum GPA of 2.5 in the foundation courses (using transfer grades) or in the cumulative Iowa State GPA.
2. MAT 210 AND 216 (CALC I & II) will substitute for MATH 151 and 150, respectively. Business Econ majors: MAT 165 (MATH 160) and ECON 207 are required in lieu of MATH 150 and 151.
3. STAT 226 is required for Accounting, Finance and Business Economic majors and must be taken at Iowa State. MAT 156 (STAT 104) can be used for other business majors.
4. The University requires all students to take one course in both U.S. Diversity (3 cr.) and International Perspectives (3 cr.) Courses in these two areas may possibly be used to meet one other Gen Ed requirement. Approved courses which meet these requirements are available at the following web site: http://www.registrar.iastate.edu/students/div-in-guide
5. The College of Business does not include 300-level courses transferred from two-year institutions in the 42 credits of 300+ level needed to graduate from Iowa State.
6. The College of Business only allows a grade of Pass/Not Pass (P/NP) in non-business general electives.
7. Iowa State will accept up to 16 semester (24 quarter) hours of credit earned in vocational-technical courses when the sending community college has accepted such courses toward granting an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree.
8. No more than 65 semester credits earned at two-year Colleges can be applied to a bachelor's degree from Iowa State University.
9. A student's last 32 semester credits must be completed at Iowa State University.
10. Some general education requirements are waived for students completing an Associate of Arts (AA) degree. See “Articulation/Transfer Agreements” in the university catalog at: http://catalog.iastate.edu/. Iowa State University College of Business will accept Associate of Arts (AA) degrees to cover most general education courses. (This does not include the University requirements for 3 credits of International perspectives and 3 credits of US Diversity credits.) Students will be required to take business communication, ethics/moral reasoning, a global perspectives course and possibly library instruction to complete the general education requirements. Students will not be admitted into the professional program for their major until they complete the foundation courses. AA degrees must be from an Iowa community college, include 60 prescribed (90 quarter) credits acceptable for transfer and student must achieve a 2.0 cumulative grade point average.
12. For questions or clarification, contact the Iowa State College of Business, Undergraduate Programs at (515) 294-8300.
13. The complete list of all General Education courses for Business majors available at Iowa State can be found at the following website: [https://www.business.iastate.edu/undergraduate/files/2018/06/2018-General-Education-Requirements.pdf](https://www.business.iastate.edu/undergraduate/files/2018/06/2018-General-Education-Requirements.pdf)
14. Non-native English speakers must take the English placement exam prior to their initial enrollment at ISU, and successfully complete all recommended ENGL 99/101 courses prior to entering the Professional Program in Business, regardless of transfer work for ENGL 150, 250, and/or 302.