

# 2025–26 Finance Academic Map

## Department of Economics and Finance

### Middle Tennessee State University • Murfreesboro



An academic map is a suggested four-year schedule of courses based on degree requirements in the undergraduate catalog. This sample schedule serves as a general guideline to help build a full schedule each term. Milestones, courses, and special requirements necessary for timely progress to complete a major are designated to keep you on track to graduate in four years. **Missing milestones could delay your program.**

**This map is not a substitute for academic advisement—contact your advisor if you have any questions about scheduling or about your degree requirements.** Also see the current undergraduate catalog ([catalog.mtsu.edu](http://catalog.mtsu.edu)) for a complete list of requirements and electives. *Note: Requirements are continually under revision, and there is no guarantee they will not be changed or revoked; contact the department and/or program area for current information.*



Scan the QR code or [click here](#) for more information about the True Blue Core (TBC).

## Suggested Fall/Spring Four-Year Schedule with Business Administration Minor

FRESHMAN FALL			FRESHMAN SPRING		
Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes	Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes
Written Communication	3	TBC	Information Literacy	3	TBC
MATH 1630 or MATH 1810 or MATH 1910	3	TBC; Major	Non-Written Communication	3	TBC
Scientific Literacy	4	TBC; one must come from Discovery	Scientific Literacy	4	TBC; one must come from Discovery
ECON 2410*	3	TBC; Major	ECON 2420*	3	TBC; Major
Elective	1		Elective	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>14</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
Creativity and Cultural Expression Literature	3	TBC	Creativity and Cultural Expression	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
Creativity and Cultural Expression	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery	History and Civic Learning	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
History and Civic Learning	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery	Elective	3	
Elective	3		ACTG 2120	3	Prereq: ACTG 2110
ACTG 2110*	3	Prereq: College-level math; Written Comm.	BIA 2610*	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	
<i>*2.25 GPA in these courses for admission to Jones College of Business</i>			<i>2.25 GPA overall required for admission to Jones College of Business</i>		
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
Business elective	3		MGMT 3610	3	Prereq: Junior standing
BUS 3000	3	Prereq: Junior standing	BLAW 3400	3	Prereq: Junior standing
FIN 3010	3	Prereq: Junior standing	FIN 3110§	3	Prereq: FIN 3010
BIA 3620	3	Prereq: BIA 2610	FIN 3810§	3	Prereq: FIN 3010, 3110
INFS 3100	3	Prereq: Junior standing	MKT 3820	3	Prereq: Junior standing
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	
SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
FIN 3950§	3	Prereq: FIN 3010 with min. grade of C; 3110	FIN UD elective§	3	
FIN 4780§	3	Prereq: ECON 2410, 2420	FIN UD elective§	3	
FIN 4015§	3	Prereq: FIN 3950	FIN UD elective§	3	
FIN 4110§	3	Prereq: FIN 3010, 3110, 3810, 3950 with min. grade of C	FIN UD elective§	3	
FIN elective§	3		BUAD 4980§	3	Taken last semester
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	
<i>§Admission required</i>			<i>§Admission required</i>		
<b>TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120</b>					

## Finance Suggested Fall/Spring/Summer Four-Year Schedule with Business Administration Minor

You may choose to attend a summer term to reduce your load during fall or spring terms but still stay on track to graduate in four years. Refer to [www.mtsu.edu/financial-aid/scholarships/](http://www.mtsu.edu/financial-aid/scholarships/) for information regarding use of the Lottery Scholarship for the summer term.

**NOTE:** Learning Support courses will alter the sequences on this map.

FRESHMAN FALL			FRESHMAN SPRING		
Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes	Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes
Written Communication	3	TBC	Information Literacy	3	TBC
MATH 1630 or MATH 1810 or MATH 1910	3	TBC; Major	Non-Written Communication	3	TBC
Scientific Literacy	4	TBC; one must come from Discovery	Scientific Literacy	4	TBC; one must come from Discovery
ECON 2410*	3	TBC; Major	ECON 2420*	3	TBC; Major
			Elective	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>	
FRESHMAN SUMMER					
Creativity and Cultural Expression	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery	Creativity and Cultural Expression	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
Creativity and Cultural Expression Literature	3	TBC	History and Civic Learning	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
History and Civic Learning	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery	Elective	3	
Elective	3		ACTG 2120	3	Prereq: ACTG 2110
ACTG 2110*	3	Prereq: College-level math; Written Comm.	BIA 2610*	3	
			Elective	1	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>	
<i>*2.25 GPA in these courses for admission to Jones College of Business</i>			<i>2.25 GPA overall required for admission to Jones College of Business</i>		
SOPHOMORE SUMMER					
Business elective	3		MGMT 3610	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
BUS 3000	3	Prereq: Junior standing	BLAW 3400	3	Prereq: Junior standing
FIN 3010	3	Prereq: Junior standing	FIN 3110§	3	Prereq: FIN 3010
BIA 3620	3	Prereq: BIA 2610	FIN 3810§	3	Prereq: FIN 3010, 3110
INFS 3100	3	Prereq: Junior standing	MKT 3820	3	Prereq: Junior standing
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>	
JUNIOR SUMMER					
FIN elective§	3		FIN UD elective§	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	
SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
FIN 4780§	3	Prereq: ECON 2410, 2420	FIN UD elective§	3	
FIN 4015§	3	Prereq: FIN 3950	FIN UD elective§	3	
FIN 4110§	3	Prereq: FIN 3010, 3110, 3810, 3950 with min. grade of C	FIN UD elective§	3	
FIN 3950§	3	Prereq: FIN 3010 with min grade of C	BUAD 4980§	3	Taken last semester
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>	
<i>§Admission</i>			<i>§Admission</i>		
TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120					

In addition to the courses listed on this map, students must meet specific GPA and residency requirements. See Undergraduate Degree Requirements at [catalog.mtsu.edu](http://catalog.mtsu.edu) for specific information.