

JACKSON STATE UNIVERSITY
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS, FINANCE AND GENERAL BUSINESS
Bachelor of Business Administration

Finance Major

Freshman Year	Course Title	Fall	Spring
¹ UNIV 101	University Success for Business Majors	2	
² ENG 104, 105	Composition and Literature	3	3
HIST 101, 102	History of Civilization	3	3
³ MATH 111	College Algebra	3	
MATH 221	Calculus for Business		3
Science Option: BIO or SCI		3	
⁴ BIO 101 and BIOL 101, -or-	Introduction to Biology and Biology Lab, or		
⁵ SCI 201 and SCIL 201	Physical Science and Physical Science Lab		
⁶ MUS 205 or ART 206	Music Appreciation or Art Appreciation		3
⁷ SP 101 & SP 102, or FR, GR, etc.	Foreign Language (0-6 hrs), or Proficiency Exemption*	3	3
Freshman Year Total: 32 Hours		17	15
Sophomore Year	Course Title	Fall	Spring
⁸ PE Option	Any two 100-Level PE Activity Courses, or HE 101	1	1
ENG 205	World Literature	3	
BPD 200	Introduction to Business	3	
PSY 201	General Psychology	3	
ECO 211	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	
ECO 212	Principles of Microeconomics		3
ACC 211	Principles of Financial Accounting	3	
ACC 212	Principles of Managerial Accounting		3
SPCH 201 or SPCH 216	Speech Arts/ Public Speaking		3
BPD 325	Business Communications		3
GB 201	Introduction to the Legal Aspects of Business		3
Sophomore Year Total: 32 Hours		16	16
Junior Year	Course Title	Fall	Spring
GB 302	Business Law		3
ECO 311	Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory	3	
ECO 360	Mathematics for Economics and Finance		3
MNGT 330	Management to Organizations	3	
MKT 351	Marketing Management		3
MNGT 482W	Business Ethics	3	
FIN 320	Business Finance	3	
ECO 359	Business Statistics		3
MNGT 350C	Business Computer Applications	3	
FIN 317	Principles of Insurance		3
Junior Year Total: 30 Hours		15	15
Senior Year	Course Title	Fall	Spring
MNGT 333	Quantitative Business Analysis		3
Accounting Option: (Choose one)			
ACC 314, ACC 321, or ACC 423	Intermediate Acct. I, Cost Acct. I, or Income Tax Acct.	3	
FIN 443	Financial Management	3	
FIN 446	Commercial Banking	3	
FIN 447	Investments		3
FIN 451	Portfolio Management		3
FIN 452	International Finance	3	
MNGT 458W	Strategic Management		3
⁹ Elective	Unrestricted Non-Business Elective	3	
Senior Year Total: 27 Hours		15	12

TOTAL HOURS IN CURRICULUM: 121 (In order to graduate, students must earn at least a 2.0 cumulative GPA for all courses taken at the University, the College of Business, and in courses required for the major).

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¹Students who transfer in more than 12 credit hours do not have to satisfy this requirement.

²Students scoring below 17 on the English ACT Subset must take ENG 002; also

Students scoring below 17 on the Reading ACT Subset must take RE 002.

³Students scoring below 17 on the Math ACT subset must take MATH 004.

⁴BIO and BIOL: 103, 105, 106, 107 and 111 may be substituted for BIO 101 and BIOL 101
(see JSU Undergraduate Catalog)

⁵SCI 202 and SCIL 202, Chemistry, Physics, Astronomy, and Meteorology courses may be substituted for
SCI 201 and SCIL 201 (see JSU Undergraduate Catalog).

⁶DR 201, ENG 201, or ENG 202 may be substituted for ART 206 (see JSU Undergraduate Catalog).

⁷101 and 102: French, German, Spanish, Latin, or Portuguese can be used to satisfy the Foreign Language Option,
(see JSU Undergraduate Catalog).

** Students who meet the foreign language requirement in high school may need to take an additional six
hours of non-business electives in order to satisfy the 121 minimum credit hour requirement.*

⁸HE 101 (3 hours) may be substituted for the PE option. Veterans and/or students who have completed “basic
training” can receive credit for the 2 hours PE option with approval of the Coordinator of Veterans Affairs.

⁹Developmental Courses (ENG 001-ENG 002, ENG 399, MATH 001, MATH 004, RE 001, RE 002,
GNST 100-105 and GNST 200) can not be counted toward your “Unrestricted Non-Business Electives”.

Students are encouraged to consult the University’s Undergraduate Catalog for other possible course substitutions.
The substitutions listed above are a sample of the possible substitutions noted in the catalog under the “General
Education Requirements” section, subsection “Courses Which May be Used to Satisfy Options.”