# Business
Finance A.S.

## EXPECTED DEGREE HOURS

60-62

## WHAT IS FINANCE A.S.?

The Associate of Science in Finance is designed to prepare students for employment as financial analysts, financial managers, credit analysts, and investment managers. The program at the community college level emphasizes financial and managerial accounting, microeconomics and macroeconomics.
This program is provided as a guide for students who plan to transfer to a four-year school.

## PROGRAM SCHEDULE

### Fall Semester Courses

| Num. | Title | Hrs. |
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| ENGL 1010 | English Composition I | 3 |
| GEN 1010 | First Year Seminar | 3 |
| ACCT 1010* | Principles of Accounting I | 3 |
| INFS 1010 | Computer Applications | 3 |
| MATH 1530 | Introductory Statistics** | 3 |

### Fall Semester Milestones

- FINANCIAL AID ALERT-If you plan to receive aid, the priority deadline to apply or renew your FAFSA and submit any requested documentation is July 1. Please consult a financial aid specialist and the business office prior to the start of classes to check on fees/expenses and to ensure that you are in good standing.
- Successful completion of learning support required for ENGL 1010.
- Successful completion of Math learning support required for Natural Sciences.
- Work with your advisor to discuss Spring registration when contacted. Remember, advising is key to success!
- Determine as early as possible what university you want to



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| | transfer to and discuss with your advisor.<br>• **Students planning transfer to the University of Tennessee, Knoxville must complete MATH 2050 - Calculus-based Probability and Statistics. This course is not offered by Cleveland State. |

## Spring Semester Courses

| Num. | Title | Hrs. |
|---|---|---|
| ACCT 1020* | Principles of Accounting II | 3 |
| ENGL 1020 | English Composition II | 3 |
| MATH 1630 or MATH 1130 or MATH 1710*** | Finite Math or College Algebra or Precalculus Algebra | 3 |
| COMM 2025 | Fundamentals of Communication | 3 |
| HIST 2310 or HIST 2010 | Early World History or | 3 |

## Spring Semester Milestones

- Successful completion of ACCT 1010 required for progression to ACCT 1020. A grade of C or higher is highly recommended.
- Successful completion of learning support required or two years of high school algebra for MATH 1530
- Work with your advisor to discuss Fall registration when contacted. Remember, advising is key to success!
- Now is a good time to start talking with your advisor about your four-year college plans. They can assist you with making the right course selections and the transfer process you will need to initiate as you also prepare to graduate from CSCC.
- Cooperative Education and Service-Learning Experiences are great ways to gain hands-on experience in your career field and make sure your selected career is a good fit for you. These experiences are also great to share in future job



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| | Early United States History | |

interviews and resumes. Email coopeducation@clevelandstatecc.edu for more information.

- FINANCIAL AID ALERT-Please consult a financial aid specialist and the business office prior to the start of classes to check on fees/expenses and to ensure that you are in good standing. If this is your first term of enrollment and you plan to receive aid, the priority deadline to apply or renew your FAFSA and submit any requested documentation is December 1.
- ***Students transferring to ETSU, MTSU or UT Knoxville should take MATH 1630 - Finite Mathematics. Students transferring to TSU, TTU, University of Memphis, UT Chattanooga or UT Martin should take a college algebra course.

## Fall Semester Courses

| Num. | Title | Hrs. |
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| ECON 2200 | Principles of Microeconomics | 3 |
| MATH 1830 | Applied Calculus**** | 3 |
| HIST 2320 or HIST 2020 | Modern World History or | 3 |

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- Work with your advisor to discuss Spring registration when contacted. Remember, advising is key to success!



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| | Modern United States History | |
| ART 2000 or MUS 1030 | Art History Survey I or Introduction to Music | 3 |
| ASTR 1010 or BIOL 1010 | Solar System Astronomy or Introduction to Biology | 4 |

- Be sure to report your completed, approved Service-Learning hours at http://srvc.tbr.edu/ to be eligible for a Service-Learning Student Recognition Award at graduation. Need assistance? Email service_learning@clevelandstatecc.edu.
- MATH 1830 - Applied Calculus or equivalent course is required at ETSU, UT Knoxville, University of Memphis, UT Chattanooga, TSU and TTU. ****MATH 1830 - Applied Calculus or equivalent is not required at UT Martin, APSU or MTSU and the student may instead wish to select an alternate guided elective in consultation with an academic advisor.
- You will also want to begin the process to apply to the four-year university you plan to attend after your CSCC graduation.

## Spring Semester Courses

| Num. | Title | Hrs. |
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| ECON 2100 | Principles of Macroeconomics | 3 |
| PHIL 1040 | Introduction to Ethics | 3 |
| PSYC 1030 or | Introduction to Psychology | 3 or |

## Spring Semester Milestones

- FINANCIAL AID ALERT-Please consult a financial aid specialist and the business office prior to the start of classes to check on fees/expenses and to ensure that you are in good standing.
- Congratulations! After you complete this semester's courses and maintain an overall 2.0 GPA, you will be a Cleveland State graduate.



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| CPED 1100 | or<br>Career Exploration | 1 |
| ENGL 2110<br>or<br>ENGL 2120 | Early American Literature<br>or<br>Modern American Literature | 3 |
| ASTR 1020<br>or<br>BIOL 1020 | Stars + Galaxies Astronomy<br>or<br>Diversity of Life | 4 |

- Apply to graduate by completing the online Intent to Graduate form under the Graduation Tab within Registration Tools & Forms on CougarNet.
- Be sure to report your completed, approved Service-Learning hours at http://srvc.tbr.edu/ to be eligible for a Service-Learning Student Recognition Award at graduation. Need assistance? Email service_learning@clevelandstatecc.edu.
- Complete required graduate exit exam in the Testing Center. Schedule to take your exam by going to mycs.cc/testing.



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