

CAREER PROGRAM OF STUDY



Career Cluster: **FINANCE**

Pathway: Accounting; Banking Services; Business Finance; Insurance; Securities and Investments

Student Name: _____

Career Clusters identify pathways from high schools to two- and four-year technical colleges, universities, graduate schools, apprenticeship programs and the workplace so that learners can recognize the relationship between what they learn in school and what they can do in the future.

Knowledge and Skills Needed to Succeed in this Career Cluster: Academics, Communications, Problem Solving & Critical Thinking, Information Technology Applications Systems, Safety, Health & Environmental, Leadership & Teamwork, Ethics & Legal Responsibilities, Employability & Career Development, and Technical Skills.

		9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade
HIGH SCHOOL COURSES	English	<i>Core Courses</i>			
		English I English Prep 2 English Prep 1	English II Basic Skills English English Prep 2 English Prep 1	Adv. Comp. & Early Amer. Lit. American Literature Basic Skills English English Prep 2	AP English World Literature Adv. Comp. & Early Amer. Lit. Technical Writing Everyday English
	<i>Schedule a Sophomore Individual Planning Conference with your Counselor</i>				
	Social Studies	U.S. History	World History	Modern American History (req.) Psychology Sociology Comparative Politics Modern Global Issues	AP American History Pop Culture Microeconomics Macroeconomics
		<i>Schedule College Visits & College Entrance Exams for Junior Year</i>			
	Math	Algebra I Extended Algebra Geometry	Geometry Extended Geometry Algebra II	Probability & Stats Adv. Geometry Pre-Calculus FST	AP Calculus Discrete Math ACT Math Prep
		<i>Schedule Senior Interview with your Counselor before October 1</i>			
	Science	Integrated Science Biology Plant Science	Biology Chemistry Animal Science	Physics AP Chemistry Animal Health & Nutrition	AP Physics AP Biology Food Science

		Elective Courses Within This Cluster Include:	School Activities
CAREER ENHANCEMENT	Personal Finance Accounting I Accounting II Intro to Microsoft Office Advanced Microsoft Office Probability & Statistics Functions, Statistics and Trigonometry Discrete Math	Intro to Macroeconomics Intro to Microeconomics Business Management Employability Skills	FBLA Forensics Captain of a Sports Team Officer of a Club Youth Apprenticeship German Club Spanish Club

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Counselor Signature: _____ Date: _____



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Career Majors			
POST SECONDARY	Wisconsin Technical College System – 2 year www.witechcolleges.com		Wisconsin College/University System – 4 year www.uwhelp.wisconsin.edu Wisconsin Independent Colleges & Universities www.wisconsinmentor.org
	Banking & Financial Services Finance Financial Institutions Mgmt	Financial Planning Associate Financial Services Rep Quality Assurance Technician Security Loss Prevention	Accounting Actuarial Science Business Administration/Economics Economics Finance International Business Managerial Accounting Risk Management
<i>Learn more about career programs at www.careervoyages.com</i>			

Specialty Careers / Occupations					
Accounting	Banking Services	Business Finance	Insurance	Security and Investments	
SAMPLE CAREER OCCUPATIONS	Accountant	Abstractors	Accountants	Actuaries	Advisor
	Accounting Manager	Accounting	Auditor	Agents	Agents
	Accounts Payable Manager	Assistant Credit Manager	Benefits Manager	Appraisers	Brokerage Clerk
	Auditor	Bill and Account	Billing Manager	Claims Agents	Broker Assistant
	Bookkeeper	Collectors	Business Development Manager	Claims Clerks	Commodities Broker
	Capital Budgeting Specialist	Compliance Officers	Chief Revenue Agents	Customer Service	Development Officers
	Capital Expenditure Manager	Credit Analyst	Collectors	Direct Marketing	Investment Advisors
	Cash Manager	Credit Report Providers	Compensation Manager	Examiners	Personal Financial Sales
	Chief Revenue Agent	Customer Service Reps	Controllers	Insurance Processing Clerks	Securities
	Collector	Data Processors	Economists	Investigators	Tax Preparation
	Controller	Debt Counselors	Financial Analysts	Sales Agents	
	Cost Analyst	Internal Auditors	Revenue Agents	Underwriters	
	Credit Analyst	Loan Officers	Tax Examiners		
	Economist	Loan Processors	Treasurers		
	Financial Analyst	Network Services			
	Financial Planner	Operations Managers			
Foreign Exchange Manager	Repossession Agents				
Grant Manager	Tellers				
Management Accountant	Title Researchers				
Project Analyst	Title Examiners				
Revenue Agent					
Tax Accountant					
Tax Examiner					
Tax Preparer					
Treasurer					
<i>Learn more about specific occupations at: http://www.bls.gov/oco/</i>					

