

Course Title: Business Mathematics
Prefix and Course Number: BUS 104

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to demonstrate proficiency with:

- improved ability to operate electronic calculators
- necessary math techniques used in typical retail merchandising activities;
- cash and trade discounts;
- transportation costs;
- invoices and business forms;
- markups based on cost and retail;
- markdowns;
- retail word problems using an electronic calculator;
- consumer credit;
- balancing a checkbook;
- figuring personal taxes;
- basic familiarity with insurance and investments;
- prorating expenses;
- figuring depreciation;
- analyzing balance sheets and income statements;
- ratio proportion problems;
- time value concepts;
- index numbers;
- graphs and charts to communicate data;
- statistical techniques.

Course Outline:

- I. Business Mathematics
 - A. Problems in various fields of business
 - B. Fundamentals
 - C. Financial statements
 - D. Buying and selling goods
 - E. Simple and compound interest
 - F. Discounts
 - G. Annuities
 - H. Sinking fund and amortization
 - I. Consumer credit
 - J. Stocks and bonds