

North Idaho College
Business and Communication BA/BS 2025-2026
 Advising Guide



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GENERAL EDUCATION

Course	Course Title	CR	
Communication Skills			
ENGL 101	Writing and Rhetoric I	3	
ENGL 102	Writing and Rhetoric II	3	
Oral Communication			
COMM 101	Fundamentals of Oral Communication	3	
Quantitative Skills			
MATH 123 or above		3	
Natural Sciences			
Complete 2 courses from different disciplines with 1 lab course:		4	
*See NIC catalog for list of CORE-Science options		3	
Humanities			
Complete 2 courses from different disciplines:		3	
*See NIC catalog for list of CORE-Humanities options		3	
Social Sciences			
ECON 201	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	
PSYC 101	Introduction to Psychology	3	
Global Perspective			
*See NIC catalog for list of CORE-Global Perspective Options		3	
Integrative Core			
*See NIC catalog for list of CORE-Integrative Options		3	
Additional NIC courses that meet LC State BA/BS Degree Requirements**			
ACCT 201	Principles of Accounting I**	3	
ACCT 202	Managerial Accounting**	3	
BUSA 100	Digital Literacy**	3	
BUSA 101	Introduction to Business**	3	
BUSA 251	Business Statistics**	3	
BUSA 221	Principles of Marketing**	3	
COMM 220	Communication and Diversity**	3	
ENGL 272	Business Writing**	3	
NIC Minimum		60	

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PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Taken at NIC or LC State			
Course #	Course Name	CR	
Business Requirements-			
BUS 311	Foundations of Management	3	
BUS 365	Business Law I	3	
BUS 380 or BUS 482	International Business and International Marketing	3	
Communication Requirements-			
COMM 320	Persuasion	3	
Selection 21 credits of the following:			
COMM 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 300, 301, 304, 310, 330, 380, 384, 392, 394, 400, 405, 420, 440, 470, 492, 494,		21	
ENGL 203, 304, 305, 308, 497			
Capstone Area			
Select one of the following capstone areas:			
Business Capstone		3	
BUS 498	Senior Strategic Seminar		
Communication Capstone		3	
COMM 499	Research Project and Seminar in Communications		
Experiential Component			
Select one of the following: BUS 294, BUS 346, BUS 394, BUS 405, BUS 421, BUS 494		3	
General Electives			
General Electives		Var.	
Graduation Requirements			
Credits that must be earned at LC State		32	
Upper division credits required		36	
TOTAL NIC & LC State Semester Credits		120	

Notes:

Complete all required/elective coursework for the AS degree at North Idaho College

- This advising guide is based on completion of an Associate of Science degree (AS) at North Idaho College with additions made to meet lower division requirements.
- 32 Residency (LC State) credits required for graduation.
- 36 credits must be upper division.
- Students must earn at least a "C-" in all major courses and at least a 2.5 GPA in all business courses combined, including Accounting & Economics.
- This is just a guide. Please check with your advisor to ensure you earn at least 32 credits at LC State and have completed 36 upper division credits.