



Business education involves teaching students the fundamentals, theories, and processes of business.

The Standards Aligned System (SAS), developed by the Pennsylvania Department of Education, is a comprehensive, researched-based resource to improve student achievement. All BCIT curricula is written based upon these standards available on SAS.

[https://static.pdesas.org/content/documents/BCIT\\_standards.pdf](https://static.pdesas.org/content/documents/BCIT_standards.pdf)

The Business, Computer, and Information Technology Standards describe what students should know and be able to do in the field of business education at all grade levels. The standards provide the targets for instruction and student learning essential for success in all academic areas, not just business classrooms.



**HSD BCIT Vision Statement**

*Inspire and prepare all students for career and college readiness success!*

**HSD BCIT Mission Statement**

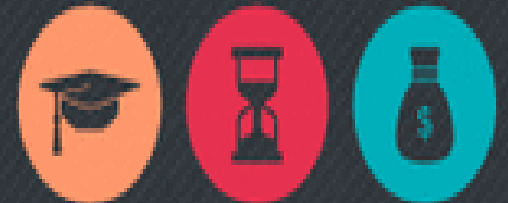
*To provide relevant and rigorous learning experiences for students to develop entrepreneurial, consumer and information technology skills in becoming successful lifelong learners and contributing citizens.*

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# Required Course

All students must pass the following course prior to high school graduation:

- Personal Financial Literacy

Accounting II is an honors accounting course. This honors course develops abilities that help students read and analyze financial statements of companies. Students study financial accounting and managerial accounting. This course has a strong focus building the student's financial analytical abilities.

Entrepreneurship II is designed to provide students with skills needed to effectively problem solve, organize, develop, create, and manage a business.

This course is offered in conjunction with the University of Iowa's BizInnovator. Students will be able to gain 3 college credits if they choose to take a cumulative assessment at the end of the course and earn the minimum score.

## Business, Computer & Information Technology Department Electives

The table below shows which grades these electives are available to students.

(See the course selection guide for detailed descriptions of each course)

Course (credits)	9	10	11	12
Accounting I (1)		X	X	X
Accounting II (1)			X	X
Entrepreneurship/Business Leadership I (.5 credit)	X	X	X	X
Entrepreneurship II (1)		X	X	X
Marketing in Business, Sports & Entertainment (1)		X	X	X
Microsoft Word/PowerPoint (.5)	X	X	X	X
Microsoft Excel/Access (.5)		X	X	X
Advance Microsoft Office (.5)			X	X
Personal Financial Literacy (.5)			X	
Open Campus Personal Financial Literacy (.5)	X	X	X	X