



# Pathways To More.

## TRANSFER PATHWAY GUIDE 2025-2026

KCTCS Associate in Arts to  
Thomas More University Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration

### ***Overview***

Completion of the following curriculum will satisfy the requirements for an Associate in Arts (AA) at a Kentucky Community and Technical College System (KCTCS) institution and leads to the Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Business Administration at Thomas More University.

### ***Applying to the Pathway Program***

Students can apply to participate in the pathway program by completing the online application on the [Thomas More transfer webpage](#). Students must be actively enrolled in an associate degree program at a KCTCS institution and plan to transfer to Thomas More. Students with less than 12 collegiate hours completed post high school must have a high school GPA of 3.0 or higher. Those with 12+ collegiate hours must have a 2.0 KCTCS GPA or higher.

Students participating in the transfer pathway program will be concurrently admitted to Thomas More as non-degree (visiting) students. Students are expected to maintain a 2.0 GPA to remain in good academic standing while in the program.

### ***Degree Requirements for KCTCS***

1) Completion of minimum 60 credit hours, 2) minimum cumulative GPA 2.0, 3) minimum of 15 credit hours earned at the institution awarding the degree, 4) demonstration of digital literacy, and 5) college success requirement.

### ***Admission Requirements to Thomas More***

Students enrolled in the transfer pathway program who complete their associate degree through a KCTCS institution are guaranteed admission to Thomas More and will be directly admitted, no application or application fee required. Please note: While admission to the university is guaranteed, some degree programs may have additional requirements for admittance.

### ***Degree Requirements for Thomas More***

To earn a bachelor's degree at Thomas More, students must complete a minimum of 120 credit hours. In addition, at least 25% of the credit hours (the final 30 hours) must be completed at Thomas More. Students must earn a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.

### ***General Transfer Information***

For information on transfer, including next steps and scholarships, visit our [transfer webpage](#).

## KCTCS AA TO THOMAS MORE BA IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION CHECKLIST

### Kentucky Community and Technical College

**Category 1: KCTCS General Education Core Requirements (33 hours) [AA](#) requirements linked.**

<a href="#">KCTCS Course</a>	Course or Category	Credits	TMU Course	Completed
ENG 101	Writing I (WC)	3	ENG 101 + ENG 102 = ENG 150	
ENG 102	Writing II (WC)	3	ENG 101 + ENG 102 = ENG 150	
TBS XXX	(Oral Communication)	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	(Heritage)	3	TBD XXX	
REL 120	Introduction to the Old Testament (AH)	3	THE 205	
MAT 141 or MAT 146 or MAT 150	Liberal Arts Math or Contemporary College Mathematics or College Algebra	3	Core Math or Core Math or MAT 106	
TBS XXX	(Natural Science with Lab)	3-4	TBD XXX	
ECO 201	Principles of Microeconomics (SB)	3	ECO 101	
ECO 202	Principles of Macroeconomics (SB)	3	ECO 102	
REL 130	Introduction to Comparative Religion (SB)	3	THE 219	
STA 220 or STA 251	Statistics (QR) or Applied Statistics (QR)	3	MAT 205	
<b>Subtotal General Education Core Courses</b>		<b>33-34</b>		

TBS XXX means to be selected by KCTCS student.

TBD XXX means to be determined by Thomas More based on course selected.

For Social and Behavioral Sciences courses, two disciplines must be represented and different from those in the Arts and Humanities category.

**Category 2: KCTCS AA Requirements (6 hours)**

<a href="#">KCTCS Course</a>	Course or Category	Credits	TMU Course	Completed
PHI 150	Business Ethics (AH)	3	PHI 217	
HUM 120 or PHI 260 or TMU Course	Introduction to the Humanities (AH) or History of Philosophy I (AH) or Select a TMU philosophy core course <sup>1</sup>	3	PHI Core PHI 125 TBD XXX	
<b>Subtotal AA Requirement Courses</b>		<b>6</b>		

<sup>1</sup>Students could elect to take one of the following Thomas More philosophy courses: PHI 105, 125, 175, 214, 216, 235, 355, 417

**Category 3: KCTCS Electives (21 hours)**

<u>KCTCS Course</u>	Course or Category	Credits	TMU Course	Completed
CIT 105	Introduction to Computers (Digital Literacy)	3	CIS 111	
FYE 105 OR FYE 110 OR FYE 100 <sup>1</sup>	Achieving Academic Success	0-3	FYE 150	
ACC 201	Financial Accounting	3	ACC 101	
BAS 160	Introduction to Business	3	BUA 105	
ENG 203	Business Writing	3	BUA 305	
Choose: ACC 202 BAS 267 BAS 282 TMU Course TMU Course TMU Course	Choose 6-9 hours from: Managerial Accounting Business Law I Marketing ACC 102 Principles of Managerial Accounting BUA 321 Business Finance BUA 302 Organizational Behavior	6-9	ACC 102 BUA 291 BUA 311 ACC 102 BUA 321 BUA 302	
	<b>Subtotal Elective Courses</b>	<b>21</b>		
	<b>TOTAL Associate Degree Hours</b>	<b>60-61</b>		

<sup>1</sup>Some colleges have policies that allow students to fulfil the College Success Requirement by waiver or exemption.

**Thomas More University**

**Category 4: Thomas More BA in Business Administration Requirements**

TMU Course	Course	Credits	<u>KCTCS Course</u>	Taken at KCTCS
ACC 101	Principles to Financial Accounting	3	ACC 201	x
ACC 102	Principles to Managerial Accounting	3	ACC 202	
BUA 105	Introduction to Business	3	BAS 160	x
BUA 241	Mathematical Analysis for Management	3		
BUA 291	Business Law I	3	BAS 267	
BUA 301	Organization and Management	3		
BUA 302	Organizational Behavior	3		
BUA 305	Effective Business Writing	3	ENG 203	x
BUA 311	Marketing	3	BAS 282	
BUA 321	Business Finance	3		
BUA 331	Operations Management	3		
BUA 341	Quantitative Methods for Business	3		
BUA 405	International Management	3		
BUA 498	Senior Seminar	3		
ECO 101	Principles of Microeconomics	3	ECO 201	x
ECO 102	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	ECO 202	x
MAT 205	Introductory Statistics	3	STA 220 or STA 251	x

TMU Course	Course	Credits	<a href="#">KCTCS Course</a>	Taken at KCTCS
CIS 111	Introduction to Computer Systems	3	CIT 105	x
TBS XXX	Select one concentration area from the catalog	9		
TBS XXX	Experiential Learning	1-3		
	<b>Subtotal Major Credit Hours Taken at KCTCS</b>	<b>27-30</b>		
	<b>Subtotal Major Credit Hours Taken at TMU</b>	<b>34-39</b>		
	<b>Subtotal credit hours required for the major</b>	<b>64-66</b>		

**Category 5: Additional Requirements**

TMU Course	Course	Credits	<a href="#">KCTCS Course</a>	Taken at KCTCS
	<b>Outer Core + Electives</b>	<b>20-26</b>		
	<b>Total Baccalaureate Degree Credit Hours</b>	<b>120</b>		

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