



Pathways To **More.**

TRANSFER PATHWAY GUIDE 2025-2026

KCTCS Associate in Arts to
Thomas More University Bachelor of 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 Business Administration (BBA) 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. Admission to the BBA program requires the following pre-requisites:

- 30+ collegiate hours
- Pre-requisite coursework: ECO 101 (KCTCS' ECO 201), MAT 106 (KCTCS' MAT 150)
- Significant employment experience

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

The BBA program is an accelerated, online program. Courses are completely online and offered in a six-week or eight-week format. Tuition and scholarships for online, accelerated programs differ from regular tuition and scholarships, and students pay per credit hour. For information on accelerated, online programs visit: <https://www.thomasmore.edu/online-accelerated-programs/>

KCTCS AA TO THOMAS MORE BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION CHECKLIST

Kentucky Community and Technical College

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

KCTCS Course	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 150	College Algebra (QR)	3	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	
TBS XXX	(Quantitative Reasoning OR Natural Science)	3	TBD XXX	
Subtotal General Education Core Courses		33-34		

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)

KCTCS Course	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 ¹	3	PHI Core PHI 125 TBD XXX	
Subtotal AA Requirement Courses		6		

¹Students 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 ²	Achieving Academic Success	0-3	FYE 150	
ACC 201	Fundamentals of Accounting I	3	ACC 208	
BAS 160	Introduction to Business	3	BUA 105	
ENG 203	Business Writing	3	BUA 305	
BAS 267	Business Law I	3	BUA 291	
BAS 282	Principles of Marketing	3	BUA 311	
Subtotal Elective Courses		21		
TOTAL Associate Degree Hours		60-61		

²Some colleges have policies that allow students to fulfil the College Success Requirement by waiver or exemption.

Thomas More University

Category 4: Thomas More BBA in Business Administration Requirements

TMU Course	Course	Credits	<u>KCTCS Course</u>	Taken at KCTCS
BUA 107	Math for Business Decision Making	3	MAT 105 or MAT 110	
ECO 101	Intro to Microeconomics	3	ECO 201	x
BUA 201	Skills for Business Professionals	3		
BUA 302	Organizational Behavior	3		
BUA 305	Effective Business Writing	3	ENG 203	x
ACC 208	Survey of Financial Accounting	3	ACC 201	x
ACC 205	Accounting for Management	3	ACC 202	
BUA 291	Business Law I	3	BAS 267	x
BUA 241	Mathematical Analysis for Mgmt	3		
BUA 249	Business Statistics	3		
PHI 217	Business Ethics	3	PHI 150	x
BUA 341	Quantitative Analysis	3		
ECO 102	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	ECO 202	x
BUA 311	Marketing	3	BAS 282	x
BUA 321	Business Finance	3		
BUA 405	International Management	3		
BUA 498	Senior Seminar	3		
Subtotal Major Credit Hours Taken at KCTCS		21		
Subtotal Major Credit Hours Taken at TMU		30		
Subtotal credit hours required for the major		51		

Category 5: Additional Requirements

TMU Course	Course	Credits	<u>KCTCS Course</u>	Taken at KCTCS
	Concentration + Electives	32-33		
	Total Baccalaureate Degree Credit Hours	120		

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