



Business Diploma Specialty: Accountancy

The accountancy specialty prepares students for dynamic careers in financial management, auditing, taxation, and business analysis. Accounting is essential for informed decision-making in any organization, and this program equips students with skills in cost accounting, financial reporting, and auditing. Hands-on learning through business simulations, case studies, and industry-standard software ensures practical application of knowledge.

Graduates are in high demand and can pursue careers in an accounting firm or accounting department in organizations and sectors such as commercial, industrial, government, and non-profit.

Click or scan the QR code to watch our video and explore the benefits of our Accountancy diploma!



Locations & Delivery Modes:

- Moose Jaw and Saskatoon campuses
- Available online* through Continuing Education

** Online – Students study prepared materials online in a self-paced manner while keeping pace with the course schedule as indicated. No requirement for live attendance except for examinations. Courses offered through Centre for Continuing Education.*

“I really liked the small class sizes and hands-on learning. I recommend people take the Business diploma, Accountancy specialty at Sask Polytech.”

– Jayda Little, Saskatchewan Polytechnic Alumna and Accounting Assistant, Henderson Insurance

Start Dates & Length

- September and January
- 32 weeks

Work-integrated learning opportunities include learning from industry guest speakers and members from Chartered Professional Accountants (CPA) Saskatchewan.

Co-operative Education

Co-operative education is an option in this specialty and is scheduled as follows:

	Sept - Dec	Jan - Apr	May - Aug
Year 1	Semester 1	Semester 2	Work term 1
Year 2	Semester 3	Work term 2	
Year 3	Semester 4		

Transfer Credit Opportunities

Graduates may be eligible for a block transfer of 60 credit units towards the University of Saskatchewan Edwards School of Business Bachelor of Commerce and University of Regina Paul J. Hill School of Business Bachelor of Business Administration and more.



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Accreditation

Graduates will receive approximately half of the required credits toward the Chartered Professional Accountant (CPA) designation as granted by CPA Saskatchewan.

“Before graduation I received 15 job interviews and five offers from the most competitive employers in the province.”

– Anni Vasudeva, Saskatchewan Polytechnic Alumnus and Inventory Specialist, Sask Power



Courses

See the [Business diploma – Year 1](#) document for a summary of the year 1 courses.

Semester 3 Courses

Code	Course Name	Credits
ACCT 215	Intermediate Financial Accounting 1	4
ACCT 216	Intermediate Financial Accounting 2	4
ACCT 226	Cost Accounting 1	4
ADTG 220	Auditing	4
ECON 121	Macroeconomics	4
TAX 201	Taxation 1	3
TAX 202	Taxation 2	3

Semester 4 Courses

Code	Course Name	Credits
ACCT 217	Intermediate Financial Accounting 3	4
ACCT 218	Intermediate Financial Accounting 4	3
ACCT 219	Management Information Systems	4
ACCT 227	Cost Accounting 2	4
FIN 220	Finance	4
INDG 100	Introduction to Indigenous Studies	1
TAX 222	Taxation 3	4

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