

SECTION 7: MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

In August 2024, NWOSU began offering an on-line Master of Business Administration (MBA) degree to help meet the needs of students, businesses, and health-care organizations in northwest Oklahoma. The MBA is a 33-hour program that can be completed either in 12 months (for full-time students) or 24 months (for part-time students).

GOALS

1. Students will be able to apply analytical and critical thinking skills to make informed decisions that will lead to a sustainable competitive advantage.
2. Students will be able to analyze the shifting balance of global economic power and how it impacts the business environment.
3. Students will have the ability to integrate and apply learned business models to successfully manage the business environment and solve complex organizational problems.
4. Students will develop leadership skills to offer effective and ethical solutions to problems.
5. Students will develop communication and collaboration skills to work effectively with diverse team members.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Students who do not hold a bachelor's degree in business or accounting from an accredited university (ACBSP or AACSB) must complete the Peregrine CPC exam (\$40). Students must score at a 70% or higher in the common professional component subject areas to pass. Students who do not score satisfactory in each of the CPC subject areas will complete leveling modules. These can cost up to \$375. Modules must be completed by January 1st for summer and fall enrollees and by May 1st for spring enrollees before continuation the program can occur. **Note: Some modules serve as prerequisites to specific courses and must be completed prior to enrollment.** For more information about the Peregrine Exam, see page 18 or contact the Division of Business chairperson.

All students accepted into the MBA program must also meet the admission and retention requirements set by the Office of Graduate Studies. See this catalog's sections 2 and 3 for more information.

Notes:

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (MBA)*

(33-Hour-Program)

REQUIRED CORE COURSES

UNIV 5010 Graduate Study Seminar (required of all graduate students at the start of their first semester)
MRKT 5133 Marketing for Managers
ECON 5253 Managerial Economics
ACCT 5153 Accounting for Managers
MGMT 5113 Organization Change
GBUS 5053 Business Analytics
MGMT 5453 Strategic Management (Capstone)
MGMT 5173 Operations & Supply Chain Management

Management Option:**

MGMT 5243 Advanced Human Resource Management
FIN 5023 Finance for Managers
MGMT 5233 International Business Management
MIS 5013 Management for Information Technology

Health Care Option:**

HCA 5003 Health Care Leadership and Communication
HCA 5033 Health Care Finance and Economics
HCA 5063 Health Management Systems
HCA 5093 Health Care Compliance and Policy

*See either the Graduate Studies website (nwosu.edu/graduate-studies) or the Division of Business website (<https://www.nwosu.edu/school-of-professional-studies/business>) for the current course rotation for this program.

**Students may enroll in only one option at a time. If a student wishes to enroll in a second option, the first option and core courses must be completed before enrollment in the second option may occur.