

# ACCOUNTING AAS DEGREE



A Program Overview of the Business & Professional Services Area of Study

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## Programs At-A-Glance

### Accounting AAS

Available at LSC-CyFair, LSC-Kingwood, LSC-Montgomery, LSC-North Harris, LSC-Tomball, and LSC-University Park

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**<sup>1</sup>Median Wage: \$39,019**

### Accounting Certificate

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The accounting Associate of Applied Science degree is designed to prepare students to fulfill many types of entry-level positions found in the field of accounting. Many students who graduate with this type of degree go on to work for accounting firms, businesses, governmental or not-for-profit organizations. Accounting associates' responsibilities may involve providing assistance to top level accountants and auditors by performing accounting, administrative and bookkeeping duties. Other functions could include compiling data required for management and governmental reports and processing customer invoices using various accounting software systems.

The Associate of Applied Science degree is awarded for successful completion of 60 credit hours as outlined. Students desiring a less comprehensive program should consider the accounting certificate program.

The accounting certificate program is designed to provide workforce training in a time period shorter than two years. The certificate is awarded for successful completion of 18 credit hours as outlined.

### FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Please contact the Management and Accounting Department at [LoneStar.edu/Accounting-Dept](http://LoneStar.edu/Accounting-Dept)

Also available online

<sup>1</sup>Texas Wages and Employment Projections is brought to you by the Labor Market & Career Information (LMCI) Department of the Texas Workforce Commission. [www.TexasWages.com](http://www.TexasWages.com), 2017.

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**Certificate I**  
18 Credits

**AAS Degree**  
60 Credits

**Corporate  
College**

Introduction to  
Accounting I

Intro to Computerized  
Accounting

Business Computer  
Applications

Business Principles  
OR  
Principles of  
Management

Federal Income Tax:  
Individual

Human Relations  
OR

Learning Framework:  
1st Year Experience

Business and Professional  
Communication

Principles of Financial  
Accounting

Composition & Rhetoric I

Principles of Managerial  
Accounting

Federal Income Tax  
for Partnerships and  
Corporations

Macroeconomics  
OR

Microeconomics

Business Law

Intermediate Accounting I

College Algebra

**Department Approved Elective:**  
Choose two from the following  
departmental electives:

- Payroll and Business Tax Accounting, OR
- Intermediate Accounting II, OR
- Personal Finance, OR
- Human Resource Management

**Humanities Elective:**

- Arts Appreciation, OR
- Music Appreciation, OR
- Introduction to Ethics

Internal Control and Auditing

Computerized Accounting Applications

Professional development opportunities are available for additional training and licensure.

Representative career titles and job positions for this program plan include:

- **Accounting Clerk**
- **Bookkeeper**
- **Accounting Assistant<sup>2</sup>**

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<sup>2</sup>Position titles vary by employer and location.

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in 2 years!**

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