

**Eastern WV Community & Technical College  
Master Course Record**

<b>Course Prefix and Number</b> BUS 281
<b>Course Title:</b> Business Algebra
<b>Recommended Transcript Title:</b> Business Algebra
<b>Date Approved/Revised:</b> 03-30-21
<b>Credit Hours:</b> 3 <b>Contact hours per week (Based on 15 week term):</b> <b>Lecture:</b> 3 <b>Lab:</b>
<b>Prerequisite:</b> Math ACT score 19, SAT math score 500, Accuplacer Elementary Algebra Score of 76, MTH 121, or permission of the instructor. <b>Corequisite:</b> None <b>Pre/Corequisite:</b> None
<b>Grading Mode:</b> Letter Grade
<b>Catalog Description:</b> This course is the basic study of algebraic functions, graphs, and processes applied to business and economics. Topics include polynomial, exponential and logarithmic functions, systems of equations, rational, radical, and analyzing business data.  <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Demonstrate competency and apply knowledge of properties of functions, including domain and range, compositions, operations, inverses and piecewise-defined functions.</li> <li>2. Perform algebraically manipulations including simplifying exponents, and radicals.</li> <li>3. Analyze and apply solution techniques, including graphing for first and second-degree equations and inequalities, radical, exponential, and logarithmic equations as they relate to business and economics.</li> <li>4. Evaluate, analyze and apply solution techniques, including graphing for roots of higher degree polynomial, and rational functions.</li> <li>5. Find the maximum or minimum value for a quadratic function.</li> <li>6. Solve systems of equations for two and three variables.</li> <li>7. Analyze a set of business data using quantitative technique</li> </ol>
<b>Implementation Cycle:</b> Spring
<b>Role in College Curriculum: (Check all that apply)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>General Education Core (Specify category)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Technical Core</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Restricted Elective AAS BUS, AAS ACC, CAS BUS and CAS ACC</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>General Elective</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Workforce Education</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Other (Please specify)</b>
<b>Course Fee:</b> None
<b>Instructor's Qualifications:</b> Master's degree with 18 graduate hours in Business Management
<b>Expanded Course Description:</b>

Tutorial labs and other hands-on activities as they related to business and economics are included.

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