Program Facts

The program is designed for students who desire to earn an online BS degree to teach business and technology courses in the middle and high school. Freshman and sophomore year requirements may be completed through MSU online, at an accredited community college or four-year college. The junior and senior course requirements are completed through MSU online.

Licensure and Endorsements

MIDDLE SCHOOL
Information and Communication Technology I (981)
Information and Communication Technology II (982)
Technology Foundations (984)

HIGH SCHOOL
Business Education (105)
Economics (193)
Computer Applications (111)
Technology Foundations (984)

CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY CENTERS
Business Career Pathways:
Accounting and Finance (952)
Management (955)
Marketing and Economics (956 and 193)
Career Pathway Experiences (917)
(formerly cooperative education)

Field Experiences

Field experiences in a public school business and technology setting include 40 hours in TKT 3003 Practicum in Technology Teacher Education completed in the junior year. During the last semester, students complete the teaching internship which requires a student to teach in a classroom all day, five days a week, for the entire semester under the supervision of a cooperating teacher and university supervisor.

Scholarships

College of Education scholarship information:
www.educ.msstate.edu/academics/scholarship/

TTE majors may apply for the Francis N. Matthews and Nan Carpenter Cain departmental scholarships as well.

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Praxis I Preparation
Visit www.ets.org to learn more about Praxis I, test dates and sites, and practice materials.

Contact the MSU Learning Center at 662.325.2957 for Praxis I study courses and workshops.
The Department of Instructional Systems and Workforce Development at Mississippi State University and the Center for Distance Education are pleased to offer a Bachelor of Science degree in Technology Teacher Education with a concentration in Business Technology. These students will become eligible to teach business and technology courses at the middle school and secondary levels.

In order to complete this 124-hour online degree program, students are required to have high-speed Internet access and access to a scanner, digital camera, and video camera (Smartphone device is acceptable.). Students are expected to have basic computer skills to include word processing, uploading and downloading files, and attaching documents. Students are required to complete an online readiness survey when they are admitted into the program. Students will complete the computer literacy examination to obtain IC3 certification.

All students must meet Mississippi State University admission requirements in order to be admitted to MSU. In addition, by the beginning of the junior year, students must meet the requirements to be admitted to the College of Education’s Teacher Education Program, including:

- Have at least 2.5 GPA on required 44 general education courses and an overall GPA of 2.5.
- Present an ACT score of 21 with a minimum of 18 on each sub-score, or a passing score on the Praxis.

172 in Reading
173 in Writing
172 in Mathematics

- Make a “C” or better in the following courses:
  - English Composition—6 hours
  - Mathematics—3 hours

- Obtain a certified background check through www.CertifiedBackground.com using MSU Code: MI43.

- Submission of two letters of recommendation from an educator.

- Verification of 40 hours of work experience with youth.

For the complete Technology Teacher Education curriculum sheet, visit: http://iswd.msstate.edu/programs/BS_TTE.html

**TTE Concentration**

- ACC 2013 Financial Accounting
- ACC 2023 Managerial Accounting
- EC 2113, EC 2123 Macro- and Microeconomics
- MGT 3213 Organizational Communication
- MKT 3013 Principles of Marketing
- BL 2413 Legal Environment of Business OR PHI 3013 Business Ethics
- TKB 1123 Doc Formatting/Information Processing
- TKB 2122 Intro to Database Management
- TKB 2132 Intro to Spreadsheet Design
- TKB 3133 Administrative Management & Procedures
- TKB 4543 Advanced Information Processing
- TKB 4583 Graphics and Web Design

Choose 1:
- TKB 4743 Desktop Publishing
- TKB 4563 Intro to Data Networks
- TKT 4763 Digital Tools for Teach & Learn

**Professional Education Core**

- EDF 3333 Social Foundations
- EDF 4243 Planning for Diverse Learners
- EDX 3213 Psychology of Exception Child & Youth
- EPY 3143 Human Development & Learning
- EPY 3253 Evaluating Learning
- EDS or TKT 4873 Seminar Manage Secondary Class

**Return admission requirements to:**

Admission to Teacher Education
College of Education
Box 9710
Mississippi State, MS 39762

Download forms from COE website:
www.educ.msstate.edu/academics/forms

Mississippi State University is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS).