

FINANCE CLUSTER

BUSINESS ACCOUNTING PATHWAY



Strong growth in accounting jobs throughout the next decade is expected to occur due to the increased growth in the number of new businesses and stricter accounting and auditing regulations.

PATHWAY COURSES

- Introduction to Business and Technology
- Financial Literacy
- Principles of Accounting I

RECOMMENDED COURSES

- Any business and computer science course
- Marketing Principles
- Work-Based Learning
- World Language

POST-SECONDARY DEGREES, DIPLOMAS, AND CERTIFICATES

TECHNICAL COLLEGES

- Accounting
- Business Technology
- Medical Administrative Assistant
- Office Accounting Specialist

COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES

- Accounting
- Business Education
- Business Management
- Economics
- Finance
- Marketing and Real Estate

CAREER AND TECHNICAL STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS



TOP CAREER CHOICES

Accountants and Auditors

Bachelor Degree needed
\$54,330 annual salary
1,090 annual average openings in Georgia

Bookkeeping/Accounting/Auditing Clerks

Moderate-Term On-the-Job Training needed
\$29,619 annual salary
1,490 annual average openings in Georgia

Budget Analysts

Bachelor Degree needed
\$58,698 annual salary
30 annual average openings in Georgia

Tax Examiner, Collector and Revenue Agent

Bachelor Degree needed
\$43,909 annual salary
70 annual average openings in Georgia

ADDITIONAL CAREER CHOICES

- Auditing Clerk
- Auditor
- Bookkeeper
- Budget Analyst
- Certified Public Accountant
- Corporate Accountant
- Entrepreneur
- FBI Agent
- Financial Advisor
- Financial Analyst
- Forensic Accountant
- Government Accountant
- Income Tax Professional
- Managerial Accountant
- Non-Profit Accountant
- Teacher



Source: GADOE Plans of Study

<http://www.gadoe.org/Curriculum-Instruction-and-Assessment/CTAE/Pages/Georgia-Career-Pathways-New-Rule.aspx>



Forsyth County Schools

CAREER EXPLORATION
& Pathway Discovery
CTAE Career Pathways / Fine Arts Pathways

- Alliance Academy for Innovation
- Denmark High School
- East Forsyth High School
- Forsyth Central High School
- Forsyth Virtual Academy
- Lambert High School
- North Forsyth High School
- South Forsyth High School
- West Forsyth High School