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Parents Academics 1: *Meet Your Student's College*

Jake Jabs College of Business &
Entrepreneurship



What We'll Cover Today

1 Introductions

2 Quick Overview of Jobs

3 Q&A

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2 Undergraduate degrees

- New!**
- BS in Hospitality Management
 - Hospitality Business Option
 - BS in Business
 - Marketing
 - Management
 - Finance
 - Accounting

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Minors &

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Certificates

- **Minors**
 - Entrepreneurship & Small Business Management
 - Business Administration
 - International Business
 - Finance
 - Accounting
- **Certificates**
 - Business
 - Entrepreneurship



2 Graduate degrees

- MS in Innovation & Management
- Master of Professional Accountancy

New! BS in Hospitality Mgmt **– Hospitality Business option**

- For students who are passionate about people, places, and creating unforgettable experiences.
- Combines business skills with hands-on experience to prepare for a career in hotels, resorts, restaurants, events, and more.



New! BS in Hospitality Mgmt

– Hospitality Business option

- Montana's hospitality industry is booming — **over 5,000 new jobs annually**
- Ranked as Montana's **#3 employment sector** (behind only healthcare and retail)
- Graduates will be prepared for leadership roles in:
 - Hotels & resorts
 - Restaurant groups
 - Tourism & destination management
 - Event & conference planning
 - Hospitality entrepreneurship



All Jobs students take classes in...

Broad-based business education with general knowledge and the flexibility to explore specialties that match your passions

- Intro to Business & Entrepreneurship
- Economics
- Math & Statistics
- Data Analytics
- Accounting
- Business Communications
- Marketing
- Finance
- Business Law
- Information Systems
- Operations Management
- Management & Organizations
- Strategy



Choose a focus area:

BS in Hospitality Management

Hospitality Business

- Hotel/Restaurant Mgmt & Operations
- Purchasing & Cost Control
- Revenue Mgmt
- Customer Experience

BS in Business

Accounting

- Accounting Info Systems
- Auditing
- Federal Income Tax
- Data Analytics for Accountants

Finance

- Corporate Finance
- Derivatives & Risk Management
- Financial Markets & Institutions
- Investments

Marketing

- Consumer Behavior
- Marketing Analytics
- Sales & Sales Marketing
- Marketing Research

Management

- Leading & Managing People
- Human Resources
- Sustainable Bus Practices
- Negotiation

Fall 2025 class list

Business

1) BGEN 104US-Business & Eship Seminar (3 cr)

2) Math (3-5 cr)

3) Economics (3 cr)

4) University Core (3 cr)

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Total: ~15 credits

Hospitality

1) BGEN 104US-Business & Eship Seminar (3 cr)

2) HTR 107 – Intro to Hospitality Mgmt (3 cr)

3) Math (3-5 cr)

4) Economics (3 cr)

5) University Core (3 cr)

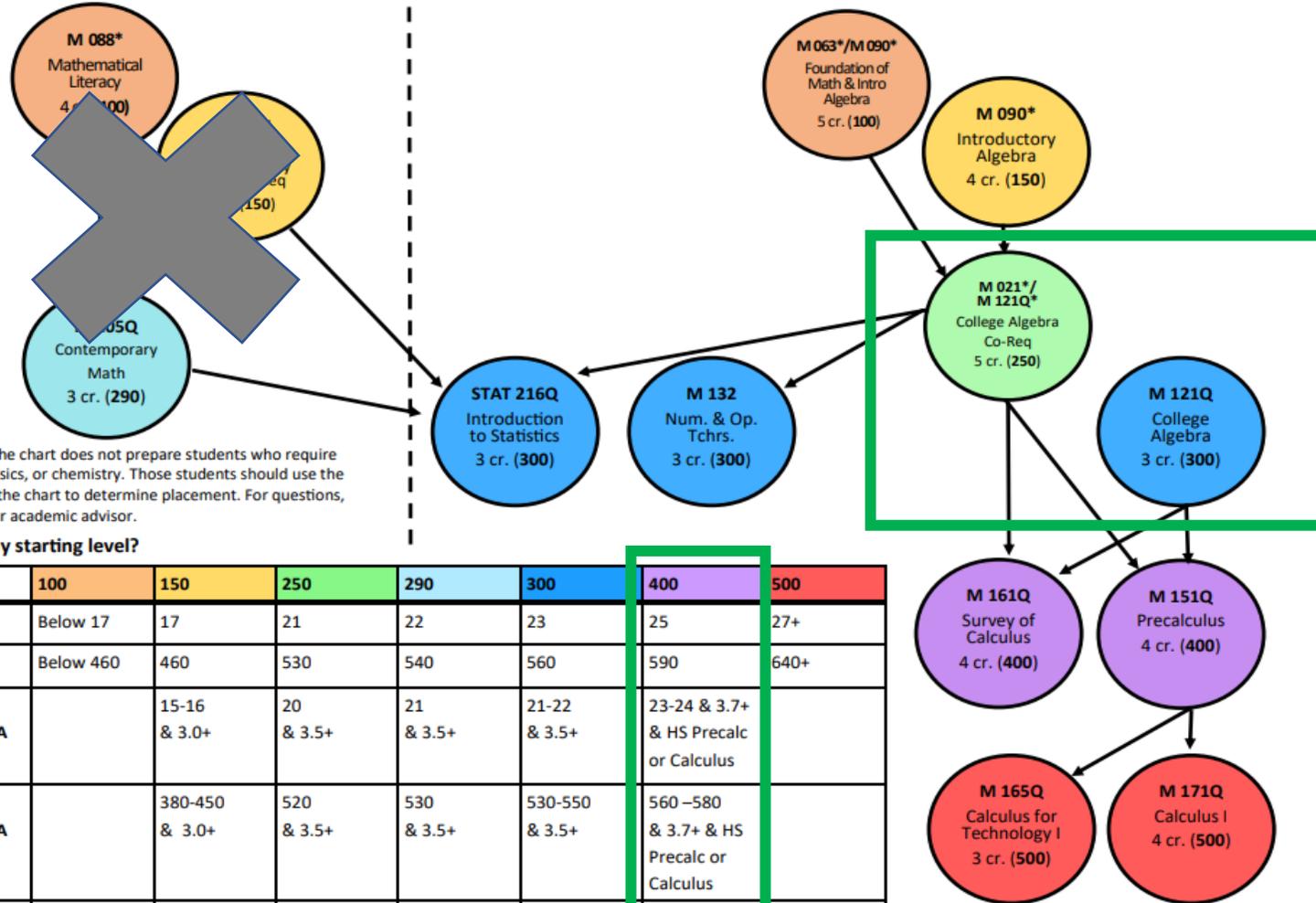
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Math Placement

Art, Humanities, & Some Social Sciences

Mathematics Prerequisite Flowchart

STEM, Business, Health, & Some Social Sciences



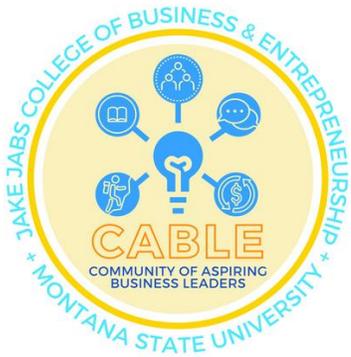
This side of the chart does not prepare students who require calculus, physics, or chemistry. Those students should use the right side of the chart to determine placement. For questions, talk with your academic advisor.

What is my starting level?

	100	150	250	290	300	400	500
ACT alone	Below 17	17	21	22	23	25	27+
SAT alone	Below 460	460	530	540	560	590	640+
ACT and HS GPA		15-16 & 3.0+	20 & 3.5+	21 & 3.5+	21-22 & 3.5+	23-24 & 3.7+ & HS Precalc or Calculus	
SAT and HS GPA		380-450 & 3.0+	520 & 3.5+	530 & 3.5+	530-550 & 3.5+	560-580 & 3.7+ & HS Precalc or Calculus	
MPLEX or EdReady Placement	10	15	25	30	30	40	50

* Indicates the class is being taught through Gallatin College

Revised: 5/26/2022



The CABLE Program

CABLE Kickoff

- Whitewater rafting, BBQ & Success Workshop

Learning Community

- Same students in BGEN 104 & WRIT 101W
- Instant friends, study buddies & peer mentor

Earn \$1,000 Scholarship

- Incentivizing positive behaviors to promote success



More Info & Application

Deadline: July 18

Academic and Career Engagement

The Bracken Center



Internships and Career

- Find meaningful internships
- Earn academic credit
- Explore careers



Business Communication

- Develop resumes and cover letters
- Refine class assignments
- Prepare for interviews



Professional Networking

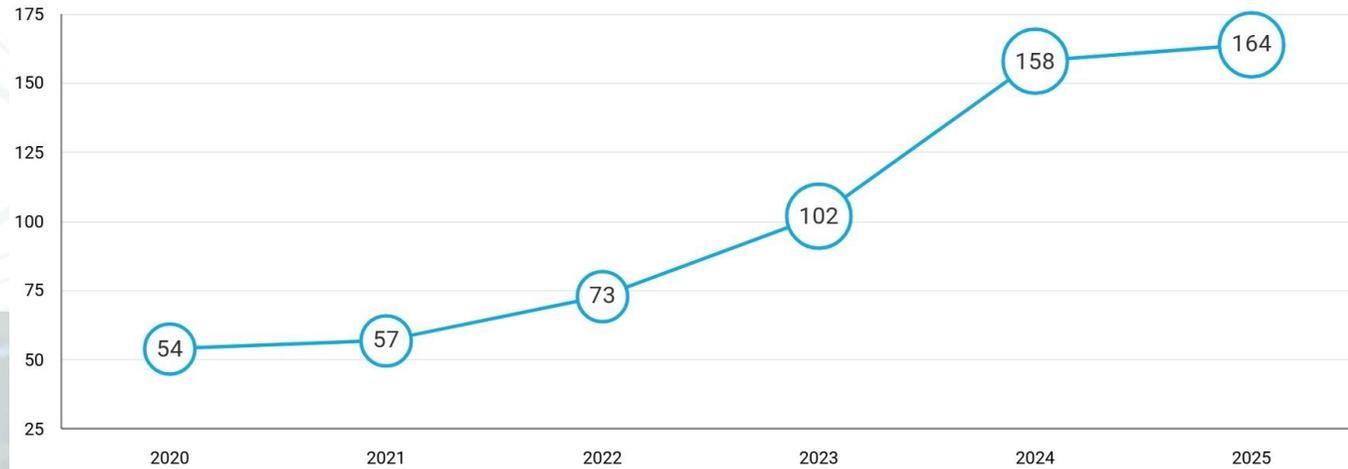
- Grow your network
- Connect with industry leaders
- Attend networking events





Job & Internship Support

Internships for Credit



70%

Jabs students complete an internship

Recruitment Events

MEET THE BUSINESS RECRUITERS



Join us the night before the MSU Career Fair
NETWORKING NIGHT
Learn more about your future!

Date: Tuesday, Oct. 3rd
Time: 5:00 - 7:00 PM
Location: SUB Ballrooms

sponsored by:


WHAT TO EXPECT? 

Whether you are a freshman or graduating senior, come network with employers actively looking for students like YOU!

Questions?
Please contact the Bracken Center
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JABS INDUSTRY PARTNERS NETWORKING NIGHT

SCAN HERE FOR LIST OF ATTENDING PARTNERS 

TUESDAY FEB. 25TH **6:00PM TO 8:00 PM**

A NETWORKING NIGHT **JABS HALL**



Whether you are a freshman or graduating senior, come network with employers actively looking for students like YOU!

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300+ students attend

50+ local & national companies



Average Starting Salaries

Spring 2025 Graduates



Q&A: What's on your mind?

- Support resources
- Study abroad
- Scholarships
- Engagement opportunities/clubs/activities
- Internships/Jobs
- Professional Development
- Entrepreneurship
- Faculty/class size
- Advising
- Minors & certificates
- Double majoring
- Computers
- Math requirements



Culture of Support

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jabsbizschool What a happy (and sunny) day for our Jabs graduates! Congratulations to you all on this momentous occasion!

Our Jabs faculty and staff were excited to celebrate our undergraduate and graduate students this morning in Jabs and over at the Fieldhouse.

Just remember:
"Let us make our future now, and let us make our dreams tomorrow's."



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