

**ATKINSON**  
**FACULTY OF LIBERAL AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES**  
**BACHELOR OF ARTS**  
**BUSINESS ECONOMICS - SPECIALIZED HONOURS**  
**STUDY PLAN CHECKLIST**

**NOTE:** Students are responsible for meeting requirements in effect **at the time of entry/re-entry to the program.**  
It is the responsibility of the student to take the correct courses and ensure all degree and program requirements are met.

<b>GENERAL EDUCATION - 24 CREDITS:</b>	<b>COMPLETE or INCOMPLETE</b>	<b>GRADE</b>	<b>PREVIOUS INSTITUTION(S)</b>
SOSC 6.00 1000-level			
HUMA 6.00 1000-level			
NATS 6.00 1000-level			
AK MATH or MODR 6.00 1000-level			
<b>MAJORS - 78 CREDITS:</b>			
AK/AS/SC CSE 1520 3.00			
AK/AS/SC CSE 1530 3.00			
AK ADMS 1000 3.00			
AK ADMS 2500 3.00 or AK/ADMS 1500 3.00			
AK ADMS 2510 3.00			
AK ECON 1000 3.00 *			
AK ECON 1010 3.00 *			
AK ECON 1530 3.00 *			
AK ECON 1540 3.00 *			
AK ECON 2300 3.00			
AK ECON 2350 3.00			
AK ECON 2400 3.00			
AK ECON 2450 3.00			
AK ECON 3411 3.00 or AK/ECON 3810 3.00			
AK ECON 3470 3.00			
AK ECON 3480 3.00 or AK ECON 3210 3.00			
AK ECON 3800 3.00			
<b>6 credits chosen from:</b> AK ECON 3430 3.00, AK ECON 3440 3.00, AK ECON 3570 3.00, AK ECON 3580 3.00			
AK ECON 4082 3.00			
AK ECON 4000-level 3.00			
AK ECON 4000-level 6.00			
AK ECON 4000-level 6.00			
AK ECON 3.00			
<b>REQUIRED COURSES OUTSIDE THE MAJOR:</b> <b>At least 18 credits at the 3000 level or above:</b>			
6.00 3000 level or above			
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Prerequisite courses: AK ECON 1000 3.00, AK ECON 1010 3.00, AK ECON 1530 3.00 and AK ECON 1540 3.00.

Students are given the option of taking either ADMS 2500 or ADMS 1500. However, students should be aware that:

NOTE 1: ADMS 2500 3.00 is the prerequisite for the required course ADMS 2510 3.00.

NOTE 2: Effective September 2006, ADMS 1500 3.00 is considered a course credit exculsion for both ADMS 2500 3.00 and ADMS 2510 3.00. Consequently, students who have received credit for ADMS 1500 3.00 may not retain credit towards their degree for ADMS 1500 3.00 if they complete ADMS 2500 3.00 or ADMS 2510 3.00 September 2006 or later. Please refer to the Senate policy for repeating of courses.

**MINIMUM FACULTY DEGREE REQUIREMENTS  
BACHELOR OF ARTS - SPECIALIZED HONOURS**

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** A Study Plan Checklist is an aid for planning courses only and should be used in conjunction with the calendar. It is NOT a substitute for the calendar. Degree and program requirements are subject to change. Every effort has been made to ensure that the study plan checklist and the York Undergraduate Calendar reflect the most recent changes. There may be instances when what is published does not reflect the most current University policy. In such instances, when the published versions of policies or regulations differ from what has been most recently approved by Senate, the latter will prevail.

**General education requirements:** 24 credits in accordance with the following to be completed at the 1000 level: six credits Humanities; six credits Natural Science; six credits Social Science and six credits Mathematics or Modes or Reasoning. Some programs require MATH 1710 6.00 as a general education requirement. Please refer to your program of study. General education courses **DO NOT** fulfil major or the degree requirement of courses required outside the major. No more than 30 general education credits will count towards a degree. (Exception: students who have successfully completed a nine credit 1000 level foundation course will be considered to have satisfied the six credit corresponding area of study in general education and three credits will count toward non-major or free choice courses.)

**Minimum academic standing for BA Honours:** Cumulative grade point average 5.0

**Major requirements:** Normally 54 credits including 18 credits at the 4000 level.

**Required courses outside the major:** At least 18 credits at the 3000 level or above.

**Upper level requirements:** Of the required 120 credits for the degree, students must complete at least 30 credits at the 3000 level or above, and at least 18 credits at the 4000 level.

**Residency requirement:** At least 30 credits not used toward another academic program are to be taken at York University. Half the major credits must be taken through Atkinson.

**Graduating with a BA Honours degree:** Students must pass at least 120 credits which meet Atkinson degree and program requirements. The cumulative grade point average (GPA) must be at least 5.0 for all courses.

**Failure to maintain minimum academic standing for Honours:** Advising is recommended.

Students whose cumulative grade point average on at least 24 York credits is below 2.5 must withdraw for 12 months.

Students whose cumulative grade point average falls below 5.0 (C+) during the course of their studies may proceed in an Honours program, on warning, provided that they meet the year level progression requirements as set out below: (year level is determined by number of passed courses including transfer credit):

Year 1 - 0 - 23 credits - Minimum 4.0

Year 2 - 24-53 credits - Minimum 4.25

Year 3 - 54-83 credits - Minimum 4.80

Year 4 – 84 credits – Minimum 5.0

Students who have completed less than 84 credits who fail to meet the minimum grade requirement for progression in Honours will be placed in the bachelor program of the major discipline (if applicable).

Students who have completed 84 credits but less than 120 credits whose cumulative grade point average is below 5.0 will be ineligible to proceed in Honours. Students may petition for an Honours waiver. Students who have completed 90 credits but less than 120 credits whose cumulative grade point average is at least 4.0 but below 5.0 may apply to graduate with the 90 credit bachelor degree or petition for an Honours waiver.

Students who have completed 120 credits or greater with a cumulative grade point average of less than 5.0 will be ineligible to proceed or graduate. Students may apply to graduate with the 90 credit bachelor degree if the cumulative grade point average is at least 4.0.

For further information, students should refer to the academic standing and academic penalties sections for Atkinson in the York Undergraduate Calendar available on the main York web site at: [www.yorku.ca](http://www.yorku.ca), under current students, courses and enrolment.

**For further program information please contact the School of Analytic Studies and Information Technology, Room 2005 TEL Building, 416-736- 5232, Fax: 416-736-5188 or E-Mail: [sasit@yorku.ca](mailto:sasit@yorku.ca).**

**PLEASE RETAIN THIS STUDY PLAN FOR REFERENCE PURPOSES**

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