The Accounting program is designed to provide students with a strong foundation in accounting, business and liberal arts. Accounting is called “the language of business” as all businesses use accounting to run their enterprises and report their financial performance. The Accounting program offers a full array of accounting courses that provide students with the skills and knowledge necessary to begin an entry-level career in accounting or to continue their education by pursuing a four-year accounting degree. Upon completion of the program requirements, the Associate of Applied Science degree in Accounting is awarded.

**Specialized Skills**
- Critical Thinking
- Detail Oriented
- Computer Skills
- Problem Solving
- Quantitative Reasoning

**Certifications and Professional Development**
- Microsoft Office Professional
- Basic Accounting with QuickBooks
- QuickBooks Advanced Training
- Social Media for Business
- Professional Writing

**Professional Organizations**
- American Association of Finance and Accounting
- The Institute of Internal Auditors
- Institute of Management Accountants
- Young CPA Network

**Helpful Career Links**
- BMCC Career Center: www.bmcc.cuny.edu/career
- Internships and Experiential Learning: www.bmcc.cuny.edu/experiential
- Accounting: www.bmcc.cuny.edu/academics/departments/accounting

**Articulation Agreements**
- Adelphi University: B.B.A in Accounting
- Long Island University: B.S. in Accounting
- Southern New Hampshire University: B.S. in Accounting
- South Eastern Missouri State University: B.S. in Business Administration
- Universidad de Sagrado Corazon: B.B.A in Accounting

**Other Transfer Options**
- Fordham University
- Syracuse University
- Baruch College / CUNY
- Brooklyn College / CUNY
- Queens College / CUNY
- St. John’s University

**Career and Salary Possibilities***
- **Auditor**
  ($41,000–$82,000)
- **Financial Analyst**
  ($44,000–$85,000)
- **Bookkeeper**
  ($25,757–$55,966)
- **Accountant**
  ($35,000–$71,000)
- **Bank Teller**
  ($20,272–$32,712)
- **Financial Controller**
  ($53,000–$131,000)
- **Personal Financial Advisor**
  ($37,000–$141,000)
- **Chief Financial Officer**
  ($73,000–$258,000)

*Career and Salary Possibilities are not guaranteed. Additional education, training or experience may be required and salary ranges may vary depending on location, industry and education level. Career and salary data provided by Career Coach.