

Lapwai Middle-High School

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT PATHWAY

Lapwai High School Localized Pathways: Regional Workforce and Educational Opportunities

PATHWAY OVERVIEW: Prepares students for careers in business, entrepreneurship, management, finance, marketing, accounting, and leadership. Students will gain real-world business skills, earn college credit, and develop the knowledge needed to succeed in both the workforce and postsecondary education. This pathway combines Career Technical Education (CTE), dual credit opportunities, workforce readiness training, and college preparation to ensure students graduate ready for their next step.

1. Business Foundations: Grade 9

Attendance and Academic Success; Digital Literacy Skills; Career Exploration; Introduction to Business Careers

- **Core Coursework**
English 1
Algebra 1
Physical Science
World History
- **Business Pathway Course:**
Introduction to Computers

2. Marketing & Economics: Grade 10

Business Communication; Leadership Development; Career Planning; Postsecondary Exploration

- **Core Coursework**
English 2
Geometry
Biology
Advanced US History
- **Business Pathway Course:**
Economics & Marketing

3. College & Business Preparation: Grade 11

Earn College Credit; Explore Business Careers; Scholarship Preparation; Postsecondary Planning

- **Core Coursework**
English 3
Algebra II
Chemistry
Government & Economics
- **Business Pathway Course:**
Business 101: Introduction to Business (Dual Credit)

4. Business Leadership Capstone: Grade 12

Professional Communication; Leadership; Financial Literacy; Critical Thinking; Teamwork & Collaboration; Workplace Readiness Skills

- **Core Coursework**
English 4
College Algebra or Advanced Math
Advanced Science
Government & Economics
- **Business Pathway Courses:**
Accounting & Business Essentials
- **Capstone Experiences:**
Financial Planning
Budget Development
Business Management Projects
Entrepreneurship Planning
Business Presentations
Career Portfolio Development

5. Postsecondary Opportunities

After completing this pathway, students graduate with:

- **LCSC College Credit**
- **Professional Workplace Skills**
- **Knowledge in Accounting, Management, & Marketing**
- **Preparation for College Business Programs**
- **Completion of the WRS Assessment**
- **Graduate Ready for College, Career Training, Apprenticeships, or Immediate Employment**

