Accounting is more than numbers. It is a diverse and dynamic field vital to business. Accounting is the language of business. The Accounting program develops critical thinking skills and an understanding of the systematic process used to identify, record, report and analyze business transactions for use in decision making. Students will be exposed to financial and managerial accounting principles, cost, taxation, computerized accounting and related topics.

**Degrees & Certificates Offered (Wabash Valley Region):**
Associate of Applied Science (AAS)
Associate of Science (AS)
Technical Certificate (TC)
Certificate (Bookkeeper, Enrolled Agent & Fundamental Payroll)

**Typical Careers:**
Bookkeeper
Payroll Clerk
Accounting Clerk
Accounts Payable/Receiveable Clerk
Junior Accountant
Staff Accountant
Tax Preparer
Enrolled Agent

**POINTS OF PRIDE**
- Graduates earn over $16.00 per hour with almost 600 job openings in Indiana.
- Full-time faculty are all Certified Public Accountants (CPA) with CPA firm experience.
- Students learn Quickbooks™, one of the most popular accounting software programs, in the Accounting Systems Applications class.
- Sage 50™ (formerly Peachtree) is taught in the Integrated Accounting Systems class.
- The Income Tax class leads to VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) certification with field experience and service learning projects.
- Ivy Tech is one of the few Indiana colleges that teaches a Payroll Accounting course.
- Students can conveniently take all degree classes in the Accounting Program in an online format.

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