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**
- Students learn from full-time faculty who are Certified Public Accountants (CPA) with CPA firm experience.
- All full-time program faculty have received or have been nominated for Ivy Tech's Excellence in Teaching Award.
- Students learn Quickbooks™, one of the most popular accounting software programs, in the Accounting Systems Applications class.
- Students learn Sage 50™ (formerly Peachtree) in the Integrated Accounting Systems class.
- The Income Tax class leads to VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) certification.
- Ivy Tech is one of the few Indiana colleges that teaches a Payroll Accounting course.
- Flexible class offerings including day, night and online formats.