



# ECONOMICS

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Insert Teacher Name

Insert Room Number

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## COURSE DESCRIPTION

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This course in Economics deals with fundamental economic theories, methods, and modes of expression. It introduces students to laws of demand, supply, production possibilities, diminishing returns, and the traditional graphs which express these concepts. It teaches the specialized vocabulary of financial planners and investors such as stocks, bonds, mutual funds, and deferred income funds within the context of the Federal Reserve System and stock and bond trading. It explores the theories of Adam Smith and Karl Marx as well as the methods and successes of American entrepreneurs such as Bill Gates and Oprah Winfrey.

## COURSE OBJECTIVES

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Students should:

- identify and explain how scarcity requires individual, business, and government to make choices about the goods and services they use.
- understand and explain how supply and demand influence economic systems.
- evaluate the role and function of fiscal and monetary policies.
- analyze and utilize the tools of financial markets and institutions in today's economy.

## UNITS OF STUDY

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- Fundamental Economic Concepts
- The Microeconomics
- The Employment, Labor, and Wages
- The Federal Reserve System and Monetary Policy
- The Financial Investments, Markets, and Equities
- Personal Financial Investing and Planning
- International Trade and Developing Countries

## COURSE POLICIES AND REQUIREMENTS

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### GRADING

Summative Assessments: Insert % Here (Minimum of 70%).  
Insert Categories/Weighting (ie. Papers – 30%)

Formative Assessments: Insert % Here (Maximum of 30%).  
Insert Categories/Weighting (ie. Quizzes – 50%)

Behavioral Characteristics: Insert % Here (Maximum of 10%)  
Insert Categories/Weighting (ie. Particip. - 90%)

Insert Additional Grading Information Here

### MATERIALS

Insert Course Materials Here (ie. Textbook, Binder, Calculator, Highlighters)

## **EXPECTATIONS OF STUDENTS**

Insert Course Expectations Here

## **EXTRA HELP**

Insert Course Expectations Here

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