

ECONOMICS - BACHELOR OF ARTS IN ECONOMICS

A Suggested Plan of Study for Students

This roadmap assumes student placement in MATH 1220G College Algebra and ENGL 1110G Composition I. The contents and order of this roadmap may vary depending on initial student placement in mathematics and english. It is only a suggested plan of study for students and is not intended as a contract. Course availability may vary from fall to spring semester and may be subject to modification or change.

First Year

| Fall | | Credits |
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| MATH 1220G | College Algebra (C- or better) ¹ | 3 |
| Choose one from the following: | | 4 |
| ENGL 1110G | Composition I (C- or better) ¹ | |
| ENGL 1110H | Composition I Honors (C- or better) ¹ | |
| ENGL 1110M | Composition I (C- or better) ¹ | |
| Area V: Humanities Course ² | | 3 |
| Elective course ³ | | 3 |
| Elective Course ³ | | 3 |
| Credits | | 16 |

Spring

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| MATH 1430G | Applications of Calculus I (C- or better) ¹ | 3 |
| Choose one from the following: | | 3 |
| ACOM 1130G | Effective Leadership and Communication in Agriculture (C- or better) | |
| COMM 1115G | Introduction to Communication (C- or better) | |
| COMM 1130G | Public Speaking (C- or better) | |
| HNRS 2175G | Introduction to Communication Honors (C- or better) | |
| Area III: Laboratory Science Course ² | | 4 |
| Area VI: Creative Fine Arts Course ² | | 3 |
| Elective Course ³ | | 3 |
| Credits | | 16 |

Second Year

| Fall | | Credits |
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| Choose one from the following: | | 3 |
| MATH 1350G | Introduction to Statistics (C- or better) ¹ | |
| A ST 311 | Statistical Applications (C- or better) | |
| ECON 2110G | Macroeconomic Principles ((C- or better, counts towards Area IV Gen.Ed)) | 3 |
| ACCT 2110 | Principles of Accounting I (C- or better) | 3 |
| Choose one from the following: | | 3 |
| ENGL 2210G | Professional and Technical Communication Honors (C- or better) | |
| ENGL 2221G | Writing in the Humanities and Social Science (C- or better) | |
| Elective Course ³ | | 3 |
| Credits | | 15 |

Spring

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| ECON 2120G | Principles of Microeconomics ((C- or better, counts towards Area IV Gen.Ed)) ¹ | 3 |
| Viewing a Wider World Course ⁴ | | 3 |
| Elective Course ³ | | 4 |

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| Elective Course ³ | 3 | |
| Elective Course ³ | 3 | |
| Credits | | 16 |

Third Year

| Fall | | Credits |
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| ECON 304 | Money and Banking ¹ | 3 |
| ECON 311 | Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory ¹ | 3 |
| Elective Course ³ | | 3 |
| Elective Course ³ | | 3 |
| Elective Course ³ | | 3 |
| Credits | | 15 |

Spring

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| ECON 312 | Intermediate Microeconomic Theory ¹ | 3 |
| ECON 405 | Introductory Econometrics ¹ | 3 |
| Viewing a Wider World Course ⁴ | | 3 |
| Elective Course ³ | | 3 |
| Elective Course ³ | | 3 |
| Credits | | 15 |

Fourth Year

| Fall | | Credits |
|---|--|-----------|
| ECON 457 | Mathematical Economics | 3 |
| Choose one Upper-Division Elective in ECON from the following: ⁵ | | 3 |
| ECON 332 | Public Finance ¹ | |
| ECON 449 | Open Economy Macroeconomics ¹ | |
| ECON 450 | International Economics | |
| Elective Course ³ | | 3 |
| Elective Course ³ | | 3 |
| Elective Course ³ | | 3 |
| Credits | | 15 |

Spring

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| Choose one Upper-Division Elective in ECON from the following (it must differ from the Fall semester): ⁵ | | 3 |
| ECON 332 | Public Finance ¹ | |
| ECON 449 | Open Economy Macroeconomics ¹ | |
| ECON 450 | International Economics | |
| ECON Upper-Division Elective Course ⁵ | | 3 |
| ECON Upper-Division Elective Course ⁵ | | 3 |
| Elective Course ³ | | 3 |
| Credits | | 12 |
| Total Credits | | 120 |

¹ Prerequisites are required, students are responsible for checking and fulfilling course prerequisites listed in the catalog.

² See the General Education (<https://catalogs.nmsu.edu/nmsu/general-education-viewing-wider-world/>) section of the catalog for a full list of courses.

³ Elective credit may vary based on prerequisites, dual credit, AP credit, double majors, and/or minor coursework. The amount indicated in the requirements list is the amount needed to bring the total to 120 credits and may appear in variable form based on the degree. However students may end up needing to complete more or less on a case-by-case basis and students should discuss elective requirements with their advisor.

⁴ See the Viewing a Wider World (<https://catalogs.nmsu.edu/nmsu/general-education-viewing-wider-world/#viewingawiderworldtext>) section of the catalog for a full list of courses.

⁵ Upper Division ECON electives are typically only offered during certain semesters, so students must plan accordingly.

Fall: ECON 337V Natural Resource Economics, ECON 449 Open

Economy Macroeconomics

Fall/Summer: ECON 457 Mathematical Economics

Spring: ECON 384V Water Resource Economics

⁶ **International Business Double Majors:** Students may not receive credit for both ECON 489 Senior Economics Seminar and I B 489 Senior Seminar in International Business For this reason, students majoring in both Economics and International Business must consult with the Department Head to arrange a suitable substitution.