

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

### Spring

MATH 1430G	Applications of Calculus I (C- or better) <sup>1</sup>	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 <sup>2</sup>		4
Area VI: Creative Fine Arts Course <sup>2</sup>		3
Elective Course <sup>3</sup>		3
<b>Credits</b>		<b>16</b>

### Second Year

Fall		Credits
A ST 311	Statistical Applications (C- or better)	3
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 or ENGL 2210H	Professional and Technical Communication (C- or better) or Professional and Technical Communication	
ENGL 2221G	Writing in the Humanities and Social Science (C- or better)	
Elective Course <sup>3</sup>		3
<b>Credits</b>		<b>15</b>

### Spring

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

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<b>Credits</b>		<b>16</b>

### Third Year

Fall		Credits
ECON 304	Money and Banking <sup>1</sup>	3
ECON 311	Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory <sup>1</sup>	3
Elective Course <sup>3</sup>		3
Elective Course <sup>3</sup>		3
Elective Course <sup>3</sup>		3
<b>Credits</b>		<b>15</b>

### Spring

ECON 312	Intermediate Microeconomic Theory <sup>1</sup>	3
ECON 405	Introductory Econometrics <sup>1</sup>	3
Viewing a Wider World Course <sup>4</sup>		3
Elective Course <sup>3</sup>		3
Elective Course <sup>3</sup>		3
<b>Credits</b>		<b>15</b>

### Fourth Year

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

### Spring

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

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

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

<sup>3</sup> 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.

<sup>4</sup> 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.

<sup>5</sup> 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

<sup>6</sup> **International Business Double Majors:** Students may not receive credit for 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.