

Economics

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This course will examine the basic characteristics of the American economy and the principles that determine its performance. Emphasis will be given to the factors that establish production, employment, prices, interest rates, inflation and recession. Students will examine the basic principles that determine the behavior of consumers as they respond to the changing economic environment.

Required Materials:

1. Textbook
2. Notebook
3. Folder or loose-leaf binder to hold handouts, homework, etc.
4. Pen/Pencil

Scope:

Markets and Prices
Supply and Demand
Competition and Market Structures
Income Distribution
Market Failures
The Role of Government

Assessment: Homework 15% Quizzes 25% Tests 60%

1. Quizzes will be given at the end of each section and tests will be given at the end of each chapter. Advance notice will be given for both.
2. All assignments are due at the beginning of class. Late homework assignments receive no credit, except for absences. It is the **student's responsibility** to hand in homework if he/she is absent. You will have as many days as you were absent to complete all makeup work. No exceptions!
3. Missed tests or quizzes must be made up the day you return to school, unless you have missed two or more consecutive days.
4. **All assignments** must have proper heading: NAME, DATE, ASSIGNMENT or no credit will be issued!
5. Always answer questions/vocabulary by restating the question in a complete sentence.
6. All assignments will be completed in blue or black ink.
7. Coming in late or leaving early does not excuse you from handing in the assignment on time.