



AP Economics CURRICULUM

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Course Information

High School Full Year Course

Course Description:

The purpose of the AP Economics course is to give students a thorough understanding of the principles of micro and macroeconomics that apply to the functions of individual decision makers, both consumers and producers, within the economic system. It places primary emphasis on the nature and functions of product markets. It includes the study of factor markets and governments' role in promoting greater efficiency and equity in the economy. The study of national income, price-level determination, and developing students' familiarity with economics performance measures, the financial sector, stabilization policies, economic growth, and international economies will be included. Students are expected (although not required) to take the Advanced Placement Microeconomics and Macroeconomics exams.

Curriculum Standards: [AP Macroeconomics Course at a Glance](#); [AP Microeconomics Course at a Glance](#)

Curriculum Resource(s): NA

Curriculum Link: The curricula for AP Macroeconomics and AP Microeconomics are published by The College Board and are linked here: [AP Macroeconomics Curriculum](#); [AP Microeconomics Curriculum](#)