

NOTE: Curriculum worksheets are supplemental planning aids. Every effort is made to ensure accuracy; however, it is the student's responsibility to understand and meet degree requirements as stated in the applicable Undergraduate Catalog. All students must have a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or better before changing their major to Economics BA. Contact the Economics department for approval prior to changing major to Economics.

Economics BA Curriculum Worksheet (2024-2025)

Freshman Year

First Semester

- 3 ECON 2110 Principles of Microeconomics
- 3 MATH 1020/1021 Business Calculus I ^{1, 5, 8}
- 3 Modern Language Req. ^{2, 10} _____
- 4 Natural Science w/ lab ³ _____
- 2 Elective ⁷ _____
- 15 Hours

Second Semester

- 3 ECON 2120 Principles of Macroeconomics
- 3 MATH 2070/2071 Business Calculus II ^{1, 8}
- 3 ENGL 1030/1031 Composition and Rhetoric
- 3 Modern Language Req. ^{2, 10} _____
- 3 SC REACH Act (HIST 1010; POSC 1010, 1030)⁹
- 15 Hours

Sophomore Year

First Semester

- 3 ECON 3140 Intermediate Microeconomics
- 3 STAT 3090/3091 Intro Business Stats ⁸ *or*
- 3 MATH 3020 Stats for Science & Engineering ⁸
- 3 Literature Req. ^{3, 10} _____
- 3 Non-Literature Req. ³ _____
- 3 Elective ⁷ _____
- 15 Hours

Second Semester

- 3 ECON 3150 Intermediate Macroeconomics
- 3 HIST 1730 The West and the World II ¹⁰
- 3 Major ^{4, 10} _____
- 3 Minor ⁶ _____
- 3 Global Challenges ³ _____
- 15 Hours

¹ Placement into the appropriate math class is based on the student's score from the Clemson Math Placement Test, the math portion of their SAT or ACT test, or approved transfer credit. The following Math sequences are acceptable: MATH 1020/2070, MATH 1060/1080, and MATH 1060/2070. If a student elects to take MATH 1060 or 1080, one credit will be applied toward the elective hour requirement. Students considering a graduate degree in Economics should begin with MATH 1060. **See an advisor for approval of course selection.**

² Students must complete through 2020 in a modern language. Language courses at the 1000- level are considered "prep" courses and count as electives. Modern languages taught at Clemson University or accepted for transfer credit include ASL, Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Latin, Portuguese, Russian, and Spanish. Students planning on taking French, German, Russian, or Spanish must take the Clemson Modern Language Placement Test before registering for a modern language course or have approved transfer credit. To take the test, go to: <https://www.clemson.edu/cah/academics/languages/resources/placement-test.html>

³ See General Education Requirements list in the catalog. Global Challenges credit hours must be selected from two different fields unless identified as interdisciplinary. At least three credit hours must be selected from a course(s) at the 3000-level or higher. A transfer course may not be used to satisfy the 3xxx or 4xxx level General Education Global Challenges Requirement. Approved 1xxx-2xxx level courses may be transferred for the "any level" equivalent.

⁴ Only ECON courses at the 3160 level and above qualify as Major Requirements. A minimum of three credit hours must be selected from ECON 3440, 3500, 3600, 4020, 4040, 4100, 4240, 4260, 4350, 4550.

⁵ A grade of C or better is required to take MATH 2070, ECON 3140, and ECON 3150

⁶ Economics majors may choose, in consultation with their advisors, any Department-approved minor.

⁷ Elective hours may be used for courses not required by General Education or your major curriculum and may be taken in any combination or at any time during your college career. Many students utilize these classes to pursue a double major or minor. Students should consult with their Academic Advisor before making any final decisions.

⁸ Students considering a graduate degree in Economics or related fields should strongly consider MATH 3020. The math sequence becomes MATH 1060, 1080, 2060, and 3020. MATH 2060 will count as an elective

⁹ Students should consult with their Academic Advisor before taking an equivalent course elsewhere as not all transfer courses cover all material required by SC State Law (SC. 38 as amended).

Junior Year

First Semester

- 3 COMM 1500/1501 Intro. to Human Comm. or
- 3 COMM 2500/2501 Public Speaking or approved cluster
- 3 Major ^{4, 10} _____
- 3 Minor ⁶ _____
- 3 Elective ⁷ _____
- 3 Elective ⁷ _____
- 15 Hours

Second Semester

- 3 Global Challenges ³ _____
- 3 Major ^{4, 10} _____
- 3 Major ^{4, 10} _____
- 3 Minor ⁶ _____
- 3 Elective ⁷ _____
- 15 Hours

Senior Year

First Semester

- 3 Major ^{4, 10} _____
- 3 Minor ⁶ _____
- 3 Elective ⁷ _____
- 3 Elective ⁷ _____
- 3 Elective ⁷ _____
- 15 Hours

Second Semester

- 3 Major ^{4, 10} _____
- 3 Minor ⁶ _____
- 3 Elective ⁷ _____
- 3 Elective ⁷ _____
- 3 Elective ⁷ _____
- 15 Hours

Total Hours 120

¹⁰Reserving this course, electives, and coursework for some minors (when possible) increases study abroad course options. Contact the Office of Career and Global Engagement for further information and assistance with study abroad opportunities.

Note:

- A. At least 50 percent of the total credits taken in ACCT, ECON, FIN, LAW, MGT, and MKT must be taken at Clemson University.