

ECONOMICS

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Economics: Associate in Arts for Transfer (AA-T)

The Associate in Arts in Economics for Transfer (AA-T in Economics) is designed to provide a clear pathway to a CSU institution for students who plan to transfer and complete a CSU major or baccalaureate degree in Economics. California Community College students who are awarded an Associate in Arts in Economics for Transfer (AA-T in Economics) are guaranteed admission with junior standing somewhere in the CSU system and given priority admission consideration to their local CSU institution or to a program that is deemed similar to their community college major. This priority does not guarantee admission to specific majors or institutions.

Program Learning Outcomes:

- Apply general economic theories and models to describe economic phenomena.
- Analyze and make predictions about the impact of government intervention and changing market conditions on consumer and producer behavior and well-being.
- Generate constructive analysis and creative solutions to real world issues by drawing upon relevant data and utilizing suitable economic theories.

Career Opportunities:

Career Opportunities include the following: economist, loan officer, systems analyst, project administrator, research assistant, sales engineer, state policy analyst, statistician, systems analyst, personal banker, insurance agent, stock broker, investment advisor, financial analyst, financial advisor, economic affairs officer, and many more.

To earn this degree, students must meet the following requirements:

1. Completion of the following major courses with grades of C or better;
2. Completion of 60 CSU-transferable semester units with a grade point average of at least 2.0 and;
3. Certified completion of either the California State University General Education Breadth pattern (CSU GE-B) or the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC).

Core Requirement Courses (16-17 units):

Course	Description	Units
ECN 001A	Principles of Macroeconomics	4.0
ECN 001B	Principles of Microeconomics	4.0
MAT 010	Elementary Statistics -OR-	4.0
MAT 010H	Elementary Statistics - Honors	4.0
MAT 012	Calculus for Business and Social Sciences -OR-	4.0
MAT 003A	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5.0

List A. (3-5 units) Complete One (1) Course:

Course	Description	Units
ACC 001A	Financial Accounting	4.0
ACC 001B	Managerial Accounting	4.0
BUS 021	Introduction to Business Computing	3.0
BUS 078B	Business Communications	3.0
MAT 003B	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II	5.0

List B. (3-5 units) Complete One (1) Course:

Course	Description	Units
Any course not selected from List A		3.0-5.0
ECN 006	The Global Economy	3.0
MAT 004A	Multivariable Calculus	4.0
MAT 004C	Linear Algebra	4.0

Units Required for the Major: 22.0-26.0

Completion of General Education Requirements and electives as needed to reach 60 units.

Total Required Units: 60.0

