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Textbook (Required-You are not allowed to take this class without required textbook)
- Economics, Roger A. Arnold, 10th edition, Gengage Learning Publishing Co.

Course Description

This course is an introduction to macroeconomics. It covers the principles of economics-the study of how society manages its limited resources and how society gets the most it can from its resources. The course emphasizes the study of economy-wide phenomena, including inflation, unemployment, and economic growth; however, in order to help students understand the economy as a whole, we may touch the subjects of how household and firms make decisions and how they interact in markets.

Course Requirement and Grading

There are 2 tests (including final) in this course and each test will weight equally. Student attendance, homework assignments, cooperation and participation are required. All students are expected to arrive on time and stay the entire class; class will start on time and no food allowed during class. Turn off cell phone! Exam schedules and chapters included for each test will be announced in class prior to test date.

Test and course Grading: A=90-100, B=80-89, C=70-79, D=60-69, F= any score below 60

Chapters to Be Covered: Chapters 1-19 (Macroeconomics)

Chapters that may be covered if time allows: Chapters 20 (more principles of economics)

The knowledge you are going to learn from this course will benefit the rest of your life. I expect a fun and exciting semester and look forward to working with each of you. Enjoy the semester and good luck to you all!