

Economics T

Economics T Course (BSSS)

This course is offered at T level and should cater for students with no previous background in Economics and learners who have an interest in developing their understanding of subject. The course is relevant to a diverse group of students including:

- those seeking tertiary entry by providing opportunities for achieving academic excellence through independent research;
- those seeking to study commerce or related areas at a tertiary level;
- those seeking vocational education and improved employment opportunities;
- those choosing to study the subject out of personal interest, and/or because of its relevance to their lives;
- those undertaking the course as part of an International Baccalaureate Diploma Program.

With all groups, the Economics course aims to draw upon the diverse life experiences of students while developing a variety of analytical and communication skills.

Pre- requisite

There are no pre-requisite for this course.

Progression

Students who are successful in this course will acquire the necessary skills and knowledge to ensure a smooth transition into an Undergraduate Economics course at tertiary level.

Completion will also allow graduates to be employed in either the private sector or the public sector for their analytical skills to forecast how the economy will impact on these organisations and to help them make the right spending or purchasing decisions.

Syllabus

- economic concepts and terms including the allocation of resources
- the Australian economy and the role of Government
- aggregate demand and supply
- macro and micro economics
- distribution of income
- economic growth and development
- foreign debt

- economic inquiries to analyse economic events and reach informed economic decisions
- globalisation and international trade and their impact on national economies.