

Baruch COLLEGE

BA IN ECONOMICS

42 Pathways Credits

9 Pre-Weissman Credits

3 Program Pre-Requisite Credits

25 Major Credits

41 Elective Credits

The degree map is a suggested term-by-term sample course schedule. Use the Degree Map along with DegreeWorks as tools to assist you in planning your academic path to graduation. You should customize your Degree Map to fit your individual needs.

Career related information can be found on the last page.

NOTE: A minimum 120 credits is required for the Bachelor of Arts (BA) degree. **A minimum of 90 liberal arts credits is required for the BA.** FYS 1000 is a requirement for the first term at Baruch College and **MUST** be completed in order to graduate.

DEGREE MAP

FALL

ENG 2100 Writing I ENGLISH COMPOSITION I	3 CR
MTH 2003 Pre-Calculus & Elements of Calculus MATH & QUANTITATIVE REASONING	3 CR
Flexible Core Course PATHWAYS REQUIREMENT	3 CR
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FYS 1000 First Year Seminar DEGREE REQUIREMENT	0 CR

FIRST YEAR

SPRING

ENG 2150 Writing II ENGLISH COMPOSITION II	3 CR
Foreign Language I 1st Semester of Foreign Language PRE-WEISSMAN REQUIREMENT	3 CR
COM 1010 Speech Communication PRE-WEISSMAN REQUIREMENT	3 CR
BUS 1011 Business Fundamentals ELECTIVE REQUIREMENT	3 CR
Flexible Core Course PATHWAYS REQUIREMENT	3 CR

15 FALL CREDITS + 15 SPRING CREDITS = 30 CREDITS

FALL

CIS 2200 Intro to Information Systems & Tech ELECTIVE REQUIREMENT	3 CR
Foreign Language II 2nd Semester of Foreign Language PRE-WEISSMAN REQUIREMENT	3 CR
ECO 1001 Microeconomics ELECTIVE REQUIREMENT	3 CR
ENG 2800, CMP 2800, ENG 2850, or CMP 2850 Great Works of Literature I or II PATHWAYS REQUIREMENT	3 CR
Flexible Core Course PATHWAYS COLLEGE OPTION REQUIREMENT	3 CR

SOPHOMORE

SPRING

STA 2000 Business Statistics ELECTIVE REQUIREMENT	3 CR
ECO 1002 Macroeconomics ELECTIVE REQUIREMENT	3 CR
Liberal Art Minor Course PATHWAYS COLLEGE OPTION REQUIREMENT	3 CR
Life and Physical Sciences Natural Sciences Lab Course PATHWAYS REQUIREMENT	3 CR
Scientific World Natural Sciences Lecture Course PATHWAYS REQUIREMENT	3 CR

30 PRIOR CREDITS + 15 FALL CREDITS + 15 SPRING CREDITS = 60 CREDITS

*Free Electives can be any business, liberal arts, or public affairs course

FALL

SPRING

JUNIOR

Liberal Art Minor Course PATHWAYS COLLEGE OPTION REQUIREMENT	3 CR
ECO 3100 Intermediate Micro-Economics MAJOR REQUIREMENT	3 CR
ECO 3200 Intermediate Macro-Economics MAJOR REQUIREMENT	3 CR
Major Elective MAJOR REQUIREMENT	3 CR
Liberal Arts Elective ELECTIVE REQUIREMENT	3 CR

ECO 4000 Statistical Analysis for Economics and Finance MAJOR REQUIREMENT	3 CR
Major Elective MAJOR REQUIREMENT	3 CR
Major Elective MAJOR REQUIREMENT	3 CR
Liberal Arts Elective MAJOR REQUIREMENT	3 CR
Free Elective* ELECTIVE REQUIREMENT	3 CR

60 PRIOR CREDITS + 15 FALL CREDITS + 15 SPRING CREDITS = 90 CREDITS

FALL

SPRING

SENIOR

Major Elective 4000-level Economics Course MAJOR REQUIREMENT	3 CR
Free Elective* ELECTIVE REQUIREMENT	3 CR
Liberal Art Minor Capstone PATHWAYS COLLEGE OPTION REQUIREMENT	3 CR
Free Elective* ELECTIVE REQUIREMENT	3 CR
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Major Elective 4000-level Economics Course MAJOR REQUIREMENT	3 CR
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90 PRIOR CREDITS + 15 FALL CREDITS + 15 SPRING CREDITS = 120 CREDITS

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THINGS TO TAKE NOTE OF

General Notes

- **Be sure to consult with your faculty advisor regarding specific major requirements. Major courses must be approved by the faculty advisor.**
- You must maintain a 2.0 Baruch GPA in order to remain in Good Academic Standing. You must also maintain a 2.0 major GPA in order to graduate
- Consult with the Undergraduate Bulletin to check course descriptions for prerequisites and restrictions: <https://www.baruch.cuny.edu/bulletin/>

The following subjects are considered liberal arts and can be taken at any level to satisfy liberal arts electives:

AAS	ANT	ART	BIO	BLS	CHM	COM
CMP	ECO	ENG	ENV	FLM	FPA	GLS
HED	HIS	HSP	IDC	JRN	LACS	LIB
LTS	MSC	MTH	NMA	PHI	PHY	POL
PSY	REL	SOC	THE	WSM	ALL MODERN LANGUAGES	

The following courses are **not** considered liberal arts:

ART 5010	ART 5011	COM 4059	ECO 5010	ECO 5011	FPA 5070	FPA 5071	HED 1810
HED 2920	MSC 2061	MSC 2062	MSC 2063	MSC 2064	MSC 5050	MSC 5051	SOC 4085
SOC 4086	THE 3046	THE 3056	ART/MSC/THE Studio Elective Courses				

Notes about the Major

- This major, unlike the Economics (BBA) major, is housed in the Weissman School of Arts and Sciences

Career Exploration

The economics major provides a framework for analyzing issues such as inflation, unemployment, and economic growth. Theory, policy, and trends are covered while exploring ways to deal with the economic problems that confront individuals, businesses, and nations. Such careers are found in business, finance, insurance, real estate, marketing, sales and government agencies.

5 Career Options for Economics Majors

1. Economic Forecaster
2. Professor
3. Business Analyst
4. Auditor
5. Consultant

5 Top Skills for Economics Majors

1. Analysis
2. Research
3. Problem Solving
4. Detail-Oriented
5. Communication

[Additional Career Information for Economics Majors](#)

