

2019 MAJOR – Economics

(Qualifying Major for Bachelor of Arts)

Economists understand complicated economic and social processes, intervene to make outcomes better, and set policies that have a major effect on society. The Economics major provides an excellent education in the leading theories, concepts and applications of modern microeconomics and macroeconomics. By focusing on supply and demand networks, and on how choices are made to ensure scarce resources are allocated efficiently, a major in economics provides the skills to critically analyse decision-making by individuals, business, government and global organisations.

Areas covered may include consumer sentiment, debt, economic growth, inflation, Keynesian recessions, market failures, natural monopolies, optimality, rates of interest, scarcity, standards of living, uncertainty, and unemployment.



The table below is a suggested first session for students beginning in Session 2, 2019. Please make your selection of units after reviewing the requirements of your award in the 2019 Handbook:

www.handbook.mq.edu.au/2019/DegreesDiplomas/Degree/Bachelor+of+Arts

Suggested First Session	
Session 2, 2019	
Unit Code	Unit Name
ECON111	Microeconomic Principles
STAT150	Business Statistics
BBA102	Principles of Management
Elective	Choose an elective unit

- You must also meet the general requirements for the degree for which you will qualify.
- It may be possible to satisfy the requirements of your degree by taking a different selection of units in your first session from those suggested above.
- Consider what units you will want to study in second and third year. Prerequisite requirements for those units must be completed prior to enrolment in the higher-level unit.
- For a double major complete required units for both majors where possible in the first year. If considering a double major consult the criteria found at www.handbook.mq.edu.au/2019/Majors.
- You can receive specific program advice from the faculty at any stage in your degree by lodging a “Program Advice” enquiry via <http://ask.mq.edu.au>.

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