

Economics

(ECON)

Our Economics program will introduce you to the discipline of economics and teach you how to explore and analyze national and international markets. Join one of Canada's leading programs in the field of economics and learn how to make a difference under the guidance of globally renowned professors.

Sample First Year Schedule

Your first year classes in Economics will consist of a mixture of courses within your major, general education courses and elective courses.

Course Type	Course(s)	Credits
Major Course	AP/ECON 1000 - Introduction to Microeconomics	3.00
Major Course	AP/ECON 1530 - Introduction to Mathematical Economics I	3.00
Major Course	AP/ECON 1010 - Introduction to Macroeconomics	3.00
Major Course	AP/ECON 1540 - Introduction to Mathematical Economics II	3.00
General Education Course	Any approved 1000 level course from the Humanities or Social Sciences (Modes of Reasoning are recommended)	6.00 or 9.00
General Education Course	Any approved course from the Natural Sciences	6.00
Elective Course	Any course for which you meet the prerequisite requirements	3.00
Total		30.00 (maximum)

Program Options

With Economics, you have the option of taking another program within the Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies as a Double Major or pursuing another program as a Minor. Economics can also be taken as a minor.

Double Major Options Include:

Disaster and Emergency Management	Information Technology
Health and Society	Political Science
Human Rights and Equity Studies	Urban Studies
	+ many more!

Minor Options Include:

Disaster and Emergency Management	Human Rights and Equity Studies
Health and Society	Information Technology
Human Resource Management	Political Science
	Urban Studies
	+ many more!

The York Promise

York is here to support you throughout your unique university journey. Beyond academic achievement, we strive to enrich your student experience through personal and professional development by offering:

- **Career-Focused Services**

Career advising, career fairs and networking opportunities to help sharpen your professional edge.

- **Academic Support**

Learning skills workshops, outstanding libraries, academic accommodations, transition programs and academic advising services designed to help you every step of the way.

- **Social & Leadership Development Programs**

A vibrant social scene with more than 300 clubs and organizations to enhance student life, and help you develop soft skills you can bring to the table in your future career.



Muddasir Khan
Fourth Year Student
Economics

"As I've progressed through the Economics program I've found many courses that suit my interests. It has been fascinating to discover how to smartly invest money into business and how to operate a business efficiently in the wake of scarcity."

Your Degree Pathway

A degree in Economics requires the completion of 90 Credits for a Bachelor's Degree (three years) or 120 Credits for an Honours Degree (four years). Your courses will consist of Major, General Education, and Elective Courses.

First Year

First year will introduce you to the university environment, provide you with general education courses, and allow options for you to study courses aligned with your own interests.



Economics Courses: Introduction to Microeconomics, Introduction to Macroeconomics, Introduction to Mathematical Economics I and II

General Education Courses: Humanities, Social Sciences or Natural Sciences (for non-science students)

Elective Courses: Your choice of courses outside of Economics

Second Year

In your second year, you will continue your development in the fundamentals of Economics.



Economics Courses: Intermediate Economic Theory, Statistics for Economics

General Education Courses: Humanities, Social Sciences or Natural Sciences (for non-science students)

Elective Courses: Choose new subjects to explore or continue to develop skills from previous selections

Third Year

Your third year in Economics will allow you to explore specific interests in the field.



Economics Course Options: Use of Economic Data, Monetary Economics, Economic Policy in Developing Countries + many more

Elective Courses: Choose new subjects to explore or continue to develop skills from previous selections

Fourth Year

In your fourth and final year, you will focus on specialized courses in your field and continue to explore elective courses of interest.



Economics Course Options: Advanced Theory, Public Finance, Game Theory in Economics, Financial Economics + many more

Elective Courses: These courses can include additional Economics courses or further courses of interest at the upper level



Your Degree!