



Please note this addendum to the 2018–2019 Undergraduate Catalog (from the Intrauniversity Programs section within the College of Arts and Sciences portion of the Catalog).

On Page 135 of the current catalog, please note the following change:

The paragraph below is not current for this Catalog. It should be replaced by the corrected sentence, also included below.

If submitted by the department through the University’s standard curriculum review process, the remaining aspects of the paragraph will be considered for the 2019–2020 edition of the Undergraduate Catalog.

ECONOMICS

~~Current students wishing to declare the Economics major (BA or BS) in the College of Arts and Sciences must meet both of the following requirements: (1) have completed MTH 1321 with a minimum grade of “C”, and (2) if they have not completed both ECO 2306 and ECO 2307, must have an overall GPA of 3.0 or higher. Transfer students must wait to earn a Baylor GPA of 3.0 or higher before declaring the Economics major.~~

Corrected paragraph:

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B.A. Degree

Requirements for a Major in Economics

Twenty-seven semester hours including the following:

- A. ECO 2306, 2307, 3306, and either 3305 or 3307. Economics majors must earn a minimum grade of C in each of these courses. Students earning a C-minus or less in any of these courses may only retake the course once to meet the minimum grade requirement.
- B. Nine semester hours of “4000” level economics electives.
- C. Six semester hours of additional “3000–4000” level economics electives.

Note: Qualified students may take ECO 1380 in lieu of ECO 2306 and ECO 2307, but doing so does not reduce the number of semester hours required for the major. Economics majors taking ECO 1380 must earn a minimum grade of C in the course.

Note: ECO 3308 and 3355 do not count toward the Economics major.

Required courses in other fields:

- A. BUS 1305 or computer literacy.
- B. Math and Statistics
 - a. MTH 1321 and
 - b. STA 1380 or QBA 2302.

Economics majors must earn a minimum grade of C in MTH 1321. Students earning C-minus or less may only retake MTH 1321 once to meet the minimum grade requirement.

Courses in mathematics, the social sciences, or business administration are suggested electives.

B.S. Degree

Requirements for a Major in Economics

Twenty-seven semester hours including the following:

- A. ECO 2306*, 2307*, 3306, and either 3305 or 3307. Economics majors must earn a minimum grade of C in each of these courses. Students earning a C-minus or less in any of these courses may only retake the course once to meet the minimum grade requirement.
- B. ECO 4347
- C. Six semester hours of “4000” level economics electives.
- D. Six semester hours of additional “3000–4000” level economics electives.

**Students may waive this requirement by satisfying one of the following: 1) SAT math score of 650 or higher or its equivalent; 2) a grade of A in MTH 1321 at Baylor; or 3) permission of the department chair. If ECO 2306 and/or 2307 are skipped, then additional courses in economics must be taken in lieu of the bypassed courses.*

Note: Qualified students may take ECO 1380 in lieu of ECO 2306 and ECO 2307, but doing so does not reduce the number of semester hours required for the major. Economics majors taking ECO 1380 must earn a minimum grade of C in the course.

Note: ECO 3308 and 3355 do not count toward the Economics major.

Note: Economics courses cannot be used to meet the basic social science requirement for the B.S. degree.

Required courses in other fields:

- A. MTH 1321. Economics majors must earn a minimum grade of C in MTH 1321. Students earning a C-minus or less may only retake MTH 1321 once to meet the minimum grade requirement.
- B. STA 2381.
- C. Eight semester hours of science courses with appropriate labs selected from: BIO 1305-1105; BIO 1306-1106; CHE 1301-1101; CHE 1302-1102; ENV 1301-1101; GEO 1406; One GEO from: 1401, 1402, 1403, 1405, 1408; NSC 1306-1106; PHY 1420; PHY 1430.
- D. Twenty additional semester hours of science and mathematics, selected from one or more of the following: biology, chemistry, geology, physics, psychology/neuroscience, environmental studies, and/or mathematics (excluding Mathematics courses taken to satisfy requirement above). All courses must count toward the major in the respective departments.

Note: MTH 1322 may be required for graduate school.

Students interested in the B.B.A. degree should see the Hankamer School of Business section of this catalog.

Prospective teachers of economics should refer to the School of Education section of this catalog.