## **AP Economics**

Scope and Sequence 2023-2024

Course Description: The Economics Advanced Placement course focuses on the concepts of macroeconomics by providing students an understanding of the principles of economics that apply to an economic system as a whole. Particular emphasis is placed on the study of national income and price determination. The course develops students' familiarity with economic performance measures, economic growth, and international economics. This course of study is the equivalent of a college introductory course and is available to seniors interested in taking the Advanced Placement examination in Macroeconomics.

Instructional Units	Days**	
First Semester	74	End Date
1 <sup>st</sup> Grading Period	37	10/20/2023
Supportive Learning Environment (SLE)	3	08/30/2023
Unit 1: Basic Economic Concepts	11	09/15/2023
Unit 2: Economic Indicators and the Business Cycle	11	10/03/2023
Unit 3: National Income and Price Determination	8	10/13/2023
College Financial Planning (First Semester Only)	2	10/18/2023
Unit 3: National Income and Price Determination	2	10/20/2023
*2 <sup>nd</sup> Grading Period	37	12/21/2023
Unit 3: National Income and Price Determination	1	10/23/2023
Unit 4: Financial Sector	13	11/14/2023
Unit 5: Long-Run Consequences of Stabilization Policies (1 Flex Day –	12	12/07/2023
Eco Fair)		
Unit 6: Open Economy-International Trade and Finance	11	12/21/2023

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Instructional Units	Days**	
Second Semester	94	End Date
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grading Period	42	03/08/2024
Supportive Learning Environment (SLE)	1	01/08/2024
Unit 1: Basic Economic Concepts	12	01/25/2024
Unit 2: Economic Indicators and the Business Cycle	12	02/12/2024
Unit 3: National Income and Price Determination	14	03/05/2024
Unit 4: Financial Sector	3	03/08/2024
*4 <sup>th</sup> Grading Period	52	05/31/2024
Unit 4: Financial Sector	10	04/01/2024
Unit 5: Long-Run Consequences of Stabilization Police	14	04/22/2024
Unit 6: Open Economy-International Trade and Finance	10	05/06/2024
Review for AP (1 Flex Day – Eco Fair)	4	05/10/2024
AP Exam	1	05/13/2024
Culminating Projects: Current Global Issues that Impact America's Economy	13	05/31/2024

\* Includes time for Final Exams.

\*\*The length of each unit is a specific number of days, but it is understood that there is a range of +/- a day. The purpose of the flexibility is meant to allow teachers the opportunity to plan for the needs of their students and to accommodate re-teaching or review when necessary. If pre-assessment indicates student mastery could be obtained in a fewer number of days, the additional time could be used for extension or carried into the next unit.

## Instructional Material(s):

*Macroeconomics, 22<sup>nd</sup> AP Edition*. (McConnell) 2021.