

Course Description

Course Title: Macroeconomics

Course Code: Determined by the Academic Department

Semester / Year: First Semester

Date of Preparation: 28/9/2025

Attendance Mode: In-person + Online (if necessary)

Total Credit Hours / Units: 3 Hours / 3 Units

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Course Objectives

- Introduce students to the fundamental concepts of macroeconomics and the study of GDP and its measurement.
- Enhance students' understanding of economic phenomena at the national level.
- Enable students to understand and learn macroeconomic theories.
- Prepare students to deal with economic problems and challenges

Teaching and Learning Strategies

- Theoretical lectures supported by presentations (Mindomo).
- Class discussions and case study analysis.
- Project-based learning (reports and short research papers).
- Training on banking transaction procedures.
- Use of electronic and library resources.

Course Structure

Week	Hours	Learning Outcomes	Topic	Teaching Method	Assessment Method
1	3	Basic macroeconomic concepts	Introduction to Macroeconomics	Lecture + Discussion	Discussions
2	3	Distribution theories	Distribution Theory in a Closed Economy	Lecture + Discussion	Quiz
3	3	Distribution theories	Distribution Theory in a Closed Economy	Lecture + Discussion	Short Report
4	3	National income concepts	National Income Concepts and Measurement	Lecture + Practical Analysis	Discussions & Tests
5	3	National income calculation	Methods of Calculating National Income	Lecture + Discussion	Quiz
6	3	Determinants of national	Determinants of National Income	Lecture + Training	Quiz

		income			
7	3	National income equilibrium	Equilibrium and Imbalances	Lecture + Discussion	Participation
8	3	Population and resources	Population, Resources and Economic Effects	Lecture + Discussion	Monthly Exam
9	3	Factors of production	Factors of Production and Returns	Lecture + Discussion	Assignment
10	3	Macroeconomic theories	Classical Theory	Lecture + Discussion	Short Report
11	3	Macroeconomic theories	Keynesian Theory	Lecture + Discussion	Quiz
12	3	Modern theories	Modern Macroeconomic Theories	Lecture + Discussion	Report
13	3	Macroeconomic equilibrium	Macroeconomic Equilibrium Methods	Lecture + Discussion	Assignment
14	3	Comprehensive review	Course Review	Review + Exercises	Class Participation
15	3	Final Examination	Final Examination	Written / Attendance	Final Exam

Course Assessment

- Class attendance and participation: 10 marks
- Quizzes: 10 marks
- Reports and assignments: 10 marks
- Monthly exam: 20 marks
- Final exam: 50 marks
- Total: 100 marks

Learning Resources

1. Main References:

Macroeconomics, Sami Al-Sayyid, First Edition, 2018, College of Administration and Economics.

Principles of Economics, Sami Ubaid Al-Tamimi, First Edition, University of Basrah, College of Administration and Economics.

2. Supplementary Resources:

Electronic references, internet websites.

Scientific journals and research related to macroeconomics.