

Kent State University

Economics Bachelor of Arts

Effective beginning Academic Year 2022-23 (Last revised April 27, 2023)

If a student is interested in a Business Economics (Bachelor of Business Administration/Bachelor of Science in Business/etc.) degree, then the student should follow the Statewide Guaranteed Business Transfer Pathway. This Associate of Arts or Associate of Science pathway in Economics is intended for students who would like to pursue a Bachelor of Arts, or at some institutions a Bachelor of Science, in Economics.

The following table outlines how transfer credits will be applied to the Bachelor of Arts in Economics degree at Kent State University for students who completed an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree via the Ohio Guaranteed Economics Transfer Pathway. The OGTP designation guarantees the transfer and applicability of credits, but does not guarantee admission to a program. Some bachelor-degree granting programs may be competitive, and students should check with individual institutions for their program admission requirements.

COURSE EQUIVALENCIES FROM THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE	Course Number	Credit Hours
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS/OHIO TRANSFER 36		
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved First Writing (TME001) course	ENG 11011	3
Calculus 1 (TMM005) or Business Calculus (TMM013)	MATH 12002 or MATH 11012	3-5
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Arts and Humanities course (Recommended: Humanities related)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Arts and Humanities course (Recommended: Arts related)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Principles of Microeconomics (OSS004)	ECON 22060	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Social and Behavioral Sciences course (outside of economics)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Natural Sciences course	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Natural Sciences course with lab	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3-4
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Second Writing (TME002) course	ENG 21011	3
Introductory Statistics (TMM010)	MATH 10041	4
Up to 6 additional hours of Ohio Transfer 36 approved courses	Ohio Transfer 36 Electives*	6
PRE-MAJOR/BEGINNING MAJOR		
Principles of Microeconomics (OSS004) (counted as part of the Ohio Transfer 36)	ECON 22060	0
Principles of Macroeconomics (OSS005)	ECON 22061	3
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS		
Foreign Language	Varies*	6-8
Electives	Varies*	7-11
TOTAL HOURS FROM ASSOCIATE DEGREE:		60-65

Advising Notes:

(*) Indicates that coursework will be evaluated for applicable equivalency upon transfer at the university. If a Transfer Assurance Guide (TAG) course is taken, the approved course equivalency will be awarded.



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The following additional coursework will be required to complete the Bachelor of Arts in Economics degree at Kent State University after a student has completed their Associate of Arts or Associate of Science Ohio Guaranteed Economics Transfer Pathway degree. Some bachelor-degree granting programs may be competitive and admission into the program is not guaranteed. Students should check with individual institutions for their program admission requirements.

REMAINING COURSEWOR	K TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE	Course Number	Credit Hours
University Requirement:	Domestic Diversity Course (if not already completed during the associate degree) ¹	Varies	0-3
University Requirement:	Global Diversity Course (if not already completed during the associate degree) ¹	Varies	0-3
College Requirement:	Two Additional Foreign Language Courses ²	Varies	6
Major Requirement:	Intermediate Microeconomic Theory and Applications	ECON 32040	3
Major Requirement:	Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory and Applications	ECON 32041	3
Major Requirement:	Applied Econometrics	ECON 32050	3
Major Requirement:	Senior Seminar in Economics	ECON 42191	3
Major Requirement:	Upper-division Economics Electives	ECON 3/4xxxx	12
General Electives:	General Electives ³	Varies	19-30
REMAINING COURSEWORK TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE TOTAL:⁴			55-60

Advising Notes:

Completion of the Ohio Transfer 36 will satisfy the entire set of Kent Core requirements.

- ¹ Students must complete the Kent State diversity course requirement, which includes one course with a domestic diversity focus and one course with a global diversity focus from the approved list. These can often be fulfilled as part of the associate degree with careful course selection. Please work with your advisor to identify appropriate courses.
- ² Assumes the student has completed the first two semesters of the foreign language sequence prior to entering Kent State.
- ³ The College of Arts and Sciences requires that students successfully complete a minimum of 39 upper-division credit hours.
- ⁴ Kent State requires a total of 120 credits hours for bachelor's degree completion. The total number of hours to complete the bachelor's degree represents a range of hours that may be needed depending on the individual course selections made during the associate degree program.

COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE	Total Credit Hours
BACHELOR'S DEGREE TOTAL:	120

SPECIAL NOTES

For more information, please contact: Department of Economics pathways@kent.edu https://www.kent.edu/cas



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SAMPLE DEGREE MAP

THIRD YEAR

SEMESTER 5		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
Foreign Language	3	
General Elective	3	
ECON 32040 Intermediate Microeconomic Theory and Applications	3	
Upper-division Economics Elective	3	
General Elective	3	
Total Semester 5 Credit Hours	15	

SEMESTER 6		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
Foreign Language	3	
ECON 32041 Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory and Applications	3	
Upper-division Economics Elective	3	
General Elective	3	
General Elective	3	
Total Semester 6 Credit Hours	15	

FOURTH YEAR

SEMESTER 7		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
ECON 32050 Applied Econometrics	3	
Upper-division Economics Elective	3	
General Elective	3	
Upper-division General Elective	3	
Upper-division General Elective	3	
Total Semester 7 Credit Hours	15	

SEMESTER 8		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
ECON 42091 Senior Seminar in Economics	3	
Upper-division Economics Elective	3	
Upper-division General Elective	3	
Upper-division General Elective	3	
Upper-division General Elective	3	
Total Semester 8 Credit Hours	15	