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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.

| GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS/OHIO TRANSFER MODULE | | Minimum Credit Hours |
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| ENGLISH COMPOSITION AND ORAL COMMUNICATION: | | 3 |
| Course 1: | Any OTM approved First Writing (TME001) course | 3 |
| MATHEMATICS, STATISTICS, AND LOGIC: | | 4-5 |
| Course 1: | Calculus 1 (TMM005) or Business Calculus (TMM013) ¹ | 4-5 |
| ARTS AND HUMANITIES: | | 6 |
| + Course 1: | Any OTM approved Arts and Humanities course (Recommended: Humanities related) | 3 |
| + Course 2: | Any OTM approved Arts and Humanities course (Recommended: Arts related) | 3 |
| SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES: | | 6 |
| + Course 1: | Principles of Microeconomics (OSS004) ² | 3 |
| + Course 2: | Any OTM approved Social and Behavioral Sciences course (outside of economics) | 3 |
| NATURAL SCIENCES: | | 6-7 |
| Course 1: | Any OTM approved Natural Science course | 3 |
| Course 2: | Any OTM approved Natural Science course with lab ³ | 3-4 |
| ADDITIONAL CREDITS: | | 12 |
| Course 1: | Any OTM approved Second Writing (TME002) course | 3 |
| Course 2: | Introductory Statistics (TMM010) | 3 |
| Courses: | Up to 6 additional hours of OTM approved courses ⁴ | 6 |
| GENERAL EDUCATION/OHIO TRANSFER MODULE TOTAL: | | 37-39 |
| <p>Advising Notes: Where it indicates "Any OTM approved," students should work closely with their advisors. (+) indicates that the courses chosen should be from two different areas within that category. ¹ A prerequisite such as College Algebra (TMM001) may be needed for a student to reach Calculus I (TMM005) or Business Calculus (TMM013). Students intending to pursue a Bachelor of Science in Economics should take Calculus 1 (TMM005). ² Principles of Microeconomics (OSS004) also counts toward pre-major/beginning major requirements. ³ Only one natural sciences lab is required. In some cases, taking one Biological Science and one Physical Science is preferred. Check with your receiving institution. ⁴ One recommended course is OTM approved Oral Communication.</p> | | |

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| PRE-MAJOR/BEGINNING MAJOR | | Minimum Credit Hours |
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| Course 1: | Principles of Microeconomics (OSS004) (counted as part of the OTM) | 0 |
| Course 2: | Principles of Macroeconomics (OSS005) | 3 |
| PRE-MAJOR/BEGINNING MAJOR TOTAL: | | 3 |
| Advising Notes: Principles of Microeconomics (OSS004) simultaneously satisfies OTM and pre-major/beginning major requirements and is counted under the OTM Social and Behavioral Sciences requirement. Principles of Macroeconomics (OSS005) may also fulfill OTM requirements. Please consult with your academic advisor. | | |

| OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS | | Minimum Credit Hours |
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| Foreign Language: | Demonstrate competencies through the intermediate level (Statewide guaranteed transfer courses available in American Sign Language, Arabic, Chinese, Japanese, French, German, Italian, and Spanish) | 6-8 |
| Electives: | It is recommended for students to use these elective hours to explore pursuing a double major or minor using TAG approved courses. Economics majors might choose to pursue a second major or minor in areas such as mathematics, statistics, or business. These hours can also be used to complete prerequisite coursework. If Principles of Macroeconomics (OSS005) is taken as part of the OTM, then elective hours will be higher. | 7-11 |
| OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS TOTAL: | | 15-17 |
| Advising Notes: A minimum of two semesters of foreign language should be taken if available. Additional foreign language courses may be needed as well – check with your receiving institution. If more foreign language courses are taken, then the number of elective hours will be lower. | | |

| ASSOCIATE DEGREE | Total Credit Hours |
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| ASSOCIATE DEGREE TOTAL: | 60-65 |

| SPECIAL NOTES |
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| <p>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.</p> <p>Some bachelor-degree granting institutions require additional general education courses outside of the Ohio Transfer Module and students may be required to take these courses in their junior or senior year. Students will still be able to follow this pathway and complete their bachelor's degree in approximately 60 additional credit hours.</p> |