

Course Description:

Throughout our short four days together, my goal is for each participant to come away better prepared to teach AP Economics. This objective will be achieved through an intensive review of specific content, as listed in the Acorn Book, published by the College Board. Lessons on more difficult concepts will be modeled. Second, participants will study the design of the currently available part two questions and learn the use of rubrics in the grading process. Third, a session will be dedicated to setting up the course, either for a single semester or for a year. Early in the week, each participant will identify their schools need for Macro only, Micro only or a combination of both. Various texts and ancillary materials will be available for evaluation. Finally, we will establish a network of support for teachers seeking help in any content area. Topics covered will be Scarcity and choice, supply and demand, consumer and producer surplus, various market structures and cost curves, game theory, the macro models of Aggregate Demand and Supply, money market, bond market, currency markets, fiscal and monetary policy and trade. Please join us for a busy week and jump into the excitement of a course relevant to what all our students hear and see in daily life. Economics is everywhere.

Day One	Day Two - Micro	Day Three – Macro	Day Four
AM <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introductions• What is AP?	AM <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Nature and Functions of	AM <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Measuring the Economy	AM

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explanation of courses • Exam format • Equity • Best Practices • Scarcity • Factors of Production • Marginal Analysis 	<p>product markets</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Theory of Consumer Choice • Perfect Competition • Monopoly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aggregate Demand • SRAS & LRAS • Macro Graphing • Fiscal Policy • Phillip's Curve • Monetary Policy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trade Currency Markets • The Graphs of Economics Micro & Macro • Wrap & Review • Course Set up
<p>PM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comparative Advantage & Trade • Supply and Demand • Elasticity 	<p>PM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oligopoly • Game Theory • Monopolistic Competition 	<p>PM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bond Markets • Loanable Funds Market • Budgets, Deficit & Debt 	<p>PM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Audit • Acorn Book • Textbook • Additional Recourse • Network