

Economics 102 Principles of Macroeconomics

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Exams: Exam #1 Thursday, February 2nd
Exam #2 Thursday, March 2nd
Exam #3 Thursday, April 4th
Exam #4 Monday, May 1st 1:00pm
Tuesday, May 2nd 5:30pm

Each exam is worth 25% of the final grade. If you miss an exam due to a college regulated excused absence, notify me soon as possible and provide documentation. No other reasons for missing an exam will be accepted unless you notify me at least a class before the exam date. An unexcused absence from an exam will result in an exam grade of zero.

Homework: Problem Sets will be given and while they will not be collected, it is recommended that you work through them.

Grading Scale:

	A 93% and above	A- 90% to 92%
B+ 87% to 89%	B 83% to 86%	B- 80% to 82%
C+ 77% to 79%	C 73% to 76%	C- 70% to 72%
D+ 67% to 69%	D 63% to 66%	D- 60% to 62%
	F 59% and below	

Attendance Policy: While I do not require attendance, I do expect you to come to class on time and forbid you from leaving early without notifying me in advance.

Academic Dishonesty: Any evidence of academic dishonesty may result in your failure of this course. Academic dishonesty includes using exams from previous semesters, working together or copying (or allowing someone else to copy) any work that is turned in for a grade.

	National Income (Ch 10) 12-Jan
National Income/Business Cycle 17-Jan	Measuring Prices (Ch 11) 19-Jan
Unemployment (Ch 15) 24-Jan	Growth (Ch 12) 26-Jan
Capital Markets (Ch 13) 31-Jan	Exam #1 2-Feb
Money & Banking (Ch 16) 7-Feb	Banking & the FED 9-Feb
the FED 14-Feb	Inflation (Ch 17) 16-Feb
Present Value (Ch 14) 21-Feb	Coupon Bonds 23-Feb
Discount Bonds 28-Feb	Exam #2 2-Mar
Short Run Fluctuations (Ch 20) 7-Mar	Aggregate Model 9-Mar
S P R I N G 14-Mar	B R E A K 16-Mar
SR Money Market (Ch 21) 21-Mar	Monetary Policy 23-Mar
Fiscal Policy 28-Mar	Phillips Curve (Ch 22) 30-Mar
Exam #3 4-Apr	Comparative Advantage (Ch 3) 6-Apr
Comparative Advantage 11-Apr	NO CLASS 13-Apr
International Trade (Ch 9) 18-Apr	International Finance (Ch 18) 20-Apr
Open Economy Model (Ch 19) 25-Apr	Open Economy Model 27-Apr