

Associate in Arts (651)

This program prepares students to transfer to four-year institutions to pursue a bachelor's degree in economics. **Students who have already chosen the university to which they plan to transfer should consult that institution's catalog or department advisor and an SVCC academic advisor in planning their program.**

Work and Employment

Economists seek careers in financial institutions and other aspects of business and government. Economists can also be self-employed as financial advisors or compete for some jobs with business graduates. Click here for further career information: <https://www.svcc.edu/academics/programs/individual/651.html>

Special Considerations

Students planning to major in economics should cultivate effective oral and written communication skills and computer literacy.

Students wishing to pursue a Bachelor of Arts in Economics should consult an academic advisor regarding foreign language requirements.

Program Contacts at Sauk Valley Community College

Academic Advising, 815/835-6354

Suggested Program

First Semester - Sem/Hrs: 16-17

- Humanities 3 Semester hour(s)
- CIS 109 - Introduction to Computers 3 Semester hour(s)
- ECO 211 - Principles of Macroeconomics 3 Semester hour(s)
- ENG 101 - Composition I 3 Semester hour(s)
- FYE 101 - First Year Experience 1 Semester hour(s)
- MAT 203 - Calculus and Analytic Geometry I 4 Semester hour(s)
- OR
- MAT 220 - Finite Mathematics 3 Semester hour(s)

Second Semester - Sem/Hrs: 15-16

- Fine Arts 3 Semester hour(s)
- ECO 212 - Principles of Microeconomics 3 Semester hour(s)
- ENG 103 - Composition II 3 Semester hour(s)
- MAT 204 - Calculus and Analytic Geometry II 4 Semester hour(s)
- OR
- MAT 221 - Calculus for Business and Social Sciences 3 Semester hour(s)
- PSC 163 - American Politics and Government 3 Semester hour(s)

Third Semester - Sem/Hrs: 16-17

- Communications 3 Semester hour(s)
- *Life Science 3 Semester hour(s)
- Humanities/Fine Arts 3-4 Semester hour(s)

- ACC 101 - Financial Accounting 4 Semester hour(s)
- MAT 150 - Computer Programming for Math and Engineering 3 Semester hour(s)

Fourth Semester - Sem/Hrs: 16-17

- Electives 6 Semester hour(s)
- *Physical Science 3-4 Semester hour(s)

- ACC 102 - Managerial Accounting 4 Semester hour(s)
- COM 131 - Introduction to Oral Communication 3 Semester hour(s)

Total Credits: 64-66

Footnotes

*One lab science required.

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