

## A GUIDE FOR BA ECON (Accounting &/or Finance) STUDENTS SIGNING UP FOR LECTURES AND TUTORIALS

In the first year, you will be required to take the following courses totalling **120 credits**, as follows:

### Accounting and Finance compulsory courses:

Course code	Course Unit Title	Credits	Pre/Co-requisites, Notes
<b>Accounting &amp; Finance students must take 30 credits of the following compulsory course unit:</b>			
BMAN10501	Financial Reporting	10	
BMAN10512	Introductory Management Accounting	10	
BMAN10522	Financial Decision Making	10	

The above BMAN compulsory courses will normally have been added to your enrolment.

### Economics (Mathematics and Statistics) course units:

	Course code	Course Unit Title	Credits	Pre/Co-requisites, Notes
<b>ECONOMICS (Mathematics and Statistics)</b>				
<b>Students must take 20 credits from the following:</b>				
	ECON10061	Introductory Mathematics	10	P: GCSE or AS Level Mathematics
&	SOST10062	Introductory Statistics for Economists	10	C: ECON10061
or	ECON10071	Advanced Mathematics	10	P: A Level Mathematics
&	ECON10072	Advanced Statistics	10	C: ECON10071

Mathematics and Statistics courses will normally have been added to your enrolment, taking into consideration your **prior Mathematics attainment qualification** before coming to University. If you have not taken standard A Level or AS Level qualifications or equivalent, and you think that the level you have been allocated is incorrect, please contact Shau Chan, BA Econ Programme Administrator at: [baecon@manchester.ac.uk](mailto:baecon@manchester.ac.uk), who will be able to look at this again.

### Economics (Microeconomics and Macroeconomics) course units:

	Course code	Course Unit Title	Credits	Pre/Co-requisites, Notes
<b>ECONOMICS (Microeconomics and Macroeconomics)</b>				
<b>Students must take 40 credits from the following:</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Students without A Level Mathematics take Block A;</b></li> <li>• <b>Students with A Level Mathematics take either Block A or B;</b></li> </ul>				
<b>A</b>	ECON10331	Microeconomics 1	10	
	ECON10232	Microeconomics 2	10	
	ECON10241	Macroeconomics 1	10	
	ECON10262	Macroeconomics 2	10	
<b>B</b>	ECON10171	Microeconomic Analysis 1	10	
	ECON10172	Microeconomic Analysis 2	10	
	ECON10181	Macroeconomic Analysis 1	10	
	ECON10182	Macroeconomic Analysis 2	10	

Microeconomics and Macroeconomics courses in Block A will have been added for you. If you have A Level Mathematics or equivalent, you can consider switching to Block B. To help you decide with Economics courses you wish to be enrolled on and steps you need to do to switch, please refer to the information prepared by Economics with the following link: <https://spark.adobe.com/page/u45qBfH6s82tE/>.

**In these mandatory courses for above BMAN and ECON courses, you will be by default in Tutorial 00/Workshop 00/Seminar 00. This is a holding tutorial, and you will need to move yourself out of it into a live tutorial as soon as possible.**

## SELECTING OTHER 20 CREDITS OF COMPULSORY BA ECON COURSE UNITS

As well as taking 60 credits of Economics and the compulsory 30 credits of Accounting and Finance courses totalling 90 credits, you will need to select at least another 20 credits from the following subject areas below:

- Politics;
- Philosophy;
- Social Anthropology;
- Sociology;

### Optional Social Sciences course units:

<b>Students must take at least 20 credits from any of the following four subject areas below:</b>			
<b>Course code</b>	<b>Course Unit Title</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Pre/Co-requisites, Notes</b>
<b>POLITICS</b>			
POLI10201	Introduction to Comparative Politics	20	
POLI10301	Making Sense of Politics	20	
POLI10401	British Politics: Power and the State	20	
POLI10502	Politics of the Global Economy	20	
POLI10601	Introduction to International Politics	20	
POLI10702	Introduction to Political Theory	20	
<b>PHILOSOPHY</b>			
PHIL10021	Introduction to Ethics	20	
PHIL10402	History of Philosophy	20	
PHIL10622	Introduction to Metaphysics & Epistemology	20	
PHIL10631	Introduction to Philosophy of Mind	20	
<b>SOCIAL ANTHROPOLOGY</b>			
SOAN10301	Power and Culture: Inequalities of Everyday Life	10	
SOAN10312	Cultural Diversity in Global Perspective	10	
SOAN10321	Key Ideas in Social Anthropology	10	
SOAN10322	Introduction to Ethnographic Reading in Social Anthropology	10	
SOAN10361	Introduction to Business Anthropology: Consumers, Companies and Culture	20	
<b>SOCIOLOGY</b>			
SOCY10401	Social Inequalities in Contemporary Britain	20	
SOCY10421	Foundations of Social Thought	20	
SOCY10432	Contemporary Social Thought	20	
SOCY10442	Media, Culture & Society	20	
SOCY10462	Global Social Challenges	20	
SOCY10912	Work, Organisations and Society	20	

After selecting the 110 credits of required course units, you will need to select the remaining 10 credits either from Social Anthropology (SOAN10301 or SOAN10312) or other optional BA Econ course units available below. This includes Economic History, Introduction to Mathematical Economics, Study Skills, Introduction to Development Studies or Computing for Social Scientists.

**No other course units, that are not listed within the BA Econ Programme Structure, are available to year one BA Econ Accounting &/or Finance pathway students.**

**Other optional courses units:**

The following optional course units may also be selected:			
Course code	Course Unit Title	Credits	Pre/Co-requisites, Notes
ECON10002	Introduction to Development Studies	10	
ECON10151	Computing for Social Scientists	10	
ECON10192	Introduction to Mathematical Economics	10	C: ECON10071. If you take Block B of the above Economics courses, you must take this course unit if you wish to continue with the Economics & Finance joint pathway
ECON10212	Economic History	10	
SOCS10902	BA Econ Study Skills	10	Cannot be taken in conjunction with SOCS10911
SOCS10911	BA Econ Study Skills	10	Cannot be taken in conjunction with SOCS10902

Please remember you are required to complete course units totalling 120 credits. A balanced workload of 60 credits in each semester is recommended. However, you can take at least 50 credits and no more than 70 credits in any one semester.

To determine which semester a course runs, you need to check the last digit of the course code. “1” is first semester; “2” is second semester; “0” in both semesters.

**Please don’t attempt to enrol on your course units until you receive further information during Welcome Week.**

The programme team and teaching staff at the School of Social Sciences and the Alliance Manchester Business School will be hosting a series of question and answer sessions on Zoom on **Tuesday 29 September**. The specific times and links are provided below. All times below are British Standard Time.

General Queries (two sessions)	10:00 – 11:00 15:00 – 16:00
Mathematics modules in Year 1	11:00 – 12:00
Economics	12:00 – 13:00
Social Sciences	14:00 – 15:00
Accounting and Finance	13:00 – 14:00

**Finding your timetable**

You can find your timetable by going to ‘My Manchester’ and clicking on ‘My Timetable’ in the left hand navigation. This will take you to a login page where you’ll need to enter your student username and password to access your timetable.

**Remote Study**

If you are studying remotely (online) in semester one please choose a class section which begins with ON or ONL. Some Economics units only have an online option for all students.

If a course unit only has one class section option to select (eg TUT0), please choose that.

**Here are some [instructions](#) for selecting your course units in Campus Solutions.**

## **IF YOU HAVE ANY FURTHER QUESTIONS...**

Please contact Shau Chan, the BA Econ Programme Administrator. The best way to contact is by email at: [baecon@manchester.ac.uk](mailto:baecon@manchester.ac.uk).