Economics 202
Course Outline and Reading Assignment

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2. Studyguide to Economics, by Forbush, Forbush and Menz.
3. The Economics of Public Issues, North and Miller (N & M)

Date: Topic Assignment
Sept. 3 - Sept. 8 Introduction to Economic Methodology Chapters 1-4, L & S
Sept. 10 - Sept. 26 Consumer Choice, Demand, Supply, Elasticity, Applications to Economic Problems Ch. 8,9,6,7, L & S (in this order) Ch. 5 should be read for review Ch. 1-9 N & M
Sept. 29 First Hourly Exam
Oct. 1 - Oct. 10 Production Theory, pure competition, economic efficiency Ch. 10,11,12,14 L & S
Oct. 13 - Oct 31 Oligopoly, monopoly, role of government in control, antitrust and social welfare Ch. 15,16,17,18,19 L & S Ch. 10-15 N & M
Nov. 3 Second Hourly Exam
Nov. 5 - Nov. 26 The theory of factor incomes and the distribution of income Ch. 20,21,22,23 L & S Ch. 16-19 N & M
Dec. 1 - Dec. 5 Externalities and market failure, welfare economics Ch. 13,24 L & S Ch. 20-26, 32, N & M
Dec. 7 - Dec. 12 Public Finance Ch. 25 L & S
Dec. 17 FINAL EXAM, 7:30 - 10:30

Tutorials are required, and account for 25 percent of your grade. Each exam (including the final) counts 25 percent of your grade. The FINAL is not comprehensive.

Five tutorial quizzes will be given, four of which will be included in the compilation of the tutorial grade.