The textbook is an integral part of the course. It helps the student learn the material and it also provides an easy reference to help GPTIs teach at the appropriate level. At its meetings on 14 November 2012 and 13 May 2013, the undergraduate curriculum committee decided that GPTIs, being relatively inexperienced, would benefit from guidance on textbooks when teaching core economic courses. Therefore GPTIs teaching Econ 1078: Math Tools for Economists 1 are required to use a textbook shown in the list below:

Kurt Sydsaeter, Peter Hammond, and Arne Strom: *Essential Mathematics for Economic Analysis*. Pearson. (This is the preferred text).


Because faculty are more experienced, this restriction on appropriate textbooks does not apply to instructors or tenure-track faculty.