INTERNATIONAL YEAR ONE IN ECONOMICS

WHAT WILL I STUDY?

YOU WILL STUDY THE FOLLOWING CORE MODULES:

**Collaborative project**
Work in groups to complete a research project relating to your chosen degree subject area.

**Economics**
Explore key macroeconomic and microeconomic indicators.

**English for specific purposes**
Develop your English language skills and awareness of language conventions in your chosen degree subject area.

YOU WILL ALSO STUDY 2 OF THESE ELECTIVE MODULES:

**Applied economics**
Learn how economic theory and data can be used to analyse real-world issues.

**Economic policy**
Discuss topical issues in economic policy at a national and international level.

**Financial accounting**
Prepare financial statements and analyse financial reports.

**STUDYING A 2.5 TERM OR 3-TERM COURSE?**

YOU WILL STUDY THE ABOVE MODULES, PLUS:

**English for specific purposes**
Develop your reading, writing, speaking and listening skills in preparation for university study.

**Independent project**
Develop basic academic research and reporting skills.

YOU WILL ALSO STUDY AT LEAST 1 OF THESE ELECTIVE MODULES:

**Preparatory mathematics**
Build your knowledge of algebra, geometry, trigonometry, graphs and transformations.

**Preparatory statistics**
Build your knowledge of collecting and using data.

COURSE OPTIONS

**2 terms**

- **Entry level:** high school completion with very good grades*, and minimum UKVI IELTS 5.5 (no less than 5.0 in any skill)
- **Course start → degree entry:** September 2018 → September 2019
- **Course length:** 7 to 9 months
- **Tuition fees:** £13,300

**3 terms**

- **Entry level:** high school completion with very good grades*, and minimum UKVI IELTS 4.5 (no less than 4.0 in any skill)
- **Course start → degree entry:** September 2018 → September 2019
- **Course length:** 10 to 11 months
- **Tuition fees:** £14,410

**Lower IELTS score?**
If your English language level is lower than that listed above, but you have at least UKVI IELTS 4.0 in all skills, you can take a course that includes Extended English and Skills (EES). Contact us for more details.

**Degree possibilities**
This International Year One can lead to several Economics-related degree subjects at the University of Essex, including:

- Economics
- Financial economics
- Financial economics and accounting
- International economics
- Management economics

* For some progression degrees, particular elective modules may be compulsory. Details will be on your offer letter.

Have any questions?
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**Career possibilities**
This educational route can open up many career options for you.
You could become a:

- Business manager
- Economist
- Financial adviser
- Financial trader
- Investment banker
- Politician

* Including equivalent of GCSE Maths at grade C/4 or above.