

Bachelor of Economics (BEcon)

2026 Program Structure – Semester 1 commencement

It is important that you read and understand the following information.

It is your responsibility to ensure that you complete all the requirements of this program in order to graduate. The following information is designed to help you plan your enrolment to meet this goal.

Further information can be found in the official program requirements and course lists under the **Courses and Requirements** link in the Courses and Programs website: https://programs-courses.uq.edu.au/program.html?acad_prog=2467&year=2026

You may need to amend this plan depending on your choice of major/s – please check prerequisites and semester offerings on [Programs and Courses](#). You are not required to submit this program plan for approval. However, if you have any questions or concerns about meeting degree requirements, especially when you are nearing the end of your program, please [contact](#) the Faculty of Business, Economics and Law for advice.

PROGRAM GUIDELINES

You must complete a total of 48 units from the BEcon course list, comprising -

- 16 units for all BEcon Core Courses; and
- 32 units for either
 - (1) Students who wish to complete two majors:
 - 16 units for one major from BEcon Majors (with at least 8 units at level 3); and
 - 16 units for a second major from BEcon Majors (with at least 8 units at level 3);

OR

 - (2) Students who wish to complete one major:
 - 16 units for one major from BEcon Majors (with at least 8 units at level 3); and
 - 16 units of general elective courses;

OR

 - (3) Students who do not wish to complete a major:
 - 16 units of BEcon Flexible Core Courses (with at least 8 units at level 3); and
 - 16 units of general elective courses.

Selected courses must include at most 24 units at level 1 and at least 8 units at level 3.

STUDY PLAN

BACHELOR OF ECONOMICS

PROGRAM CODE: 2467

You can use this outline to plan your program structure if you are commencing in semester 1

Courses	Units
YEAR ONE	
Semester 1 It is not possible to study more than 8 units (4 courses) in your first semester of study.	
ECON1010 Introductory Microeconomics	2
ECON1020 Introductory Macroeconomics	2
ECON1310 Introductory Statistics for Social Sciences	2
ECON1050 Tools of Economic Analysis	2
Semester 2	
ECON2010 Intermediate Microeconomics	2
ECON2020 Intermediate Macroeconomics	2
ECON2101 Cost-Benefit Analysis	2
ECON2300 Introductory Econometrics	2
YEAR TWO	
Semester 1	
<i>If you wish to have an overseas experience, you need to start planning for your exchange now (May deadline for an exchange in semester 1 of the following year)*</i>	
Course 1 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course	2
Course 2 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course	2
Course 3 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course	2
Course 1 for second Major or General Elective	2
Semester 2	
Course 4 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course	2
Course 5 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course	2
Course 6 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course	2
Course 2 for second Major or General Elective	2
YEAR THREE	
Semester 1 <i>Recommended exchange semester*</i>	
Course 3 for second Major or General Elective	2
Course 4 for second Major or General Elective	2
Course 5 for second Major or General Elective	2
Course 6 for second Major or General Elective	2
Semester 2	
Course 7 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course	2
Course 8 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course	2
Course 7 for second Major or General Elective	2
Course 8 for second Major or General Elective	2
Total Units	48

Ensure your major/s are listed correctly in mySI-net.

*Students who would like an exchange experience in their program are encouraged to seek advice from the BEL International Mobility Team (exchange@bel.uq.edu.au) and BEL Student Administration Team (bel@uq.edu.au) early in their program (i.e. commencement of year two). Please also familiarise yourself with the Academic Considerations: <https://bel.uq.edu.au/academic-considerations> and be aware of the exchange deadlines: <https://employability.uq.edu.au/global-experiences>