

# Postgraduate Department of Economics

## B.A. ECONOMICS

### Programme Outcomes

<b>PO1</b>	To provide students a well-founded education in Economics
<b>PO2</b>	To provide structured curricula which support the academic development of students
<b>PO3</b>	To provide and adapt curricula that prepare our graduates for employment and further study as economists
<b>PO4</b>	To provide the students with the opportunity to pursue courses that emphasize quantitative and theoretical aspects of Economics
<b>PO5</b>	To provide students with the opportunity to focus on applied and policy issues in Economics
<b>PO6</b>	To provide programmes that allow the students to choose from a wide range of economic specialization
<b>PO7</b>	To provide a well-resourced learning environment for Economics.

### Course Outcomes

Course Code	Course Title	Course Outcomes	
<b>SEMESTER I</b>			
	Perspectives and Methodology of Economics	CO1	It identifies the main concerns of social science disciplines
		CO2	It articulates the basic terminology and theories prevalent across various disciplines.
		CO3	It helps to understand qualitative and quantitative models within the social sciences, especially Economics
<b>SEMESTER II</b>			
	Micro Economic Analysis I	CO1	It gives the foundation for economic analysis and problem solving.
		CO2	It introduces a framework for learning about consumer behaviour and analyzing consumer decisions.
		CO3	The course also attends to firms and their decisions about optimal production.
		CO4	This course provides an introduction to supply and demand and the basic

			forces that determine equilibrium in a market economy.
<b>SEMESTER III</b>			
	Micro Economic Analysis- II	CO1	This course is designed to provide basic understanding of micro economic concepts.
		CO2	Students are provided with the working and performance of firms in the market
		CO3	It deals with behavior of economic agents – consumer, producer, factor owner – price fluctuations in the market.
	Economics of Growth & Development	CO1	This course enables the students to understand the theories and strategies of growth and development.
		CO2	It imparts knowledge about the issues relating to sustainable development, environmental protection and pollution control measures
		CO3	It makes the students more insightful about modern approaches to development
<b>SEMESTER IV</b>			
	Macro Economics 1	CO1	This paper provides the students the information regarding the theory of cost, market performance and welfare economics.
		CO2	This course also makes a picture regarding the cost analysis which seems to be integral to their life.
		CO3	It also aids the students to know more about the theoretical background of market structure
	Public Economics	CO1	The purpose of this course is to give an understanding of the role of state in fostering the economic activities via budget and fiscal policies.
		CO2	Students get a chance to know about the financial position of the country.
		CO3	This course enables the students to understand the various issues between Central and State Governments.
<b>SEMESTER V</b>			
	<b>Quantitative Techniques</b>	CO1	The objective of this course is to equip the students with primary statistical and mathematical tools for

			analyzing economic problems.
		CO2	Mathematical skills have become an essential tool for higher education.
		CO3	The outcome of this course is to introduce the body of mathematics to enable the study of economic theory including micro economic theory, macro economic theory, statistics and econometrics at the undergraduate level.
	Macro Economics II	CO1	This course is designed to make the students aware of the theoretical aspects of Macro economics.
		CO2	It helps the students to think issues which are a nature of economy as a whole.
		CO3	It presents macro economic trends of various variables and the theory behind it.
	Environmental Economics	CO1	This course imparts an awareness regarding the issues like environment conservation and climate change
		CO2	It also emphasizes the need of environmental protection and its role in economic development
		CO3	It gives an account on the role of human beings in preserving nature and nurture human values
	Introductory Econometrics	CO1	It introduces various concepts and application of econometrics.
		CO2	It helps the students to know the interrelationship between econometric variables
		CO3	It also provides an access to mathematical and econometric methods which are employed for economic measurement.
<b>SEMESTER VI</b>			
	<b>Quantitative Methods</b>	CO1	Students of Economics need a variety of statistical skills to collect, analyse and interpret empirical data.
		CO2	This course intends to provide an introduction to statistical methods and tools that are essential for the study of economics at the undergraduate level.
		CO3	Students are expected to be able to apply and use the basic concepts

			related to sampling techniques, and to determine sample size and also understand appropriate sampling method and determine optimum sample sizes
	International Economics	CO1	The objective of this course is to arrive at an understanding of theories of international trade
		CO2	It examines the impact of the trade policies on the world economy.
		CO3	It helps the students to know about the recent trade relations of the country.
	Money & Financial markets	CO1	The present course is designed to acquaint the students with the changing role of the financial sector of the economy.
		CO2	It introduces the students the functioning of stock markets in India
		CO3	The stake-holders are to familiarize with the basic concepts, the financial institutions and markets.
	Indian Economy	CO1	The objective of the course is to equip the students with the theoretical, empirical
		CO2	This course discusses the policy issues relating to the society, polity and economy of India.
		CO3	It also highlights the recent economic problems which are crucial for the growth of economy.
<b>CHOICE BASED COURSES</b>			
	<b>Mathematical Economics</b>	CO1	Students will have skills related to the basic concepts of Mathematics such as straight line, differentiation, Partial derivatives and Integral calculus.
		CO2	At the end of the Course, the Student will be able to Understand the derivative of a function.
		CO3	It also learn various applications of integration.
<b>OPEN COURSES (Offered During Semester 5)</b>			
	Fundamentals of Economics	CO1	This course is designed to make the undergraduate students of other disciplines aware of the basic ideas and concepts in economics.

		CO2	Students get the basic idea regarding national income, production, distribution etc.
		CO3	This course also inculcates some reasoning ability in students from other disciplines.
<b>Complementary Course BA History</b>			
<b>SEMESTER I</b>			
	Principles of Economics	CO1	It helps the students to learn to apply the basic principles and concepts of economics to everyday issues.
		CO2	It enriches the students with rational thinking.
		CO3	It also helps the students to imbibe the relationship among the members of the society.
<b>SEMESTER II</b>			
	Basic Economic Studies	CO1	It intends to make the students equipped with essential understanding the basic economic issues.
		CO2	This course addresses issues like in public finance, international economic issues, and Kerala economy so that they shall be capable of realizing and solving common economic issues in the society.
		CO3	Students also get acquainted with policy requirements.