

Syllabus for Bridge Courses

Department of Economics

‘Economics runs the world’ these rightly said words by Machine Gun Kelly mark the significance of Economics in higher studies. The evolution of Economics began a few centuries back and it’s still under the process. But throughout the journey it has offered many new insights to the learners. With the aim of making the Commerce students aware about the mechanism, how the economy is operated; the course was introduced to their curriculum. The course itself has its own characteristics. Many times it seems a little bulky and loaded with many concepts. It is necessary to decode this myth and present the course in front of them in the simplest possible way.

The objective of the bridge course is to act as a cushion to improve and orient the subject knowledge keeping in mind the students coming from commerce background. This gives them an overview and acquaints them with the basics of the subject before the classes start in full swing. With the help of this course, the students should get equipped with the basic knowledge and the assurance needed to take on greater challenges in future.

With this objective in mind, the bridge course is organized by the Department of Economics, to help the students who are studying the course for the first time with a different perspective. This course would cover the basics and general concepts of Economics to enhance student’s understanding towards the subject.. The main purpose of the course is to bridge the gap between the students who had studied economics in their higher secondary and those who had not and also to revise certain concepts which the students need to know.

TOPICS
● Scarcity
● Trade-off-Opportunity Cost
● Basic problems of Economics- What to produce, how to produce and efficient utilization of resources
● How economy works - Household, Firm and Government
● Economic and Non-economic activities
● Economics as a Subject and Branches of Economics(applications)
● Know Your Economic Terms