

ECON 201 : Personal Finance

An introduction to personal economics decision-making emphasizing individuals' financial choices in building and managing net worth. Topics covered include education and experience, earning and spending, savings and debt, taxes and inflation, insurance, investments, and contracts.

Credits 3

CIP Code

45.0601

Prerequisites

(May be taken concurrently)

Prerequisite Courses

LIBR 150

Course Outcomes

After successfully completing the course, the learner will be able to:

- Familiarity with appropriate information, data, and knowledge-gathering techniques and research skills in the discipline.
- Use appropriate critical thinking skills and problem-solving strategies in a variety of contexts.
- Learn the importance, and have a basic understanding of planning techniques.
- Develop and identify analytical skills to facilitate effective financial decision-making, including informed decisions regarding budgets, investment, insurance, retirement, and estate planning.
- Develop the ability to make appropriate financial decisions, both personal and business.