

Transferring from the BA to another UQ degree

Information for domestic students planning to transfer from Bachelor of Arts (BA) to

Bachelor of Economics/Bachelor of Arts (BEcon/BA) or **Bachelor of Economics (BEcon)**

The sample enrolment plans below are for students who are studying in the Bachelor of Arts (BA) in 2025 who hope to:

- transfer into the Bachelor of Economics mid-year 2025; or
- add Economics as a dual degree with Arts, mid-year 2025; or
- transfer into the Bachelor of Economics or Bachelor of Economics/Bachelor of Arts in 2026.

These plans have been approved by the Faculty of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences and the Faculty of Business, Economics and Law, and are provided as a guide only. The suggested courses are not compulsory, and many others are available.

Remember:

- To satisfy the Bachelor of Arts program rules, in their first year of study **all BA students must complete their first 8 units of courses the BA course list** (this excludes General Elective Courses). To view the full list of BA Courses and detailed information on a BA program requirements please see: <https://my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses/requirements/program/2000/2025>
- You must satisfy subject prerequisites AND obtain grades that will derive the required ATAR/entry rank for the *relevant program*. These are often best achieved by enrolling in courses you enjoy and therefore should consider your choices carefully. You may wish to contact UQ Admissions to discuss how your entry rank will be calculated on the basis of your academic history.
- If you are intending to change programs mid-year in 2025 or 2026, you should familiarise yourself with all relevant rules and procedures. More information is available from:
 - Programs and Courses website: <https://programs-courses.uq.edu.au/>
 - Admissions: email admissions@uq.edu.au or telephone 07 3365 2203.
 - 'Transferring Programs' sessions run during Orientation - check the *Orientation Guide* for details.
- You may seek further information on the Bachelor of Economics by contacting the Faculty of Business, Economics and Law: bel@uq.edu.au
- To apply for a new single program in the following year, you must submit a new application through QTAC. You cannot request this transfer internally. Please visit the [myUQ website](#) or contact UQ Admissions for more information.

Bachelor of Arts → Bachelor of Economics or dual BEcon/BA - with Mathematical Methods prerequisite already met

Semester One	Units	Semester Two	Units
Introductory level Arts course from the BA course list, eg. ECON1010 – Introductory Microeconomics	2	Introductory level Arts course or general elective, eg. ECON1200 – Money and Mind*	2
Introductory level Arts course from the BA course list, eg. ECON1020 – Introductory Macroeconomics	2	Introductory level Arts course or general elective eg. ECON1310 – Introductory Statistics for Social Sciences*	2
Introductory level Arts course from the BA course list, eg. RELN1000 – Religions, Spiritualities, and Non-Religion	2	Introductory level Arts course or general elective eg. ECON1050 – Tools of Economic Analysis*	2
Introductory level Arts course from the BA course list, eg. PHIL1002 – Introduction to Philosophy	2	Introductory level Arts course or general elective. eg. POLS1101 – Introduction to Australian Politics	2
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If successful in securing a place in the Bachelor of Economics (BEcon) single program, you may apply for credit for the courses indicated in **bold** above, plus up to 8 units of level 1 general electives in accordance with the BEcon rules.

If successful in securing a place in the Bachelor of Economics/Bachelor of Arts dual program, you may apply for credit for the courses indicated in **bold** above towards the Bachelor of Economics component. The remaining courses may be eligible for credit into the Bachelor of Arts component depending upon the plans chosen. There is no room for general electives in the dual program, but you may receive limited credit for Economics electives at level 1. ECON1200 can be granted as a BEcon Flexible Core course in the dual program if not pursuing a major for the BEcon component.

Bachelor of Arts → Bachelor of Economics or dual BEcon/BA - lacking Mathematical Methods prerequisite

Semester One	Units	Semester Two	Units
Mathematical Methods prerequisite MATH1040 – Basic Mathematics	2	Introductory level Arts course or general elective, eg. ECON1200 – Money and Mind*	2
Introductory level Arts course from the BA course list, eg. ECON1010 – Introductory Microeconomics	2	Introductory level Arts course or general elective eg. ECON1310 – Introductory Statistics for Social Sciences*	2
Introductory level Arts course from the BA course list, eg. ECON1020 – Introductory Macroeconomics	2	Introductory level Arts course or general elective eg. ECON1050 – Tools of Economic Analysis *	2
Introductory level Arts course from the BA course list, eg. RELN1000 – Religions, Spiritualities, and Non-Religion	2	Introductory level Arts course or general elective eg. POLS1101 – Introduction to Australian Politics	2
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If successful in securing a place in the Bachelor of Economics (BEcon) single program, you may apply for credit for the courses indicated in **bold** above, plus up to 6 units of level 1 general electives in accordance with the BEcon rules.

If successful in securing a place in the Bachelor of Economics/Bachelor of Arts dual program, you may apply for credit for the courses indicated in **bold** above towards the Bachelor of Economics component. The remaining courses may be eligible for credit into the Bachelor of Arts component depending upon the plans chosen. There is no room for general electives in the dual program, but you may receive limited credit for Economics electives at level 1. ECON1200 can be granted as a BEcon Flexible Core course in the dual program if not pursuing a major for the BEcon component.

NOTE: MATH1040 will meet the Mathematical Methods prerequisite for entry to the BEcon but will **NOT** be granted as credit towards the BEcon.