

Bridge Course
Session 2020-2021
Department of Business Economics

The Bridge Course in Micro Economics has been started for the students of first year who haven't studied Economics in their higher secondary. The course acts as an added advantage for the new entrants in helping them to understand the basic concepts of Economics. The course is dealt in such a manner where the students can be equipped with the basic knowledge in the subject and be ready to face greater challenges in future when they will apply these concepts in real life situations.

With this objective in mind, the bridge course was introduced as a one week course ranging between 6 to 8 hours covering the basics and general concepts of Economics to enhance student's understanding towards the subject. The students attended the lectures with full zeal and majority of them felt that the course improved their basic understanding and will help them in understanding the more difficult concepts in the subject during the regular course. Approximately 30 percent of the students who had taken this course had not studied economics before and all of them gave positive feedback that they would like to attend such courses even in the future. The motto of the course was to bridge the gap between the students who had studied economics in their higher secondary and those who had not studied. It has also helped some of the students to revise certain concepts which they found difficult in higher secondary. Thus the course has been able to fulfill its mission.

Bridge Course (2020 – 2021)

Time Table

(Total 8 hours allotted of which 4 sessions are of 1.5 hour and 1 session of 2 hours)

Date	Duration	Topics to be covered
24-01-2021	11:30 am-1:00pm	Basics of Economics, Central Problems of Economics, Production Possibility Frontier, Micro Vs Macro, Normative and Positive Analysis
25-01-2021	11:30 am-1:00pm	Consumer Surplus, Consumer surplus and Indifference curves, Concepts of Demand and Supply
31-01-2021	11:30 am-1:00pm	Movement along the curves and shifts, Elasticity of demand and Supply
01-02-2021	11:30 am-1:00pm	Income elasticity and Cross Price elasticity, Introduction to Indifference curves, Budget constraint
07-02-2021	11:30 am-1:30pm	Application of Demand, Supply and Elasticity Revision