

## Economics 202: Principles of Microeconomics

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Tuesday & Thursday 10:00-11:15, MC 402

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**Textbook:** *Microeconomics, 9<sup>th</sup> Edition* by Parkin

<b>Exams and Grading:</b>	Midterm 1: September 24	25 pts
	Midterm 2: October 29	25 pts
	Final: December 10 (at 8:30 AM)	25 pts
	Quizzes and homework:	25 pts

If you miss a midterm for a valid reason, and provide documentation to support the reason given, you may take a makeup exam at a time convenient for the instructor. Calculators are not allowed in the exam. Any material presented in lecture or assigned in the readings is fair game for the exam.

The best way to learn economics is by doing. Therefore it is in your best interest to work through as many problems as possible. The book contains answers to some of the exercises. We will also cover other problems in class.

There will be a quiz for each chapter. The homework problems and the quizzes can be found online on the publisher's website. Instructions for registering on the MyEconLab site are on the back of this syllabus. Check the website regularly for announcements, updates, homework sets and quizzes.

Sample exams are available online for each exam:

Go to my web page [http://academic.csuohio.edu/kosteas\\_b](http://academic.csuohio.edu/kosteas_b) and follow the link for this course.

Regular tutoring hours are held by graduate students in RT 1704. Consult either my webpage or our course webpage on MyEconLab for more information.

### Tentative Course Outline

Chapter 1: What is Economics?  
Chapter 2: The Economic Problem  
Chapter 3: Demand and Supply  
Chapter 4: Elasticity  
Chapter 5: Efficiency and Equity  
Chapter 6: Government Actions in Markets  
Chapter 7: Global Markets in Action  
Chapter 8: Utility and Demand  
Chapter 10: Organizing Production  
Chapter 11: Output and Costs  
Chapter 12: Perfect Competition  
Chapter 13: Monopoly  
Chapter 14: Monopolistic Competition  
Chapter 15: Oligopoly  
Chapter 16: Externalities  
Chapter 17: Public Goods and Common Resources  
Chapter 19: Economic Inequality

## How to Register and Enroll in Your MyEconLab Course

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**Textbook:** *Parkin: Microeconomics 9e*

**Course Name:** ECN 202 Fall 2009

**Course ID:** XL0D-V1X7-601Y-8OC2

To join your instructor's course, please complete the following **two** steps:

1. **REGISTER** for MyEconLab, and, 2. **ENROLL** in your instructor's course

### To register, you will need:

1. A valid e-mail address, and, 2. The **access code** that came with your MyEconLab Access Kit

If you don't have an access kit, you can purchase access online at <http://www.myeconlab.com>.

You will have the choice to purchase access with or without a full etext. Once enrolled in your professor's course, you will also have the option to purchase a discounted version of your text.

### Step 1: Register for MyEconLab

1. Go to <http://www.myeconlab.com> and click the **Students** button, in the Register section.
2. Follow the on-screen instructions for choosing author and title.
3. Choose **Register with an Access Kit/Code** if an access kit was included with your book. If you need to purchase access online, click **Purchase Access**.
4. Follow the instructions to set up your login and password and register for your course.

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2. Enter your Course ID: XL0D-V1X7-601Y-8OC2

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**Note:** If you are taking two MyEconLab courses simultaneously you will need two separate login accounts.

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