



#### IV. CALENDAR

Date	<i>Economist</i>	Written Assignment	Hirschey Reading (*Background for solving problems)	Figures to Focus On	Problems	Topic
1-28 Week 1	Schools Brief (Myth)					
2-4 Week 2	(Myth) Miracle of Trade,  Opp Cost Prob.; Economics Principles Tool Kit		3 – 18; 60 – 63 68-70 413-416	11.1, 11.2	Comparative Advantage (given during class)	Why trade? Comparative Advantage; Opportunity Cost; choice; Indifference Consumer/ Producer Surplus Benefit/cost Supply/Demand;
2-11 Week 3	(Myth) Pennies From Hell; (Myth) State and Market		464-467 747-759	12.2, 19.1, 19.2, 19.3, 19.4		Beauty and Ugliness of the market; Margin; Equilibrium; Risk
2-18 Week 4	(Myth) Private Profit, Public Service (Myth) One Lump Or Two?		23-42*	2.2, 2.3, 2.4	Q 2.4, Q 2.5 Q2.6; P2.2 thru P2.10; Optimal order quantity from Case	Problem-solving skills, Incremental Analysis;
2-25 Wk 5		<b>Midterm Exam 1</b> (2 hours)	77-98 134-148	3.5, 4.14	Q 4.5, 4.6, 4.7, 4.8, 4.9	Elasticity
3-3 Wk 6			245-271*	7.3, 7.5, 7.6, 7.8	7.3, 7.5, 7.6, 7.7, 7.9	Production Cost Diminishing Returns Scale/scope
3-10 Week 7			289-303 309-313	8.1, 8.4	P 8.2, 8.3, 8.4	

3-17 Week 8		<b>Midterm Exam 2</b> (2 hours)	379-389 457-464 590-600	10.2, 12.1, 15.2, 15.3	Q 10.7, P10.4,P10.6 P10.7, P 15.8	Competition Monopoly, pricing Mid Term Review
3-24 WK 9	<b>SPRING RECESS</b>					
3-31 Week 10			Gordon Ch 1, 2,	2-1		Macro Intro Growth Poverty
4-7 Week 11			Ch 3	3-5, 3-6, 3- 7 Learning IS Box page 84		Real Sector/IS
4-14 Week 12			Ch 4	4-1, 4-3, 4- 4, 4-5, 4-6, 4-7,4-9,4- 10		Monetary Sector IS/LM
4-21 Week 13	(Myth) How Low Can They Go?	<b>Midterm Exam 3</b> (2 hours)	Ch 6	Learning LM Page 101 6-2		Open Economy
4-28 Week 14			Ch 7	7-1, 7-2, 7- 3, 7-4, 7-8, 7-10 Learn AD, P 202 Learn SAS P 207		Aggregate D & Aggregate S
5-5 Week 15	(Myth) The Burdensome National Debt		Ch 8	8-2, 8-3, 8- 11, Learn LP,SP P241		Phillips Curve
5-12 Week 16						Final Exam Review
5-19 Wk17		<b>Final exam</b>				

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