

ECON 1A
TIME--11:30-1:30 DAILY
ROOM--BUS 42
INSTRUCTOR--SONNY FESTEJO
OFFICE--INC B3
PHONE--3320
OFFICE HOURS--BY ARRANGEMENT
TEXT--EXPLORATIONS IN MACROECONOMICS/JAMES WILLIS

1. ECON 1A IS A 3 UNIT COURSE THAT MAY BE TAKEN CR/NC UNLESS ECON 1A IS IN YOUR MAJOR.
2. ECON 1A WILL COVER THE MACROECONOMIC THEORIES OF BANKING, INTERNATIONAL ECONOMY, NATIONAL ECONOMIC POLICIES, UNEMPLOYMENT, INFLATION, ECONOMIC GROWTH, CLASSICAL/KEYNESIAN THEORIES, AND ADDITIONAL TOPICAL AREAS AS TIME ALLOWS.
3. GRADING: ALL EXAMS ARE WORTH 100 POINTS.
 - A. (500) POINTS) 6 TESTS: THE EXAM WILL BE COMPOSED OF MULTIPLE CHOICE, TRUE/FALSE, FILL IN QUESTIONS, AND AN ESSAY QUESTION. THE LOWEST TEST SCORE OF THE FIRST 5 TESTS WILL BE THROWN OUT. THE ESSAY WILL BE WORTH 25 POINTS AND THE REST OF THE EXAM WORTH 75 POINTS. TESTS WILL BE GRADED ON A VARIABLE CURVE IF A STUDENT GETS A 90 OR BETTER ON THE INITIAL EXAM; OTHERWISE, IT WILL NOT.

RULES FOR EXAMS:

1. YOU MUST USE AN 888-E SCANTRON ONLY.
 2. USE A #2 PENCIL.
 3. WRITE YOUR NAME ON YOUR EXAM.
 4. WRITE YOUR NAME ON YOUR SCANTRON.
 5. SELECT THE BEST CORRECT ANSWER.
 6. ANSWER YOUR FILL-INS ON YOUR SCANTRON.
 7. ANSWER YOUR ESSAY ON YOUR SCANTRON.
 8. ONCE YOU RECEIVE YOUR EXAM, IF YOU LEAVE, YOU ARE FINISHED.
 9. THE FIRST EXAM YOU MISS, YOU MUST TAKE A 0 SCORE. IF YOU MISS A SECOND EXAM, YOU MUST MAKE IT UP WITHIN ONE WEEK OF YOUR RETURN. THE MAKEUP EXAM WILL BE AN ESSAY SO BRING A BLUE BOOK. NO OTHER MAKEUPS WILL BE ALLOWED.
 10. NO NAME ON YOUR EXAM, SCANTRON-2 POINTS FOR EACH ITEM LEFT OFF.
 11. EXAMS WILL BE GIVEN THE NEXT CLASS FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF LECTURE MATERIAL.
- B. (100 POINTS) WEEKLY AND CUMULATIVE COMPUTER GENERATED GRAPHS. GRAPHS WILL BE ACCEPTED ONLY DURING THE FIRST 10 MINUTES OF FRIDAY'S CLASS. PICK AND TRACK AT LEAST 2 STOCKS UNTIL YOU RECEIVE YOUR ANNUAL REPORT, IF NEEDED. YOUR FIRST GRAPH IS DUE ON JUNE 7 AND EVERY FRIDAY UNTIL 4 GRAPHS ARE COLLECTED. EACH GRAPH IS WORTH 25 POINTS AND ALL GRAPHS ARE CUMULATIVE FOR THE COURSE.
 - C. (100 POINTS) TERM PAPER. YOU MUST TURN IN A TERM PAPER ON YOUR STOCK ALONG WITH ITS ANNUAL REPORT. SEE #6 FOR DETAILS.
 - D. (100 POINTS) AFTER EVERY CHAPTER, YOU MUST TURN IN A TYPED PAGE WITH 3 TRUE/FALSE STATEMENTS AND A GROUP ACTIVITY FOR THE CHAPTER.

I CHOOSE TO BE GRADED IN THIS CLASS FROM THE ABOVE OPTIONS:

A ONLY

B

C

D

GRADING SCALE: IN THE EVENT WE DON'T COMPLETE ALL EXAMS, THE GRADING SCALE WILL BE ADJUSTED DOWNWARD.

4. GRADING SCALE: A ONLY A PLUS 1 A PLUS 2 A PLUS 3

A=450+	A=540+	A=630+	A=720+
B=400-449	B=480-539	B=560-629	B=640-719
C=325-399	C=390-479	C=455-559	C=520-639
D=250-324	D=300-389	D=350-454	D=400-519
F=249-	F=299-	F=349-	F=399-

5. TESTS WILL BE GIVEN AFTER EVERY 3 CHAPTERS. EXAMS WILL BE GIVEN THE NEXT CLASS FOLLOWING THE LAST LECTURE OF THE MATERIAL COVERED.

6. YOU MUST ALSO TURN IN A CURRENT ANNUAL REPORT. ALONG WITH YOUR ANNUAL REPORT YOU MUST TURN IN A TYPED REPORT COVERING THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

- A. HISTORY OF THE COMPANY.
- B. CURRENT PRODUCTS AND VENTURES.
- C. FUTURE PROSPECTS.
- D. WHY YOU WOULD OR WOULDN'T BUY THE STOCK.

THE REPORT MUST BE TYPED. DO YOUR OWN WORK--DON'T PLAGIARIZE. THE PAPER WILL BE GRADED AS FOLLOWS: 90% WILL BE CONTENT AND 10% PUNCTUATION AND GRAMMAR.

YOUR ANNUAL REPORT AND WRITTEN REPORT ARE DUE ON OR BEFORE JUNE 21.

7. LATE PAPER--LATE PAPERS WILL LOSE 10 POINTS FOR EACH DAY IT IS LATE. LATE GRAPHS WILL LOSE 2 POINTS FOR EACH DAY IT IS LATE. A DAY IS A SCHOOL DAY.

8. EXTRA CREDIT ?????

9. IF YOU WISH TO ARGUE AN EXAM, YOU MUST MAKE AN APPOINTMENT TO DO SO BEFORE THE NEXT EXAM IS GIVEN. EXCEPTION--YOU MAY NOT ARGUE THE FINAL.

10. IF YOU WANT TO KNOW YOUR GRADE, BRING A SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED POSTCARD TO THE FINAL.

11. THE DROP DATE FOR THIS TERM IS JUNE 14. YOU SIGNED UP FOR THIS COURSE, YOU MUST DROP THE COURSE.

12. YOU MAKE TAKE THE FINAL ONLY DURING THE DESIGNATED FINAL TIME. PLEASE DO NOT ASK TO TAKE YOUR FINAL AT ANY OTHER TIME FOR ANY REASON. THE FINAL FOR THIS CLASS IS FRIDAY JUNE 28.

13. YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR EVERYTHING DISCUSSED IN CLASS. IF YOU ARE ABSENT, IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO FIND OUT WHAT YOU MISSED. I RECOMMEND YOU TRADE PHONE NUMBERS WITH ANOTHER CLASS MEMBER SO YOU CAN EXCHANGE INFORMATION.
14. PAPERS TURNED IN WILL NOT BE RETURNED. IF YOU WISH TO SEE YOUR PAPER AFTER IT IS GRADED, PLEASE MAKE AN APPOINTMENT DURING MY OFFICE HOURS.
15. NO FOOD OR DRINK IN THE CLASSROOM.
16. PLEASE TURN OFF YOUR PAGERS, CELL PHONES, AND WATCHES. REMOVE YOUR HATS AND SUNGLASSES. IF, AFTER I START MY LECTURE, SOMEONE IS WEARING A HAT OR SUNGLASSES OR A PAGER OR CELL PHONE, OR WATCH GOES OFF, WE WILL TAKE A 10 POINT 1 QUESTION FILL IN QUIZ. THOSE POINTS WILL BE ADDED TO THE GRADING SCALE.

I HAVE HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO READ THE ABOVE AND TO ASK ANY QUESTIONS CONCERNING ITS CONTENTS BY WAY OF EXPLANATION AND CLARIFICATION.

SIGNATURE _____

PRINT YOUR NAME _____