

**Suggested Study Plan for First-Year BSocSc Students (Year 1 Entry)**  
**(Only applicable to ECON Major students admitted in 2023-24)**

The normal study load of a full-time first year student should be 15 in a term and the maximum study load should be **30 credits in an academic year**. **Year 1 ECON Major students admitted in 2023-24** are advised to enroll in the following 10 courses (30 credits) in your first year of studies:

Course Category		Course Code and Title	No. of Credits	Courses to be taken in Term 1	Courses to be taken Term 2
Common Core		<u>CCC8011</u> Critical Thinking: Analysis and Argumentation	3	Either Term 1 or Term 2 (Pre-assigned)	
		<u>CCC8012</u> The Making of Hong Kong	3	Either Term 1 or Term 2 (Pre-assigned)	
Social Sciences Foundation Courses  (Note 1)	<b><u>Year 1 Entry</u></b> <b><u>ECON</u></b> <b><u>Major</u></b> <b><u>Students</u></b>	<u>ECO2104</u> Introduction to Microeconomics	3	✓ (Pre-assigned)	-
		<u>ECO2105</u> Introduction to Macroeconomics	3	-	✓ (Pre-assigned)
		<u>GOV2101</u> Introduction to Political Science	3	Either Term 1 or Term 2 (Pre-assigned)	
		<u>PSY2101</u> Introduction to Psychology	3	Either Term 1 or Term 2 (Pre-assigned)	
		<u>SOC2101</u> Introduction to Sociology	3	Either Term 1 or Term 2 (Pre-assigned)	
Chinese Language		<u>LCC1010</u> Chinese Communication I	3	Either Term 1 or Term 2 <b>(Enter by student)</b>	
English Language  (Note 2)	<b>Group A Students</b>	<u>LUE1001</u> University English I	3	✓ <b>(Enter by student)</b>	-
		<u>LUE1002</u> University English II	3	-	✓ <b>(Enter by student)</b>
	<b>Group B Students</b>	<u>LUE1002</u> University English II	3	✓ <b>(Enter by student)</b>	-
		ELE Elective	3	-	✓ <b>(Enter by student)</b>

Note 1: Under the BSocSc Programme Structure for 2023-24 Intake, students under Major in Economics are required to take ECO2104 in Term 1 of Year 1, and ECO2105 in Term 2 of Year 1.

Note 2: For Year 1 Intake, students will be grouped under two streams. Group A students are those who obtained level 3 in HKDSE English or equivalent while Group B students are those who obtained level 4 or above in HKDSE English or equivalent. For details, please refer to <https://www.ln.edu.hk/reg/undergraduate-programmes/english-language-enhancement-ele-curriculum>.

For the list of ELE elective courses, please refer to <https://www.ln.edu.hk/reg/undergraduate-programmes/english-language-enhancement-ele-elective-courses>.