

Course Exemptions

'A'-level, International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma, NUS High and Polytechnic graduates may be granted course exemptions for a relevant Accountancy or Business core course based on their pre-university qualifications.

Course exemptions for:

- A-Levels Graduates

If you have obtained an A grade and above for Economics at H2 Level, you will be eligible for exemption from the first-year Core course [HE9091 Principles of Economics](#).

- IB Diploma Graduates

If you who have obtained a Grade 7 and above for Economics at Standard Level OR a Grade 6 and above for Economics at Higher Level, you will be eligible for exemption from the first-year Core course, [HE9091 Principles of Economics](#).

- NUS High Graduates

If you have taken both MA5107 Statistics and MA6207 AP Statistics, and scored at least B+ for MA6207, you will be eligible for exemption from the first-year Core course, [AB1202 Statistics & Analysis](#). If you have obtained a Subject CAP 4 and above for Economics, you will be eligible for exemption from the first-year Core course [HE9091 Principles of Economics](#).

- Polytechnic Graduates

You may be granted an exemption for a relevant first-year course related to the Diploma you have obtained. Note that only Diplomas listed in [Annex A](#) are allowed exemptions.

Students who are considering an exemption for [AC1103 Accounting I](#), please see the special instructions [here](#).

Transfer students from other schools in NTU can seek exemptions and credit transfers for similar or relevant courses covered in their previous programme of study.

Transfer students from other universities should submit an [Exemption Request Form for Transfer Students](#), together with your degree audit/transcript, and detailed course outline of the courses that you have taken with your former institute, to the NBS Undergraduate Programmes Office at S3-B3a for review and consideration. Students applying for course exemptions must submit their application to the School within the first semester for their enrolment in NTU.

If you opt for an exemption, you :

- Are deemed to have fulfilled the requirements of the course and the corresponding number of Academic Units (AUs) will be awarded to you.
- Need not attend the lectures/tutorials/seminars and examinations for the exempted course.
- Will not be given a grade for the exempted course.

Exempted courses do not count towards your Grade Point Average (GPA) and have no bearing on the classification of honours to be awarded to you.

You are welcome of course to choose not to take up a course exemption offer (For example, you may feel that taking the course at the undergraduate level will serve as a good refresher and appreciation of the higher-level courses), no action is needed on your part. You may continue to read the course as scheduled in your timetable.