

AP Macroeconomics – Summer 2021

Your summer assignment begins with the reading of Naked Economics, Undressing the Dismal Science, by Charles Wheelan (\$4-\$6 used on Amazon). I think that you will find this an interesting and enjoyable summer read. The book is filled with economic concepts that we will be using as topics for discussion. Of course, there will be a test over your reading on day one of our new semester.

Next, you need to read Economics by Example, by David A. Anderson. (\$4-\$7 used on Amazon). At the end of each chapter there is a section titled “Discussion Starters.” In addition to reading the entire book, you need to answer **15 Sets of Discussion Starters**. Each section contains 4 to 5 questions that you must answer in complete sentences, *in your own words*. The goal of this assignment is to aid you in dissecting the material and to prepare you to understand the topics that we will be discussing. It must be *typed* and this will be a Mastery Grade. So to recap, you need to pick 15 out of the 30 chapters and complete the discussion starter questions for each of the 15 chapters you pick.

Due August 18/19th

Questions? (ahartman@shermanisd.net)