

SES

1^{ere} (11th Grade FB) [4 periods per week]

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Course Description

The SES course includes a course in economics, sociology and political science. The aim is both to understand the scientific approach specific to each discipline and to tackle classical themes developed by these fields. The skills developed are as follows

- Ability to identify and explain mechanisms.
- Ability to illustrate mechanisms.
- Ability to analyze documents
- Ability to build reasoning based on accurate knowledge of mechanisms and rigorous analysis of documents

Timeline

Semester 1

How does a competitive market work?

How do imperfectly competitive markets work?

What are the main market failures?

How is public opinion formed and expressed?

Vote: an individual or collective affair?

Semester 2

How does socialization explain the differences in behavior of individuals?

How are social ties built and changed?

How do economic agents finance themselves?

What is money and how is it created?

What are the social processes that contribute to deviance?

How do insurance and social protection contribute to risk management in developed societies?

How are companies organized and governed?