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ARTICLE REVIEW PROCESS

Between 12th January and 23rd January, 2026, the Board will be reviewing all submissions and ensuring that they are up-to-standard for publication.

During this time, they may make some minor edits or will provide the authors with suggestions/feedback on edits to be made before publication. Therefore, authors must be responsive during this time in order for their paper to be approved for publication.

The Board will stay in close-communication with the authors throughout this period of time, keeping them updated on the status of their article submission.

WINNER SELECTION CRITERIA

The selection of this issue's winner is based on the following factors:

- Originality of Ideas
- Extent of Research
- Strength of Voice

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ARTICLE GUIDELINES

Topic:

All topics are welcome, provided they are appropriate and do not address sensitive or potentially harmful content.

Form:

No restrictions.

Word Count:

1500-2000 words

Citations:

Follows the style of APA 7th Edition.

Note on AI/Plagiarism:

Unacknowledged use of others' work will result in disqualification. AI tools may assist, but all content and analysis must be the author's own.



What is it?

The Young Economist' Journal is a space where all high school students can explore and express their passion for Economics. It features student-written articles, reviewed and edited by our Board. One issue is published at the start of each school term and reaches hundreds of schools across Australia.



Why should I write?

One winner from every issue will be selected by the Board and receive an experiential prize from the Commonwealth Treasury at the end of the year the issue was published in. This is an opportunity for you to engage with Economics beyond the high school syllabus and gain a deeper understanding of the world around you.

NOTE: Additional prizes will be confirmed in due course.

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SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Submission of articles for Issue One are to be made through The Young Economist's Journal portal at made-econ.org before the end of 11th January, 2026.

They are to be named in the following way:

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