Southern New Hampshire University

ECO 202 Milestone Two Guidelines and Rubric: Fiscal Policies

Continue your observation of the 10-year period selected for Milestone One, and research the fiscal policies implemented during those years.

Specifically, the following **critical elements** must be addressed:

- Examine the fiscal **policies** in place at the start of your specific time period in relation to their effects on macroeconomic issues. For instance, consider level of government spending, taxation, subsidies, unemployment benefits, and so on.
- Analyze new fiscal **policy actions** undertaken by the U.S. government throughout the time period by describing their intended effects, using macroeconomic principles to explain the actions.
- Explain the **impact** of the new fiscal policy actions on individuals and businesses within the economy by integrating the macroeconomic data and principles.

Guidelines for Submission: Your fiscal policies milestone should be 3–5 slides in PowerPoint, Prezi, Keynotes or PreZentit, not including title page and references. Be sure to include speaker notes to accompany all of your responses. Your reference list slide needs to be in APA format.

Instructor Feedback: This activity uses an integrated rubric in Blackboard. Students can view instructor feedback in the Grade Center. For more information, review these instructions.

Critical Elements	Proficient (100%)	Needs Improvement (75%)	Not Evident (0%)	Value
Fiscal Policies	Examines the fiscal policies in place at the start of the specific time period in relation to their effects on macroeconomic issues, and provides information in speaker notes	Examines the fiscal policies in place at the start of the specific time period, but does not relate this to their effects on macroeconomic issues, or does not provide information in speaker notes	Does not explain the fiscal policies in place at the start of the specific time period	30
Policy Actions	Analyzes new fiscal policy actions undertaken by the U.S. government throughout the time period by describing their intended effects, uses macroeconomic principles to explain the actions, and provides information in speaker notes	Analyzes new fiscal policy actions undertaken by the U.S. government throughout the time period, but does not describe their intended effects, does not use macroeconomic principles to explain the actions, or does not provide information in speaker notes	Does not analyze new fiscal policy actions undertaken by the U.S. government throughout the time period	30

Fiscal: Impact	Comprehensively explains the impact of the new fiscal policy actions on individuals and businesses within the economy by integrating the macroeconomic data and principles, and provides information in speaker notes	Explains the impact of the new fiscal policy actions on individuals and businesses within the economy, but is not comprehensive, does not integrate the macroeconomic data and principles, or does not provide information in speaker notes	Does not explain the impact of the new fiscal policy actions on individuals and businesses within the economy	30
Articulation of Response	Submission has no major errors related to citations, grammar, spelling, syntax, or organization	Submission has major errors related to citations, grammar, spelling, syntax, or organization that negatively impact readability and articulation of main ideas	Submission has critical errors related to citations, grammar, spelling, syntax, or organization that prevent understanding of ideas	10
			Earned Total	**100%**