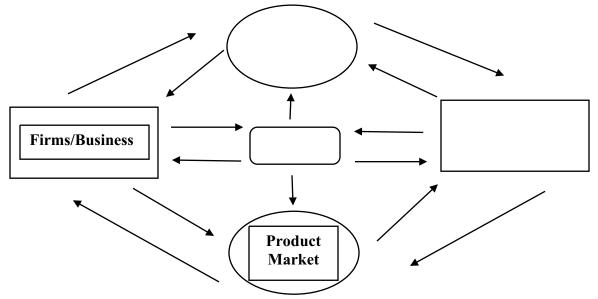
Economics Unit 3 Microeconomics Study Guide

- 1. What area of study does microeconomics focus on?
- 2. Complete the Circular Flow Model and know how it operates!!!



- 3. Please complete the entire Supply & Demand Review Sheet on the back.
- 4. What is the difference between DEMAND and Quantity demanded (Qd)?
- 5. Say it with me 3 times: "Price does not change Supply or Demand; Price only changes Quantity!"
- 6. What are the Determinants of Elasticity for Demand?
- 7. Explain what inelastic demand means, give an example, and draw 2 correctly labeled inelastic demand curve (perfectly and relatively).
- Decide whether or not the following products have elastic (circle) of inelastic (underline) demand: (1) gasoline, (2) peanut butter, (3) insulin, (4) rubber bands, (5) Atlanta Braves tickets, (6) Dunkin Donuts coffee, (7) Legos
- 9. What incentivizes entrepreneurs to start a business and risk everything?
- 10. Of the 2 government tools, which one actually has a positive effect on Supply and shifts the curve to the right?
- 11. What does the LAW of DIMINISHING RETURNS state?
- 12. Draw a Supply and Demand Curve, showing market equilibrium. What happens at the market clearing price?

- 13. What is it called when Qd > Qs?
- 14. What is it called when Qs >Qd?
- 15. What do prices tend to do if there is a market surplus?
- 16. What happens to prices when there is a market shortage?
- 17. The government has decided to "fix" the market disequilibrium by enforcing *PRICE CONTROLS*. Explain what happens if the GOV'T sets a price ceiling. What about a price floor? Draw these 2 on a correctly labeled graph below.

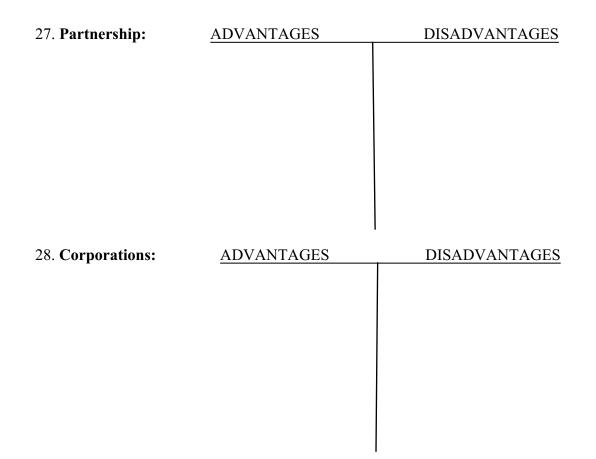
- 18. New York established **rent controls** for apartments in the city. What happened to as a result of this mandated **price ceiling**?
- 19. What type of price control is the government mandated **minimum wage**?
- 20. Draw and correctly label these **Supply and Demand graphs**, showing the correct shift and new equilibrium price and quantity.
- a) Lebron James successfully advertises Nike basketball shoes. What changes would occur for the Nike shoes Curve?
- b) A hurricane destroys Florida's citrus crops. What changes would occur for the orange juice Curve?
- c) Consumers income drops 15%. What changes would occur for the Ford trucks (normal good) curve? What about used cars (inferior good) Curve?
- d) The price of peanut butter decreases; what happens to the grape jelly Curve?
- e) The price of peanuts increases; what happens to the peanut butter Curve?

- f) The price of cow's milk decreases; what happens to the almond milk Curve?
- g) The government provides a subsidy to wheat farmers; what happens to the bread Curve?
- 21. Label the 4 types of **Market Structures** on the diagram below from more competitive to less competitive, list the 4 characteristics of each under the line, and provide an example of each one.

	More Competitive	Less Competitive	
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(a)			
(b)			
(c)			
(d)			
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- 22. What is meant by perfect competition firms are "price takers," and monopolies being "price makers?"
- 23. What 2 types of market structures use **non-price competition** (coupons, free shipping, etc.) to avoid **PRICE WARS** with other competitors in the market?
- 24. What problem arises when oligopolies form cartels, such as OPEC?
- 25. Why does the government allow **natural monopolies**?

26. Sole Proprietorship:	ADVANTAGES	DISADVANTAGES



29. How do corporations raise financial capital?

30. Quick, list the 4 factors of production!

Bonus: What is the number #1 problem that all economies face?

Bonus, Bonus! Draw a correctly labeled Production Possibilities Frontier, labeling 2 points showing efficiency, 1 point inefficiency (recession), and 1 point demonstrating unattainable production.

What 3 things can extend the PPF rightward, showing long-term economic growth?