

A Level Economics:

We have moved from a curriculum delivery model of delivering AS Level Economics in Year 12 and A Level Economics in Year 13, to a more linear approach to the curriculum. This curriculum delivery now has A Level Economics delivered over two years. This is to eliminate repeated content delivery and simplify the planning, delivery and transparency of the curriculum to the students. Students will complete 3 Topics per term.

This plan is based on two teachers teaching Microeconomics between them in Year 12 and then Macroeconomics between them in Year 13. This model ensures that both teachers deliver Microeconomics and Macroeconomics and students progress through the topics logically over the duration of the two year course. The model below allows for consistency in delivery across the faculty as it brings it in line with A Level Business Studies in terms of delivery of 'small to large' theory. Year 12 Microeconomics theory will be revisited after delivery of Year 13 macroeconomics in the revision and preparation for the exam period, including the synoptic Paper 3.

Year 13

Subject and Year Group	Autumn Year 13	Autumn 2 Year 13	Spring 1 Year 13	Spring 2 Year 13	Summer 1 Year 13	Summer 2 Year 13
Topic/Unit to be studied	Teacher 1: National and international economy (Macroeconomics) Topic 9: The measurement of macroeconomic performance (4.2.1) First half of Topic 11: Economic performance (4.2.3) Teacher 2: National and international economy (Macroeconomics)		Teacher 1: National and international economy (Macroeconomics) Topic 12: Financial markets and monetary policy (4.2.4) First half of Topic 14: The international economy (4.2.6)		Teacher 1: National and international economy (Macroeconomics) Revision	

	<p>Topic 10: How the macroeconomy works: the circular flow of income, aggregate demand/aggregate supply analysis and related concepts (4.2.2)</p> <p>Second half of Topic 11: Economic performance (4.2.3)</p>	<p>Teacher 2: National and international economy (Macroeconomics)</p> <p>Topic 13: Fiscal policy and supply-side policies (4.2.5)</p> <p>Second half of Topic 14: The international economy (4.2.6)</p>	<p>Teacher 2: National and international economy (Macroeconomics)</p> <p>Revision</p>
Core Knowledge and skills	<p>Teacher 1</p> <p>Topic 9</p> <p>4.2.1.1 The objectives of government economic policy</p> <p>4.2.1.2 Macroeconomic indicators</p> <p>4.2.1.3 Uses of index numbers</p> <p>4.2.1.4 Uses of national income data</p> <p>First half of Topic 11</p> <p>4.2.3.1 Economic growth and the economic cycle</p>	<p>Teacher 1</p> <p>Topic 12</p> <p>4.2.4.1 The structure of financial markets and financial assets</p> <p>4.2.4.2 Commercial banks and investment banks</p> <p>4.2.4.3 Central banks and monetary policy</p> <p>4.2.4.4 The regulation of the financial system</p> <p>First half of Topic 14</p> <p>4.2.6.1 Globalisation</p>	<p>Teacher 1</p> <p>Mock Exams and Revision</p>

	4.2.3.2 Employment and unemployment	4.2.6.2 Trade	
	Teacher 2 Topic 10 4.2.2.1 The circular flow of income 4.2.2.2 Aggregate demand and aggregate supply analysis 4.2.2.3 The determinants of aggregate demand 4.2.2.4 Aggregate demand and the level of economic activity 4.2.2.5 Determinants of short-run aggregate supply 4.2.2.6 Determinants of long-run aggregate supply Second half of Topic 11 4.2.3.3 Inflation and deflation 4.2.3.4 Possible conflicts between macroeconomic policy objectives	Teacher 2 Topic 13 4.2.5.1 Fiscal policy 4.2.5.2 Supply-side policies Second half of Topic 14 4.2.6.3 The balance of payments 4.2.6.4 Exchange rate systems 4.2.6.5 Economic growth and development	Teacher 2 Mock Exams and Revision

Assessment	Summative: Topic 9 End of Topic Test Topic 10 End of Topic Test Topic 11 End of Topic Test Formative: Economic indicators research and presentation assessment Purchasing Power Parity (PPP) and the circular flow of income MCQs Economic diagrams assessment - AD and AS curves Current economic cycle, employment, unemployment, inflation or deflation data research and presentation task L shaped Phillips curve economic diagram assessment	Summative: Topic 12 End of Topic Test Topic 13 End of Topic Test Topic 14 End of Topic Test Formative: Topic 12 MCQs assessment Fiscal policy research and presentation assessment Research and presentation task - Students should be able to discuss the arguments for and against the UK's membership of the EU	Summative: Mock Exams Paper 1: Markets and Market Failure Paper 2: National and International Economy Paper 3: Economic Principles and Issues (Synoptic paper)
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