

Business Studies

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TITLE OF SYLLABUS: GCSE Business Studies – AQA

QUALIFICATION: GCSE

GRADE RANGE: 1 - 9

WEIGHTING OF ASSESSMENT: **CONTROLLED ASSESSMENT:** 25%
EXAMINATION: 75%

PREVIOUS EXAMINATION RESULTS: New Subject

Course Description:

In this course students will be growing their knowledge of business as a whole both in theory and in practise. The practical elements will include trips to help understand how a business works from a more hands-on approach.

This qualification has multiple employability skill-sets embedded within, including; Customer Service, Marketing and Finance.

The controlled assessment is one piece of work completed in the Autumn term of Year 11 and the examination is made up of two papers sat at the end of Year 11.

Topics for Study:

- Setting up a Business;
- Growing as a Business;
- Investigating Businesses.

Homework:

Homework is set in line with the school homework policy. All of this is accessible through Moodle.

Resources and equipment needed:

The standard equipment will be required, pen, pencil, planner and a reading book.

Careers and Further Educational Opportunities:

The content studied puts students in a position whereby they understand how a business works, how to set up a business and how to make a profit.

The GCSE also provides progression for those wishing to continue their studies to A-levels in Business, Economics and Applied Business.