

Department of Business Studies and Computing Science



Higher Economics

Week Beginning	Planned Learning
1 March (6 periods)	<u>Unit 1 – Economics of the Market</u> Revision of the basic economic problem, opportunity cost, production possibility curves and effects of opportunity cost on individuals, firms and government. SQA past examination practice.
8 March (6 periods)	<u>Unit 1 – Economics of the Market</u> Revision of demand and supply, determinants of demand and supply, shifts in demand and supply, elasticity of demand, production, specialisation, long run and short run average cost curves, perfect competition and monopoly. SQA past examination practice.
15 March (6 periods) Possible return of pupils to classroom teaching.	<u>Unit 2 – UK Economic Activity</u> Revision of inflation, (un)employment, economic growth, government policies (including Fiscal Policy and Monetary Policy), government finance, national income, Scottish economy. SQA past examination practice.
22 March (6 periods)	<u>Unit 3 – Global Economic Activity</u> Revision of international trade, globalisation, multinationals, balance of payments, exchange rates, developing and emerging economies and international organisations including World Trade Organisation, World Bank and International Monetary Fund. SQA past examination practice.
29 March (4 periods)	(Revision of key areas of course content requested by pupils). Spring Assessment 1 – pupils may have the opportunity to undertake assessment and receive feedback to support moving learning forward.
5 April	Easter Holidays
12 April	Easter Holidays – Easter Supported Study
19 April (6 periods)	SQA – past paper examination practice.
26 April (6 periods)	SQA – past paper examination practice.
3 May (6 periods)	SQA – past paper examination practice.
10 May (6 periods)	Spring Assessment 2 – pupils will undertake a final examination in late April or early May 2021. The examination will last 2 hours and 30 minutes and will assess all 3 units of the Higher course.

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