

<b>Subject</b>	Economics
<b>Curriculum intent</b>	<p>A level Economics studies how the modern world works. It explains how a country can become richer, through a balance of private enterprise and government involvement. It looks at the advantages and disadvantages of free markets - such as pollution and inequality. It studies how a government attempts to tackle those problems whilst also encouraging trade and employment and controlling inflation.</p> <p>Economics will develop your literacy and numeracy. You will learn how to interpret graphs, data and written information, how to use that data to illustrate economic ideas, and how to weigh up opposing arguments. It uses the language of management to enable you to intelligently draw conclusions to a whole range of economic questions.</p>
<b>Key Stage 5</b>	<p>A level Economics</p> <p>Paper 1 - Markets and market failure 33% of overall mark 2 hour written exam Section A - 4 data-response questions based on an extract Section B - one essay, chosen out of 3</p> <p>Paper 2 - National and international economy 33% of overall mark 2 hour written exam Section A - 4 data-response questions based on an extract Section B - one essay, chosen out of 3</p> <p>Paper 3 - Economic principles and issues 33% of overall mark 2 hour written exam Section A - 30 multi-choice questions Section B - 3 detailed case study questions based on extracts and data</p>