## Business Studies Curriculum Map Overview

Please note further information can be found in the Business curriculum sequencing document

## Key Stage 4



KS4	Half term 1	Half term 2	Half term 3	Half term 4	Half term 5	Half term 6
Year 10	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic/content	Students study a sequence of lessons focusing on market research and how to target a specific customer. Content includes:  Market research Data Market segmentation Sampling methods Using research tools Review market research	In this half term students will focus on how to identify a customer profile and develop a product proposal. Content includes:  Identify customer profile Design mix Review and finalise design	In half term 3 students will study a sequence of lessons with a focus on what makes a product financially viable and review whether a business proposal is financially viable. Content includes:  Cost Revenue Profit and loss Break-even Cash Financial viability	Students study a sequence of lessons focusing on reviewing the likely success of the business proposal and will work on an extended writing piece to demonstrate understanding and application. Content includes:	Students will study a sequence of lessons focusing on creating a marketing mix to support a product and developing a brand identity to target a specific customer profile. They will also work on an extended writing piece. Content includes:  Marketing mix Advertising medium Promotion Branding Opportunities and threats	Students continue to study a sequence of lessons focusing on creating a marketing mix to support a product and creating a promotional campaign for a brand and product. Content includes:  PR Selling Product lifecycle Pricing strategies Promotional plan and materials

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Year 11	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic/content	Students study a sequence of lessons focusing on planning and pitching a proposal and reviewing a brand proposal, promotional campaign, and profession pitch. Content includes:  Planning a pitch and presenting skills Practice pitch Feedback Professional Pitch Review brand Pitch and skills	Students study a sequence of lessons focusing on characteristics, risk, and reward for enterprise. Content includes:  Entrepreneurial characteristics Risk and reward  What to consider when starting an enterprise	Students study a sequence of lessons focusing on factors to consider when starting up and running an enterprise and what makes a product financially viable. Content includes:  Ownership Capital Support Cost Revenue Profit and loss Break-even Cash	Students study a sequence of lessons focusing on market research to target a specific customer and creating a marketing mix to support a product. Content includes:  Market research Data Market Segmentation Marketing mix Advertising medium Promotion PR Selling Product lifecycle Pricing strategies	Practice of application tasks and 'bringing it all together' activities	