

YEAR 11 BUSINESS STUDIES MOCK INFORMATION

MOCK EXAM INFORMATION

Mock exam duration – 1 hours and 30 minutes

Equipment – Bring black pen, pencil, ruler & calculator

Topics – 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4 (see full topic details below)

REVISION RESOURCE LINKS

***AQA GCSE Business Specification** (click on the links for Subject Content 1,2,3 & 4 to see full topic details): <https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/business/gcse/business-8132/specification/specification-at-a-glance>

*Past Papers (Paper 1 ONLY is relevant to the Mock Exam): <https://www.aqa.org.uk/find-past-papers-and-mark-schemes?qualification=GCSE%20Business>

*Business Bitesize Revision Resources:
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zvwb382>

*Replays of Livestream Revision Sessions (Tutor2U). AQA Paper 1 sessions are relevant to you:
<https://www.tutor2u.net/business/live/archive?level=gcse>

REVISION TOPIC LIST

TOPIC 3.1 Business in the real world:

- Why businesses exist
- Enterprise
- Factors of production
- Business ownership types (ltd/plc)
- Aims and Objectives
- Stakeholders
- Costs, Revenues, Profit
- Business plan
- Location
- Expansion

TOPIC 3.2 Influences on business

- Consumer law
- Technology and Business
- Ethical considerations
- Environmental considerations
- Unemployment and consumer spending
- Interest rates
- Competition
- Globalisation
- Exchange rates
- Risks in business

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Topic 3.3 Business Operations

- Supply chains
- Methods of production
- Production efficiency
- Quality
- Customer service

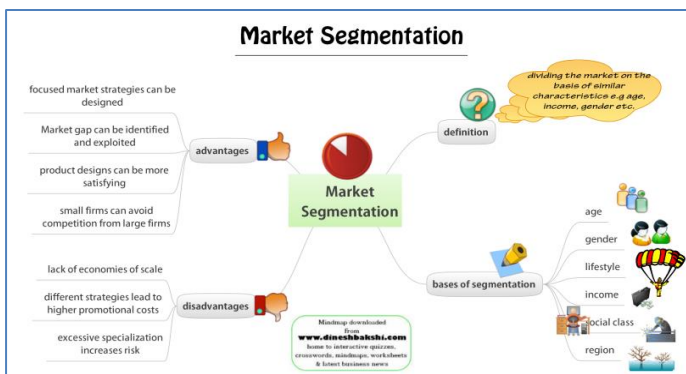
TOPIC 3.4 Human Resources

- Organisation structures
- Contracts of employment
- Recruitment
- Training
- Financial Motivation
- Non-Financial Motivation

SOME FURTHER REVISION SUGGESTIONS

- Develop a 'cheat sheet' for the topics
- Develop revision cards for a topic area, containing definitions, diagrams, advantages and disadvantages (if appropriate), sample exam questions and answers
- Make a spider diagram/mind map of a topic, with branches for all the different parts of the topic that you need to know (see the example below)
- Make a foldable revision guide for key terms and definitions (see the example below)
- Write the important information that I need to know on to Post-it notes to place them around my bedroom or house (a clever way to keep your parents happy as they can see that you are revising)
- Develop a list of lower mark and higher mark questions on a topic – make sure you include the ones you are currently dreading. Next, answer them. You can find good examples of questions in revision guides, text books or on past papers
- Answer the questions in the revision guide for these topics
- Write a series of quiz questions on the topic – your teacher might use some for a class quiz

Example – mind map/spider diagram



A foldable revision guide

This is a great strategy to test yourself on key words and definitions. The key words go on the top, whilst the definition is written underneath.

A great way to keep your revision together!

