



Business Studies: Start of Year 10 Information

Cambridge IGCSE (Course Code: 0450)

Starting in Year 10 (or during Year 9)

Welcome to IGCSE Business Studies! You have chosen a challenging and relevant subject where you will learn the key issues involved in setting up, managing, and expanding a business in the 21st century. Please use the information below to work through the topics studied in Year 9 and prepare to join your business studies class.

Areas covered during Year 9

Year	Michaelmas Term	Lent Term	Trinity Term
9	Introduction to Business Studies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1.1 Business activity 1.2 Classification of businesses 1.3 Enterprise, growth, and size 1.4 Types of business organisation 1.5 Objectives and Stakeholders 	People in business: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2.1 Motivation 2.2 Organisation and management 2.3 Recruitment, selection, and training 2.4 Communication 	Introduction to Marketing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3.1 Marketing, competition, and the customer 3.2 Market research

Please refer to the [syllabus](#) for more information on each of the topics above.

Work to complete before you arrive (optional)

1. Read and make core notes on the above topics studied in Year 9 using the study notes shared below.
2. Research and summarize three topical business news stories, making links to topics studied in Year 9.

Additional resources

Sample assessments:

- Paper 1 & Paper 2 - <https://www.cambridgeinternational.org/programmes-and-qualifications/cambridge-igcse-business-studies-0450/past-papers/>

Study notes:

- <https://igcseaid.com/notes/business-studies-0450/>
- <https://www.dineshbakshi.com/igcse-business-studies>
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zpsvr82>

Revision videos and quizzes:

- <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLp8BSCLLWBUCYeHDKb2N2MVDar54Qparx>
- <https://www.igcsebusiness.co.uk/7--kahoot-quizes.html>
- https://quizlet.com/user/pop_it_lover69/folders/gcse-business