



# Hampton Court House

## Curriculum Outline 2020/21 – Year 13 Economics (KAM)

### Autumn 2020

Principal Text: *Anderton, A. (2016), Edexcel AS/A Level Economics, 6<sup>th</sup> edition*

Core topics: Business Behaviour and the Labour Market and Global Economics and International Trade.

From a Microeconomic perspective Year 13 will examine the intricacies of the Theory of the Firm including the qualitative and quantitative theories needed to analyse business behaviour. This will be supported through the Macroeconomic study of International Trade and Globalisation in order to gain insights into the organisations, trade and relationships that make up our world.

During Year 13, students will study the last two (of four) themes prescribed by the examination board:

Theme 3: Business behaviour and the labour market

Theme 4: A Global Perspective

### Resources

*Core material and understanding:*

Anderton, A (2015) Edexcel AS/A Level Economics, 6th edition

Harvey, J. and Jowsey, E. (2007) Modern Economics, 8<sup>th</sup> edition

*Contextual material and research:*

Students will research relevant information from a variety of sources. Examples include: The Royal Economic Society

The Economist

BBC News website (<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/business/economy>)

Ad hoc press articles (broadsheets).

Economics briefings at <http://www.tutor2u.net/economics>

David Smith, Economics Editor of the Sunday Times, at <http://www.economicsuk.com/blog>

Links with fundamental values

Economics supports our students to acquire a broad knowledge and respect for public institutions. This ranges from guest speakers to the study of migration, globalisation and different stakeholder analysis.

Social, moral, spiritual and cultural content  
Students are encouraged to respect democracy, the democratic process and the law. We have an active Student Voice with students being asked their opinions about important school issues and this ensures our students are aware of the principles of democracy.

### Spring 2021

Principal Text: *Anderton, A. (2016), Edexcel AS/A Level Economics, 6<sup>th</sup> edition*

Core topics: Business Behaviour and the Labour Market and Global Economics and International Trade.

In Microeconomics Year 13 will continue their study of the Theory of the Firm analysing business behaviour and the role of government within this. Macroeconomics will continue to study International Trade and Globalisation looking more at issues of international development.

### Summer 2021

This term will build on the themes explored in the Autumn and Spring term. Students will revise core knowledge/understanding and practise the application and analysis skills they need to meet the assessment standards. Students will be challenged to use qualitative and quantitative evidence to support informed judgements on economic issues. There will be a strong focus on examination technique within an environment which encourages students to think broadly around the core topics.