

# Economics

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## What topics are covered in this subject?

Individuals, Firms, Markets and Market Failure [Microeconomics]

1. Economic Methodology and the Economic Problem
2. Individual Economic Decision-Making
3. Price Determination in a Competitive Market
4. Production, Costs and Revenue
5. Perfect Competition, Imperfectly Competitive Markets and Monopoly
6. The Labour Market
7. The Distribution of Income and Wealth: Poverty and Inequality
8. The Market Mechanism, Market Failure and Government Intervention in Markets

The National and International Economy [Macroeconomics]

9. The Measurement of Macroeconomic Performance
10. How the Macroeconomy Works
11. Economic Performance
12. Financial Markets and Monetary Policy
13. Fiscal Policy and Supply-Side Policies
14. The International Economy

## How is this subject taught?

You will be taught by two experienced teachers with 9 lessons per fortnight. During the lessons students are encouraged to discuss ideas and will participate in class room discussions.

## What are the enrichment opportunities in this subject?

We welcome a guest speaker from the Bank of England. And run a trip to London for students.

Our Economic students enjoy joining the Hutton Sixth Form Business and Economics Society as well as taking part in the Debating Society.

## Where does this subject lead at 18+?

The skills that students learn while studying Economics make them some of the most sought after graduates in the country. Also, because economists are needed in so many different fields it is not difficult to find employment in an area that specifically suits your interests and strengths.

**Pass  
rate: 100%**  
**A\*-B rate:  
54%**

**Average  
class size:  
14**

**Exam  
board:  
AQA**



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Management**

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**Banking**

**Economic  
Forecasting**