

GCSE Economics (AQA) Revision Plan 2025

Assessment week – 17th November 2025

Primary Revision Resources: GCSE Economics knowledge book

Boost Economics e-book login (username eco1, eco2, eco3 etc password kingstudent) – if you have any problems accessing one of the economics e-books, contact Mr. Foley. Please note this is not the text book for KJS specification but it is the only GCSE Economics e-book available.



On its learning, you will find class resources, revision tasks and past exam papers.

Revision Sites: The following sites are useful for revision for key terms and multichoice questions:



(focus on the micro multichoice questions)

GCSE Revision Guide – All students have been emailed a copy of the GCSE Economics revision guide.

Useful websites for content

- www.tutor2u.net
- www.economicsonline.co.uk

Useful youtube channels for application

- Econdahlplus and Tutor2u Economics

Mock Exam Content: Here is a summary of the AQA GCSE Economics content for your mock exam (Paper 1) in November. The exam will be on microeconomics.

| Microeconomics (Paper 1) | | | |
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| Syllabus | | Syllabus | |
| 3.1.1 Economic Foundations | Economic activity Factors of production Economic problem Opportunity cost | 3.1.5.2 Competitive Markets | The main characteristics of a competitive market The impact of competitive markets on price and choice. The impact of competition on producers and consumers |
| 3.1.2 Resource Allocation | Scarcity and choice Primary, secondary and tertiary sectors, specialisation and division of labour | 3.1.5.3 Non-competitive markets (Oligopoly and Monopoly) | The main characteristics of a non-competitive market. The impact of non-competitive markets on price and choice Monopoly and oligopoly |
| 3.1.3 How prices are determined | Markets Economic sectors, demand, supply, market equilibrium and elasticity | 3.1.6 Labour Market | The role and operation of the labour market, determination of wages through supply and demand. Gross and net pay |

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| 3.1.4 Production, costs, revenue and profit | Calculating revenue, cost and profit, production, productivity, economies of scale | 3.1.7 Market Failure | Misallocation of resources, positive / negative externalities and Government Intervention. |
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You should start your GCSE Economics revision now to ensure that you cover all the topics prior to the mock exam. We have outlined a recommended revision plan for the weeks leading up to the exam.

| Date | Topic | E-book pages |
|---------------------------------|--|--------------|
| Week 1 – 6 October | Economic Foundations | 2 - 10 |
| | Resource Allocation | 11 - 18 |
| Week 2 – 13 October | How prices are determined (demand, supply, elasticity) | 32- 64 |
| Week 3 – 20 October November | Costs, Production, Productivity, economies of scale | 78 - 91 |
| Week 5 – 27 October | Competitive Markets | 69-75 |
| Week 6 – 3 November | Non-competitive Markets | 76-77 |
| Week 7 – 10 November | Market Failure | 212-220 |

And finally, remember that revision is not just about learning the subject theory. You must know how to write your exam answers. When you revise remember to learn the theory (AO1 Content), Link it to real businesses / case study examples (AO2 Application) and explain advantages and drawbacks, plus make a recommendation (AO3 Analysis / Evaluation)

Assessment objectives (AO)

| | <u>Assessment objectives</u> | <u>Command words</u> |
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| AO1 35% | Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of economic concepts and issues | Identify, State Explain |
| AO2 35% | Apply knowledge and understanding of economic concepts and issues to a variety of context | Calculate, Complete Explain |
| AO3 30% | Analyse and evaluate economic evidence and issues to demonstrate understanding of economic behaviour, make judgements and draw conclusions. | Analyses, Discuss, Evaluate, Recommend |

Use this QR code to help secure A03 Evaluation in your answers:

