Curriculum Overview 2025 - 2026 **Business**



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Theme 1: Investigating Small Business	Theme 2: Building a Business	
Calculations, multiple-choice, short- answer and extended writing.	Calculations, multiple-choice, short-answer and extended writing.	
1 hour 45 minutes	1 hour 45 minutes	
50%	50%	

Theme 1: Investigating Small Business

- Topic 1.1 Enterprise and entrepreneurship
- Topic 1.2 Spotting a business opportunity
- Topic 1.3 Putting a business idea into practice
- Topic 1.4 Making the business effective
- Topic 1.5 Understanding external influences on business

Theme 2: Building a Business

- Topic 2.1 Growing the business
- Topic 2.2 Making marketing decisions
- Topic 2.3 Making operational decisions
- Topic 2.4 Making financial decisions
- Topic 2.5 Making human resource decisions

Revision & Additional Resources

Pearson Edexcel have a range of **Teaching & Learning Materials** and **Exam Materials** on their website, including past papers and case studies.

An internet search will return plenty of different revision sites that may be of interest and <u>BBC Bitesize</u> can also be a useful resource.