



Business

Revision Guide
December 2024–May 2025

Exam Specification and General Support

Exam specification and exam board	Edexcel A level Business	
Past paper questions	Exam board past paper questions, mark schemes and examiners' reports	
Useful revision websites Seneca Savemyexams Tutor2U powerpoints and videos		
Exam info	Paper 1: Marketing, People & Global Business (100 marks, 35%) Fri 16 May (AM) – 2 hours, Paper 2: Business activities, decision & strategy (100 marks, 35%) Tues 20 May (AM) – 2 hours Paper 3: Investigating business in a competitive environment (100 marks, 30%) Mon 9 June (PM) – 2 hours	





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Week	Activity 1	Activity 2	Activity 3
1 2.12.24	Ensure all notes and topic booklets are up to date. See LML and TBR if missing anything Tidy folders ready for the Christmas break	Research for Paper 3 as directed by TBR & LML	
2 9.12.24	Seneca - 1.1 & 2.1	Past Paper questions 1.1: 2019, P1, Q1c, 10 marks: Online retailing 2.1: 2021, P2, Q1c, 10 marks: Methods of Finance	Revision notes/flash cards etc:
3 16.12.24	Seneca - 1.2 & 2.2	Past Paper questions 1.2: 2020, P3, Q1a, 8 marks: Supply & Demand 2.2: 2023, P3, Q1a, 8 marks: Purpose of sales forecasting	Revision notes/flash cards etc: 1.2 & 2.2
XMAS BREAK	Seneca - 1.3 & 2.3	Past Paper questions 1.3: 2019, P3, Q2d, 20 marks: Pricing strategies 2.3: 2019, P3, Q2c, 12 marks: Business Failure	Revision notes/flash cards etc: 1.3 & 2.3
4 6.01.25	Seneca - 1.4 & 2.4	Past Paper questions 1.4: 2019, P1, Q2e, 20 marks: Org structure 2.4: 2022, P3, Q1b, 10 marks: Capacity Utilisation	Revision notes/flash cards etc: 1.4 & 2.4
5 13.01.25	Seneca - 1.5 & 2.5	Past Paper questions 1.5: 2017, P3, Q2a, 8 marks: Role of an entrepreneur 2.5: 2021, P3, Q1c, 12 marks: Taxation	Revision notes/flash cards etc: 1.5 & 2.5





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6 20.01.25	Seneca - 3.1 & 4.1	Past Paper questions 3.1: 2018, P2, Q1e, 20 marks: Ansoff's matrix 4.1: 2023, P3, Q1c, 12 marks: FDI	Revision notes/flash cards etc: 3.1 & 4.1
7 27.01.25	Seneca - 3.2 & 4.2	Past Paper questions 3.2: 2017, P2, Q2d, 12 marks: Integration 4.2: 2022, P3, Q2c, 12 marks: Assessment of a country as a market	Revision notes/flash cards etc: 3.2 & 4.2
8 3.02.25	Seneca 3.3 & 4.3	Past Paper questions 3.3: 2018,P3, Q2c, 12 marks: Calculation and interpretation of investment appraisal. 4.3: 2018, P1, Q2e, 20 marks: Niche markets	Revision notes/flash cards etc: 3.3 & 4.3
9 10.02.25	Seneca 3.4 and 4.4	Past Paper questions 3.4: 2020,P2,Q2d, 12 marks: Corporate culture 4.4: 2020, P1, Q2e, 20 marks: Ethics	Revision notes/flash cards etc: 3.4 & 4.4
10 24.02.25	Y13 Mock exams	General Revision	
11 3.03.25	Y13 Mock exams	General Revision	
12 10.03.25	Week off revision		
13 17.03.25	Seneca Assignment 3.5 & 3.6	Past Paper questions 3.5: 2017,P3,Q2d, 20 marks: ROCE 3.6: 2019, P2, Q2d, 12 marks: Scenario planning	Revision notes/flash cards etc: 3.5 & 3.6





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14 24.03.25	Paper 3 research	Paper 3 practices questions To be given out in class	Theme 1 Do the PLC to identify weaknesses Focused revision on the above
15 31.03.25	Paper 3 research	Paper 3 practices questions To be given out in class	Theme 2 Do the PLC to identify weaknesses Focused revision on the above
EASTER BREAK	Paper 3 research	Paper 3 practices questions To be given out in class	Theme 3 Do the PLC to identify weaknesses Focused revision on the above
16 21.04.25	Paper 3 research	Paper 3 practices questions To be given out in class	Theme 4 Do the PLC to identify weaknesses Focused revision on the above
17 28.04.25	Personal revision		
18 5.05.25	Personal revision		
19 12.05.25	Friday 16 May – Paper 1		
20 19.05.25	Tuesday 20 May – Paper 2	Monday 9 June – Paper 3	