

Subject	Year	Term		
Business	Year 10	Summer 1 & 2		
Topic				
Section 3: Operations				

Content (Intent)

Prior Learning — Learners need to understand that business operations are concerned with the efficient management of the key functions and resources within a business to maximise profit.

The topics covered are:

3.1 Methods of production	Learners are expected to understand the reasons why businesses decide on their chosen method of production
3.2 Quality	Learners need to understand customer expectation of quality in the production of goods and the provision of services
3.3 Supply Chain	Learners are required to have an overview of the role of the procurement, logistics and stock control stages of the supply chain
3.4 Sales Process	Learners need to understand how the sales function will work with marketing, finance, production and the supply chain to achieve the aims and objectives of the business

Future Learning — This unit sets the fundamental principles in place to study the other department areas of business.

How will knowledge and skills be taught?	How will your understanding be assessed &
(Implementation)	recorded (Impact)
This topic will involve links to the four assessment objectives	- End of topic assessment
throughout and will include, but not be limited to:	- Past Paper responses and essays. Marked and
- Teacher led lesson content	feedback given.
- Independent learning tasks	- Verbal responses. Individual and class feedback
- Group discussion/debates and questioning	given.
- Using business terminology	- Key term tests

How can parents help at home?

- Discussing ideas and content at home & linking it to real businesses that they know
- Watch the news and/or read a good quality newspaper
- Watch any topical films or documentaries that link to Business

Support us with our department's high expectations of spelling, grammar, punctuation, and minimum standards.

Helpful further reading/discussion

Reading	Vocabulary Key Words	Careers Links
- BBC Bitesize	 Job, batch and flow 	- Manufacturing
 Business Review magazines 	production	- Logistics
(subscribe online)	 Quality control and 	- Sales
- BBC Business news	assurance	- Production
- Eduqas	Supply chain	
	 Sales process 	