Year 13

Timing Unit T	Title Key Question	Knowledge	Assessing understanding
Autumn Theme	•	Revenue, production, costs and profit  Total revenue/cost/production  Average revenue/cost/production  Marginal revenue/cost/production  Normal vs Abnormal profit  Business Objectives  Profit maximisation  Revenue maximisation  Sales maximisation  Profit satisficing  Theory of the firm  Perfect competition  Monopolistic competition	Research tasks Presentations Formally marked essay(s)

	Theme 3	Labour market Does the student understand core microeconomic concepts in Theme 1 Has the student began to gather evidence of different types of economies to build on context	Theory of the firm     Oligopoly     Monopoly     Monopsony     Contestable markets  Labour markets     Demand and supply for labour     Wage rates     Trade union intervention	<ul> <li>Integrating paper 1 and 3</li> <li>Progress on developing context (wider reading)</li> <li>Progress with longer 25-mark essay style questions</li> <li>Formally marked essay(s)</li> <li>A Level Paper 1</li> </ul>
Spring	Theme 4	Understanding the international macroeconomic environment Using and manipulating complex data in a macroeconomic context	Globalisation and trade arrangements  Trading blocs  Levels of integration  European central bank  International trade  Absolute and comparative advantage  Terms of trade  The WTO and protectionism  WTO  Tariffs  Quotas  Subsidies  Balance of payments and exchange rates	<ul> <li>Integrating paper 2 and 4</li> <li>Progress on developing context (wider reading on Malawi)</li> <li>Progress with longer 25-mark essay style questions</li> <li>Formally marked essay(s)</li> </ul>

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			<ul> <li>The capital and financial accounts</li> <li>Fixed vs floating exchange rate</li> <li>Managing an exchange rate</li> </ul>	
	Theme 4	Familiarity Government intervention in the UK context and global context Understanding of developing and emerging market models	Equality and inequality  Income and wealth inequality  Types of poverty  Policies to reduce inequality and poverty  Economic development  Factors influencing growth and development  Strategies to promote growth and development  Financial markets and government policy  The role of financial markets  Market failure  Taxes  Public expenditure  The debt and the deficit	<ul> <li>Further familiarity with essay questions</li> <li>Familiarity with Levels of response and 'balance' in 25 mark essay</li> <li>Formally marked essay(s)</li> <li>A Level Paper 2</li> </ul>
Summer	Theme 1, 2, 3 and 4 (synoptic paper)	Familiarity with synopsis Tackling Paper 3	<ul> <li>Synoptic approach</li> <li>Integrating themes</li> <li>Answering questions on micro and macroeconomics</li> <li>Use of own knowledge and context</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Using Judgement in essays</li> <li>Developing balance in paper 3 essays</li> <li>Formally marked essay(s)</li> <li>A Level Paper 3</li> </ul>