

Year 10 GCSE Business Revision Guide

Exam Board - OCR (<http://www.ocr.org.uk>)

Course - Business Studies

http://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/type/gcse/blt/business_studies/index.html

The website has copies of the course specification as well as past paper materials and mark schemes.

A291 - Marketing and Enterprise - 25% of overall grade, controlled assessment.

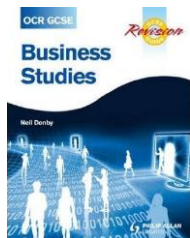
Year 10 Exam

A292 - Business and People - 25% of overall grade, 1hr written paper

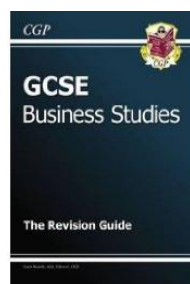
A293 - Production, Finance and External Environment - 50% of overall grade, 1hr 30 written paper (Year 11)

Revision Books

I would encourage pupils to visit a book store to look at the range available as layout can vary greatly and choice is often a matter of personal preference. The two I have listed should act as a starting point, rather than a definitive list.



OCR (A) GCSE Business Studies Revision Guide by Mr N Denby (2010) **£7.19** (amazon.co.uk)



GCSE Business Studies Revision Guide (Paperback) by Richard Parsons (2009) **£4.99** (amazon.co.uk)

Revision Websites

Department Website - www.bwbusiness.org.uk (you can search by topic, by 'year 10' or by 'business and people')

Also...

BBC GCSE Bitesize - <http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/gcsebitesize/business/>


Business Studies Online - <http://www.businessstudiesonline.co.uk/>


Tutor2u - http://www.tutor2u.net/revision_notes_business_gcse.htm

James Abela - <http://www.jamesabela.co.uk/bus/gcse/>

Revision Checklist

Unit A292: Business and People

Topic - Business	Revised?	
Types of Business Activity (<i>primary, secondary and tertiary</i>)		
Objectives (<i>growth, survival, profit etc...</i>)		
Stakeholders (<i>customers, shareholders, workers, pressure groups etc...</i>)		
Sole traders and partnerships		
Private and Public Limited Companies (<i>Plc's and Ltd's</i>)		
Other types of ownership (<i>franchises, government owned etc...</i>)		

Topic - People	Revised?	
Employment (<i>advert, internal/external, job desc./person spec.</i>)		
Motivation (<i>Maslow, Pay and non-pay methods</i>)		
Training (<i>on and off the job, importance of training</i>)		
Employment Laws and Trade Unions		
Communication (<i>methods, adv./dis.</i>)		
Organisation (<i>charts, job roles</i>)		

What Can I Do If I Don't Understand Something?

- **Try a different source of revision material.** Different books and websites will have different ways of explaining things – try and find one that suits you.
- **Ask a friend.** We all have different strengths and weaknesses, maybe your friend will understand something you don't. Don't forget to return the favour though!
- **Go and see my teacher.** The quickest way to get a problem solved is to go and see your teacher.