



Archbishop Tenison's

CHURCH OF ENGLAND HIGH SCHOOL

SIXTH FORM: Economics



Economics

A Level Course Overview

Students will learn economic concepts and theories embedding familiar mathematical tools and advanced essay techniques.

Year 12's Economic Foundations include great economic theories eg by Adam Smith; competitive markets and market failure are interleaved with real-world case studies. The UK's macroeconomic choices lead on to global economic themes eg growing trade barriers, inequality or development in Year 13, alongside the competition policy challenges towards transnational companies.

A-level economics students often add maths, sociology, business studies or even music or PE to their portfolio to prepare for their preferred industry sectors.



What's great about Economics at Tenison's Sixth Form?

Our A Level Economics students gain confidence at working with numbers, judging evidence and reasoning towards complex decisions. After Year 13, they progress to various University courses and apprenticeships preparing them for graduate jobs in industry sectors such as finance, consulting, government, data teams and policy roles.

Our Economics classes are smaller than our GCSE-classes. This delivers students that one-to-one guidance, needed to build their own learning journey. This involves growing academic and transferable skills such as working with MS Office tools or interleaving theory with our free Financial Times (FT) online editions. Our friendly, supportive and collaborative economics lessons make our students feel comfortable and happy, feeling prepared for their next milestones.



Economics Opportunities and Successes

- *Trips to BMW Mini car manufacturing plant near Oxford to entrench the understanding of economies of scale*
- *Trip to the Museum of Brands to explore ever evolving consumer behaviour within behavioural economics.*
- *Trip to the Humber area visiting fish auctions, shipping maintenance hubs or solar power training centres to explore industries outside Greater London*
- *Previous students have secured internships at various firms or with MPs. They have also attended virtual economics internships by UK universities.*

