

Economics and Business Resources for Schools

Resources for students

Key stage	Resource
	Additional Reading
KS 5	Abbott, A. (1988) <i>The System of Professions: An Essay in the Division of Expert Labor</i> , Chicago: University of Chicago Press.
KS 5	Allen, David - <i>Getting Things Done: The Art of Stress-Free Productivity</i> (2001)
KS 5	Barney, J.B. (1986). <i>Organizational culture: Can it be a source of sustained competitive advantage?</i> , <i>Academy of Management Review</i> , Vol. 11, No. 3, pp. 656-665
KS 5	Baron, David P. 2010. <i>Business and its Environment</i> . (Sixth edition). Pearson.
KS 5	Begg and Vernasca – <i>Economics</i>
KS 5	Bijker, W.E. (1995). <i>Of Bicycles, Bakelites, and Bulbs: Toward a Theory of Sociotechnical Change</i> . Cambridge MA: MIT Press.
KS 5	Boyce, G., & Ville, S.P. (2002). <i>The Development of Modern Business</i> . Basingstoke: Palgrave
KS 5	Cal Newport - <i>Deep Work: Rules for Focused Success in a Distracted World</i> (2016).

KS 5	Chandler A.D. (1990). <i>Scale and Scope: The Dynamics of Industrial Capitalism</i> . Boston: Harvard University Press.
KS 5	Chandler, A.D. (1984). The emergence of managerial capitalism, <i>Business History Review</i> , Vol. 58, No. 4, pp. 473-503. Also in Granovetter. M. (ed.). <i>Sociology of Economic Life</i> . Oxford: Westview Press. pp. 131-157.
KS 5	Christensen, C. (1997). <i>The Innovator's Dilemma: When New Technologies Cause Great Firms To Fail</i> . Boston, MA: Harvard Business School Press.
KS 5	Collins, Jim - <i>Great by Choice: Uncertainty, Chaos, and Luck—Why Some Thrive Despite Them All</i> (2011).
KS 5	Cusumano, M.A., Mylonadis, Y., & Rosenbloom, R.S. (1992). Strategic manoeuvring and mass-market dynamics: the Triumph of VHS over Beta, <i>Business History Review</i> , Vol. 66, No. 1, pp. 51-94.
KS 5	Gerber, Michael E. - <i>The E Myth Revisited: Why Most Small Businesses Don't Work and What to Do About It</i> (1995).
KS 5	Geroski. P.A. (2003.) <i>The Evolution of New Markets</i> . Oxford: Oxford University Press.
KS 5	Goleman, D. (1998). What makes a leader? - <i>Harvard Business Review</i> , Nov/Dec, Vol. 76, No. 6, pp. 93-102.
KS 5	Hall, P., & Soskice, D. (eds.). (2001). <i>Varieties of Capitalism: Institutional Foundations of Comparative Advantage</i> . Cambridge University Press.
KS 5	Hargadon, A.B., & Douglas, Y. (2001). When innovation meets institutions: Edison and the design of the electric light, <i>Administrative Science Quarterly</i> , Vol. 46, No. 3, pp. 476-501.
KS 5	Harford, Tim - <i>The Undercover Economist</i>
KS 5	Hatch, M.J., & Cunliffe, A.L. (2007). <i>Organization Theory: Modern, Symbolic, and Postmodern Perspectives</i> (Second edition). Oxford.

KS 5	Kay, J. (1993). Foundations of Corporate Success: How Business Strategies Add Value. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
KS 5	Krugman, Paul - The Accidental theorist
KS 5	Kotler, P., Armstrong, G., Wong, V., & Saunders, J. (2008). Principles of Marketing, Fifth European Edition. FT Prentice Hall.
KS 5	Kuhn, T.S. (1970). The Structure of Scientific Revolutions (2nd ed.). University of Chicago Press.
KS 5	Lukes, S. (1974). Power: A Radical View. Macmillan.
KS 5	McChesney, Covey and Huling - The 4 Disciplines of Execution: Achieving Your Wildly Important Goals (2012).
KS 5	McKenna, C. (2006). The World's Newest Profession: Management Consulting in the Twentieth Century. Cambridge University Press.
KS 5	Michalowicz, Mike - Profit First: A Simple System to Transform Any Business from a Cash-Eating Monster to a Money-Making Machine (2014).
KS 5	Morgan, G. (1997). Images of Organization. Sage.
KS 5	Pfeffer, J. (1981). Power in Organizations. Harper Business.
KS 5	Pugh, Derek S., & Hickson, David J. (2007). Great Writers on Organizations (Third Edition). Ashgate Publishing.
KS 5	Scott, W.R. (2002). Organisations: Rational, Formal, and Open Systems Perspectives (Fifth edition). Prentice Hall.
KS 5	Shafritz, Jay M., Ott, J. Stephen, & Jang, Yong Suk. (2010). Classics of Organisation Theory, Seventh Edition. Wadsworth.

KS 5	Teece, D., Pisano, G., & Shuen, A. (1997). Dynamic capabilities and strategic management, <i>Strategic Management Journal</i> , Vol. 18, No. 7, pp. 509-533.
KS 5	Whittington, R. (1993). <i>What is Strategy - and Does It Matter?</i> London: Routledge.
KS 5	Williamson, O.E. (1981). The economics of organization: The transaction cost approach, <i>American Journal of Sociology</i> , Vol. 87, No. 3, pp. 548-577.
KS 3-5	CORE - The Economy An open-access platform for anyone who wants to understand the economics of innovation, inequality, environmental sustainability, and more.
	Websites
KS 5	Staircase 12 - Economics
KS 5	Worcester College, Oxford – Business Studies resources that may be useful through the Covid-19 crisis.
KS 4-5	Gresham College Public Lectures- Business
KS 4-5	Free Online Economics & Finance Courses
KS 3-5	Intelligent Economist - Top 100 Economics Blogs of 2019 .
KS 3-5	Bloomberg Economics - Twitter
KS 2-5	Oxpire.org some of the big questions that are relevant to us all such as; Can money buy you happiness? Could we end poverty? Should healthcare be free? Would you pay everyone the same?
All	Balliol College, Oxford - useful mathematics resources – useful to keep your maths skills up to standard.

ALL	BBC BITESIZE Economics.
ALL	BBC BITESIZE Business.
ALL	Dealhack.com free internet economic resources kids.
All	Grain-trading game for students.
All	Get revising - Business Studies
All	OUP Education Platform - An online platform from Oxford University Press, providing expert advice and resources to support learning at home and at school.
	Radio/podcasts/videos/MOOCs
KS 5	Maths Podcasts – useful to develop mathematical knowledge in preparation for Economics.
KS 5	The Suprising Use of Auctions – YouTube video about the 2008 financial crises and how an Oxford Professor helped protect the banks.
KS 5	Pitchfork economics with Nick Hanauer - Podcast
KS 5	player.fm - weekly economics Podcasts
KS 5	player.fm - Business Podcasts
KS 5	player.fm - Business Wars Podcast.
KS 5	Oxford Economics Podcasts
KS 5	Economics MOOCS

KS 5	Khanacademy - economics
KS 3-5	Intelligent Economist - The 25 Best Economics Podcasts Of 2019
KS 3-5	Freakonomics Radio – Weekly podcasts on a wide range of Economic subjects.
ALL	Blogspot top 25 Economics podcasts of 2020
ALL	My MOOC's Economics.
ALL	BBC podcast on Coffee – a discussion on the history of coffee, from its origins in Ethiopia to its role in the spread of ideas, its part in the slave trade and its social impact.
ALL	BBC podcast on the Poor Laws - guests discuss the 19th century legislation intended to discourage poor people from seeking relief instead of work, with handouts replaced by the workhouse
ALL	BBC podcast on the Dutch East India Company - guests discuss the Dutch East India Company, which dominated the Asian spice trade in the 17th century and is sometimes called the first multinational corporation.
ALL	BBC podcast on the Lancashire Cotton Famine guests discuss the cotton famine in Lancashire during the American Civil War, when the supply of cotton from the south was blocked and mills closed.
ALL	BBC podcast on The Wealth of Nations guests discuss Adam Smith's celebrated economic treatise: The Wealth of Nations.
ALL	BBC podcast on Tea - Melvyn Bragg discusses tea, the first truly global commodity which helped define class and gender, and perhaps more than any other substance has created the culture of modern Britain.
ALL	BBC podcast on the British East India Company - Melvyn Bragg discusses the powerful private trading company that redrew the map of India, built an empire and reinvented the fashions and the foodstuffs of Britain.

ALL	BBC podcast on Materialism and the Consumer - Melvyn Bragg examines the development and future of material culture. Are we hopelessly manipulated by materialism, or has the market developed to better our condition?
ALL	BBC podcast on Economic Rights - Melvyn Bragg discusses the relationship between democracy and capitalism and examines whether it is possible for a country to get rich and stay rich without a liberal constitution.
ALL	BBC podcast on Capitalism - Melvyn Bragg discusses the history of capitalism and examines whether we have witnessed its triumph or if we are only now learning the full costs and the social impact of its unfettered advance.
Magazines and journals	
KS 5	Inomics - top 10 Economic Journals
KS 5	TED talks - Business
KS 5	The Economic Journal - Wiley
KS 5	Oxford Academic - Economics Journal
KS 3-5	The Economist.com
Competitions	
KS 4-5	Bank of England Competitions for school students.
KS 4-5	Institute of Economic Affairs - Student Essay Competition
KS 3-5	Business wales - Youth Entrepreneurship competitions
All	Tycoon enterprise competition

All	childrensbusinessfair.co.uk - A one-day marketplace that gives you the opportunity to launch and showcase your very own businesses, learn what it takes to be an entrepreneur and earn your own money.
All	Dragons Den style student competition.
	Events
KS 5	Oxford Economics forum 2019 - The Values of Mutuality.
KS 4-5	Institute of Economic Affairs lots of free events and resources all across the country.
All	School Business Services – List of events aimed at improving children’s awareness and capabilities in business.

Resources for teachers.

Resource	Notes
British Council	Here you can find a wide range of full lesson plans to use in your business English classroom.
The International Trade Game	This game is a version of the World Trade Game developed by the Third World development charity Action Aid. Amended to be suitable for students beginning a course in economics, economic development or international trade.
Education Business	Education Business, now in its 20th year, is published monthly by Public Sector Information. EB's pages contain need-to-know features, news and case studies that explain the administrative and commercial issues affecting education.

Resource	Notes
The Princes Trust enterprise challenge	An inter-school competition which encourages a spirit of entrepreneurship, with young people working in teams with the support of mentors to compete to become Enterprise Challenge Grand Champions.