# YEAR 10 BUSINESS STUDIES WORK PLAN: Semester 1, 2019 - 10A and 10B Mrs Edwards

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| 1    | The economics and business content now involves two strands: Economics and Business Knowledge and Understanding, and Economics and Business Skills. | Exam - Short and extended written responses 85 minutes, 5 min perusal | Week 9  
10A Tuesday 26 March  
Lessons 3 & 4  
10B Friday 29 March  
Lessons 1 & 2 |

**THE CURRENT CLIMATE – AUSTRALIA – KEY MONEY CONCEPTS (KMC) AND PART 1 FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION**  
10 weeks  
Financial Literacy content examined through contemporary issues, events and case studies. Contexts explored from personal, local, national business scenarios. Sources of finance used by different business models, explore borrowing, credit, overdrafts, venture capital, interest payable, credit reports, crowdfunding.  
KMC Financial Landscape topics Money, Economic Cycles, Fiscal Policy, Monetary Policy, Globalisation (definition only).  
Introducing the Key Inquiry questions for the year:  
1. How is the performance of an economy measured?  
2. Why do variations in economic performance in different economies exist?  
3. How do governments, businesses and individuals respond to changing economic conditions?  

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| 2    | GLOBALISATION AND US IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY  
Students research and frame investigations into economic or business issues and events. They learn to explain why and how governments manage economic performance to improve living standards. They give explanations for variations in economic performance and standards of living within and between economies. They analyse factors that influence major consumer and financial decisions and explain the short- and long-term effects of these decisions. They explain how businesses respond to changing economic conditions and improve productivity. Students evaluate the effect of organisational and workforce management on business performance.  
**Excursion Monday 3 June Week 7- Topics:** Going to the Brisbane Airport Corporation with International Terminal and Trade Park facilities, then a tour of Brisbane Port Authority to examine key questions and exports and imports and industries. For the afternoon in the city we see where Brisbane City Council’s vision statement seeks by 2022, to be a New World City in its Action Plan. There is a presentation at Brisbane Convention and Exhibition Centre with Earthcheck’s Operations & Business Development Manager to glean insight into audit tools and sustainable practises in large scale businesses like BCEC and worldwide. | Extended written response – Case Study  
4 weeks | Week 8  
Thursday 13 June  
(Electronic submission and paper copy to teacher pigeon hole – a non BST class day) |

This work plan was last updated on Sunday 24 Feb. 19. The contents are subject to change – students will be advised in advance of any changes - regularly check for updates.