

Introduction

This subject explores aspects from Business Studies, Economics and Accounting. The subject content is modified to cater to the needs of the learners at Tenby SEH and serves as a foundational course for students who go on to study these subjects at IGCSE.

Grading Breakdown	
Classwork	40%
Assessment	50%
Participation	10%



Year 9

Term 1	Topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Savings • Making the most of your money 	Scope: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Possible next steps after school, budgeting as a student, payslip terminology, calculating income tax payments, welfare departments and type of pensions
Term 2	Topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Borrowing • Moving on from the school world of work 	Scope: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reasons to borrow, good debt and bad debt, Simple interest and compound interest, Credit history, Methods of borrowing and loan sharks, Manageable and non- manageable debt • Explore options when moving out from school and join as a fulltime employee
Term 3	Topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Security • Risk 	Scope: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Types of personal financial risk, Attitudes to risk, Assessing the risk, Protecting against the financial risk

How students are assessed

- Formal Individual Assessment
- Poster presentation
- Group assignment and peer evaluation