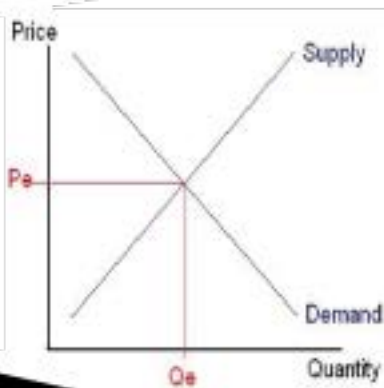


Why Choose Economics?

Economics will give you the opportunity to learn about UK and World economies and how economic theory is applied to real-life situations. You will be able appreciate the importance and complexity of contemporary economic issues and develop an understanding of economic concepts and theories through a critical consideration of issues that affect everyday life.



Choose Economics as an option and you will have the chance to study how an economy is run and how governments play their important roles. Economics will compliment other A Level courses especially History, Business Studies, Law and Politics.



At Alun School,
our experienced teaching team provide expert guidance and tuition in 5 weekly lessons.

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Assessment Information

A Level Units

AS Unit 1 - Introduction to Economic Principles - 1 hour and 15 minutes written examination that makes up 15% of qualification.

AS Unit 2 - Economics in Action - 2 hours written examination that makes up 25% of qualification.

A2 Unit 3 - Exploring Economic Behaviour - 2 hours written examination that makes up 30% of qualification.

A2 Unit 4 - Evaluating Economic Models and Policies - 2 hours and 30 minutes written Examination that makes up 30% of qualification.

Entry Requirements

You should have achieved a grade B or above in GCSE English Language or Literature and a grade B or above in GCSE Maths.

Progression Routes

The transferable skills and knowledge you will gain through the study of Economics at Alun School will be invaluable in enabling you to go on to access a wide range of courses at university.

Economics will give you an excellent grounding for multiple career opportunities including:



Economics is a well-thought of subject and many of our students go on to well-established institutions to study it further. These include the Universities of Manchester, Liverpool and Cardiff .

“Economics is useful in the sense it can be applied to real-life situations of everyday Britain. It is a subject which helps one to understand ‘why’ and ‘how’ things happen to our country the way they do .”

“Economics at A Level in the Alun is a very useful subject, which will help with future jobs and gives a real understanding of the objectives of a business and the government have, to create a strong powerful economy.”

“A Level Economics provides a broad understanding of the way the world works both economically and politically. It has been useful inside and outside school.”

- Year 13 students