Economics and Business Studies

The departments of Economics and Business Studies sit alongside the Law department in the Faculty of Social Sciences. Business Studies is the most popular GCSE option subject at HGS as well as having thriving A-level numbers. Economics is equally popular at A-level and provides a solid choice for students who choose not to combine their Maths A-level with Science. We currently have two Economics sets in years 12 and 13 and regularly send students to high-calibre universities for related courses.

As a department, we are very well-resourced and follow a knowledge-rich curriculum where students have access to a wide range of materials to help them achieve mastery over the subject. Teaching follows direct instruction and curriculum design is incredibly important to our department delivering high-quality results. For more information on our curriculum offerings, please follow this link: <https://www.handsworth.bham.sch.uk/curriculum/subjects/business-studies/>

As a school, we are committed to investing in our greatest resource – our teaching staff. We are looking for a team member to play an active role in the life of the department and the wider life of the school; we in turn will support them.

Informal visits to the department are most welcome and if you have any questions please email the Head of Faculty Edward Harvey: [eharvey@handsworth.bham.sch.uk](mailto:eharvey@handsworth.bham.sch.uk) .