

OCR GCSE Business

Exam Structure

At Rossett students follow the **OCR GCSE Business specification**. In this course students will sit **two written exams**. Each exam is out of 80 marks, which has a mix of multiple choice assessment, 2 and 3 mark questions as well as extended writing questions of 7 marks plus. The exam specification can be found here:

<https://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/gcse/business-j204-from-2017/specification-at-a-glance/>

Paper 1

- **Topic 1: Business Activity**
- **Topic 2: Marketing**
- **Topic 3: People**

Paper 2

- **Topic 4: Operations**
- **Topic 5: Finance**
- **Topic 6: Influences on Business**

Command words

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vMir9R1zBzA>

Knowledge to Learn

Prioritise which topic you are going to revise. Use your exam specification or topic **checklists** to help you.

Use the [Knowledge Organisers](#) and your **revision guide** to try to **memorise this material**. Use strategies like **read, cover, write check, brain dumps and making flash cards/ mind maps** as part of this process.

Self-quizzing Materials

Self-test using **low stakes testing** to see if you have retained this information. This could include using **flash cards plus practicing some topic-based exam questions and self-assess** your answers using the mark scheme.

Seneca learning (log into your class)

<https://senecalearning.com/en-GB/>

Flash Cards

<https://www.brainscape.com/subjects/ocr-gcse-business>

Exam Paper Practice

Once you have revised all of Paper 1 or Paper 2 content you now need to practice a full paper under timed conditions.

<https://www.ocr.org.uk/qualification/gcse/business-j204-from-2017/assessment/>

Revision Videos

[Paper 1 summary video](#)

[Paper 2 summary video](#)

Explanations and support for exam questions

These links will take you to videos on how to answer the different type of questions asked.

Analyse questions

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ko5k2SSNHnc>

Recommend questions

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CmW03OC6b2k>

Discuss/evaluate questions

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=apf8SatCgaU>

Other useful revision sites

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/exams/pecs/zhrphbk> (BBC Bitesize)

<https://www.savemyexams.com/gcse/business/ocr/> (Save my exams)