



Cambridge Pre-U Economics (9772)

Additional guidance for this syllabus

Additional guidance given for this syllabus applies to specific components.

Students will still be expected to apply their knowledge to unfamiliar contexts.

Additional guidance for Component 9772/01: Multiple choice, short answers and data response

Questions in Section A are multiple choice and cover the whole syllabus. No additional guidance is given for this section.

Questions in Section B and Section C will address the following topics, which are presented in syllabus order and not in question order:

Section B and Section C topic focus
1(a) The basic economic problem of unlimited wants and limited means 1(b) The market mechanism and demand and supply analysis 1(c) Costs of production, profit and the theory of the firm 1(d) Causes of market failure 1(e) Government intervention in the market 2(i) Government policy 3(e) Development economics and globalisation

Additional guidance for Component 9772/02: Essays

Questions in Section A and Section B of this component will address the following topics, which are presented in syllabus order and not in question order:

Section A and Section B topic focus
1(a) The basic economic problem of unlimited wants and limited means 1(b) The market mechanism and demand and supply analysis 1(c) Costs of production, profit and the theory of the firm 1(d) Causes of market failure 1(e) Government intervention in the market 1(f) The labour market 2(a) Standards of living 2(b) Economic growth and economic cycle 2(g) Productivity and international competitiveness 2(h) Macroeconomic theory 2(i) Government policy 3(a) The theory of free trade 3(c) Protectionism 3(e) Development economics and globalisation

Additional guidance for Component 9772/03: Investigation

No further additional guidance is given for this component.