Year 10 – September - October

Week 1	 To understand how entrepreneurs develop their business ideas To understand the external changes that can affect businesses AR – Consumer trends	 To introduce the project brief To understand the success criteria in relation to the project brief To set the teamwork boundaries To set class expectations for Business 	 To develop an understanding of case studies and the skill of inference and application of knowledge to given business situations
information	HW – ideas for your own micro-enterprise in school	ol	
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Week 2	 To understand the risks that entrepreneurs take when starting / running businesses To introduce the concept of limited Liability (further covered in 1.4.1) 	 To understand the rewards that entrepreneurs gain when starting / running their own businesses 	 To understand the purpose of businesses To understand the difference between needs and wants To understand the characteristics displayed by entrepreneurs
Important	HW – Map Keighley businesses		
information	FA – Risk V reward marked activity		
Week 3	 To apply and analyse the key characteristics that different entrepreneurs have displayed and their importance on the success of the business. 	 To understand the business concept of added value & the benefit of adding value to businesses To apply this knowledge to different business situations 	 To review and practice the use of levels based assessment objective marking and the requirements of the exam.
Important	AR – Inference on characteristics and how they are shown – interview with an entrepreneur.		
information	HW – To complete a characteristics and skills audit for themselves.		
Week 4	 To undertake a series of timed questions to allow the application of knowledge gained to given business situations. 	 To use the knowledge gained in class to produce an outline of a new business idea for the local area – mini project (Application of Week 1 – Lesson 1) 	 To use the knowledge gained in class to produce an outline of a new business idea for the local area – mini project (Application of week 2 lesson 1)
Important	F A – mini assessment		
information	Hw – draw a logo for their own business idea – anr	notate with explanations/justifications	

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Week 5	 To use the knowledge gained in class to produce an outline of a new business idea for the local area – mini project (Application of week 2 – Lesson 2) 	 To use the knowledge gained in class to produce an outline of a new business idea for the local area – mini project (application of week 2 lesson 3) 	- To use the knowledge gained in class to produce an outline of a new business idea for the local area – mini project (application of week 3 lesson 2)
Important	Hw – case study on a recent new business start-	-	-
information	up		
Week 6	 To use the knowledge gained in class to produce an outline of a new business idea for the local area – mini project – development of pitch 	- To develop communication skills by undertaking small Group pitches to class	- To develop communication skills by undertaking small Group pitches to class
Important information	- Hw – watch a Dragons den pitch		
Week 7	- Undertake a mini-assessment which will assess the knowledge and skills required at GCSE for the topics covered to date	 Review the mini assessment and identify areas of strengths and weaknesses with clear focus on improvement 	 Draw up a half-term revision/reading timetable to help close gaps in knowledge.
Important information	- Log on and complete the pods and activities or	n GCSE Pod.	