

External Assessment 2026

ECONOMICS

ECN315116

Section **C**

Pages: 12

Questions: 6

Answer Booklets: 2

Suggested working time: 90 minutes

Instructions:

- There are **two (2) parts** to this section:
 - **Part 1 – Unit 2** – answer **two (2)** questions from this part
 - **Part 2 – Unit 3** – answer **two (2)** questions from this part.
- Answer **all** items within a question.
- Write your answer to each part in a **separate answer booklet**. You are encouraged to include diagrams where relevant.
- The exam is **three (3)** hours in length. The suggested working time is provided in the instructions for each part.
- All answers must be written in **English**.
- You **must** make sure your answers address the listed criteria.
- Mark allocation will be entered by Markers on the generic answer booklets.

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Guide to Exam Structure

	Parts	Questions available	Questions to answer	Suggested working time	Marks available
Section A	Part 1	3	2	15 minutes	15 marks and A+ to z rating
	Part 2	3	2	15 minutes	15 marks and A+ to z rating
	Part 3	3	2	15 minutes	15 marks and A+ to z rating
Section B	Part 1	3	2	15 minutes	15 marks and A+ to z rating
	Part 2	3	2	15 minutes	15 marks and A+ to z rating
	Part 3	3	2	15 minutes	15 marks and A+ to z rating
Section C	Part 1	3	2	45 minutes	A+ to z rating
	Part 2	3	2	45 minutes	A+ to z rating
Totals		24	16	180 minutes (3 hours)	90 marks and A+ to z rating

Criteria

You **must** make sure your answers address:

- Criterion 3 describe and analyse problems arising from economic issues and events
- Criterion 4 describe and analyse economic solutions and make recommendations for future economic action
- Criterion 5 communicate economic ideas and information.

Part 1 (Unit 2)

- Answer **two (2)** questions from Question 19, Question 20 **or** Question 21.
 - Answer **all** items within a question.
 - Write your answers to Unit 2 and Unit 3 in **separate answer booklets**. You are encouraged to include **diagrams** where relevant.
 - The suggested working time you should spend on this part is **approximately 45 minutes**.
 - This part assesses **Criteria 3, 4 and 5**.
 - You are expected to use the stimulus material **and** the economic theory as outlined in the course in your answers.
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Question 19 Stimulus

QUESTION 19 STIMULUS TITLE

**QUESTION 19 STIMULUS
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(indicative of space allocation)

Article by:

Question 19 continues

Question 19 continued

Item a) assesses **Criteria 3** and **5**.

a) QUESTION 19 ITEM A

Item b) assesses **Criteria 4** and **5**.

b) QUESTION 19 ITEM B

OR

QUESTION 20 STIMULUS
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Article by:

Question 20

Item a) assesses **Criteria 3** and **5**.

a) QUESTION 20 ITEM A

Item b) assesses **Criteria 4** and **5**.

b) QUESTION 20 ITEM B

OR

QUESTION 21 STIMULUS TITLE

QUESTION 21 STIMULUS
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Article by:

Question 21

Item a) assesses **Criteria 3** and **5**.

a) QUESTION 21 ITEM A

Item b) assesses **Criteria 4** and **5**.

b) QUESTION 21 ITEM B

Part 2 (Unit 3)

- Answer **two (2)** questions from Question 22, Question 23 **or** Question 24.
 - Answer **all** items within a question.
 - Write your answers to Unit 2 and Unit 3 in **separate answer booklets**. You are encouraged to include **diagrams** where relevant.
 - The suggested working time you should spend on this part is **approximately 45 minutes**.
 - This part assesses **Criteria 3, 4 and 5**.
 - You are expected to use the stimulus material **and** the economic theory as outlined in the course in your answers.
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Question 22 Stimulus

QUESTION 22 STIMULUS TITLE

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Article by:

Question 22

Item a) assesses **Criteria 3 and 5**.

a) QUESTION 22 ITEM A

Item b) assesses **Criteria 4 and 5**.

b) QUESTION 22 ITEM B

OR

QUESTION 23 STIMULUS TITLE

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Article by:

Question 23

Item a) assesses **Criteria 3** and **5**.

a) QUESTION 23 ITEM A

Item b) assesses **Criteria 4** and **5**.

b) QUESTION 23 ITEM B

OR

QUESTION 24 STIMULUS
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Article by:

Question 24

Item a) assesses **Criteria 3** and **5**.

a) QUESTION 24 ITEM A

Item b) assesses **Criteria 4** and **5**.

b) QUESTION 24 ITEM B

Acknowledgements

Sources:

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