Syllabus update: Cambridge IGCSE[™] (9–1) Business Studies (0986) for examination in 2020, 2021 and 2022

We have updated this syllabus. The latest syllabus is version 5, published March 2020.

What has changed?		Detail
1	Changes to assessment (including changes to specimen papers)	 Changes to version 5 of the syllabus We have updated the 0450/01 specimen mark scheme for examination from 2020. We have changed 'Project' to 'Protect' in question 1(e) in bullet points one and two. We have removed 'which means' from the beginning of the justification bullet point in question 2(e). Changes to version 4 of the syllabus, published December 2019 We have updated the 0450/01 specimen mark scheme for examination from 2020. We have improved clarity of answers and included possible justifications candidates may give in their responses to questions 1(e) and 2(e).
•	Changes to syllabus	 Changes to version 3 of the syllabus, published February 2018 This syllabus is no longer restricted to centres in the UK. Please check the syllabus page at www.cambridgeinternational.org/igcse to see if this syllabus is available in your administrative zone. Changes to version 2 of the syllabus, published October 2017 The information on page 19, Section 5.5 Analysis of accounts, has been updated. The heading in 5.5.1 now reads 'Profitability'.

We have updated the specimen materials for this syllabus.

Please check the updated syllabus and specimen papers for further information.

The syllabus has been updated. You are strongly advised to read the whole syllabus before planning your teaching programme.