

<b>Task Name:</b> Economic Issues: Research and Essay	<b>Unit:</b> Economic Issues
<b>Task Distributed:</b> 18/06/2026	<b>Task Due:</b> Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July 2026
<b>Task Type:</b> In Class Response	<b>Syllabus Outcomes:</b> H1, H2, H7, H9, H10, H11, H12
<b>Task Weighting:</b> 30%	<b>Task number for Course:</b> 3

### Task Description

This assessment will be conducted as an in-class extended response. Students will be required to conduct research and prepare a written response in relation to the economic issue of inflation

Students will be assessed on how well they:

- demonstrate knowledge and understanding the economic issue relevant to the question
- communicate using relevant statistical data and concepts
- present a sustained, logical and cohesive response

### NESA Glossary of Key Words

- Compare: Show how things are similar or different.
- Understand the verb associated with the task. The verb will provide an understanding of the detail needed to successfully answer the question.
- Check the NESA Glossary of Key Words

<https://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/hsc/hsc-student-guide/glossary-keywords>

### Details of Submission

The essay will be written in class on Thursday the 2<sup>nd</sup> of July during your scheduled class

Students must bring a black pen to write with.

All paper will be provided to write on and a copy of the question will be provided.

Students will have 45 minutes to complete their essay.

## Assessment Procedures

All students should be fully aware of the school assessment procedures. Students should access their 2026 Assessment Guide for more information.

## Feedback Provided

- The task will be typically returned to students within two school weeks of the submission date.
- At this time feedback including information on how to improve will be delivered through mechanisms such as marking criteria, and/or written comments.
- Students can clarify or seek further feedback by arranging to meet with their teacher.

### What Areas of Learning will this Assessment Task Report On?

This task will encourage students to demonstrate their understanding, skills and knowledge in Economics. This will help them to enhance their understanding and ability to apply the proper economic terminology and economic concepts as well as to identify possible areas of improvement relating to the HSC topic of Economic Issues. Students will communicate a logical, structured and cohesive response, using a variety of key concepts and terms.

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