

Post-16 Transition Support BTEC National Level 3 in Business

Transition Project

In preparation for your course, you should complete the following tasks:

• This task will require you to carry out your own investigation of a 'real' business that has recently been in the news regarding any of the following issues; stores closing, loss of sales or liquidation.

You are a journalist for a major newspaper in the UK. You have just found out that a national business is having problems in the UK. You have been tasked with writing an article about the business explaining the following:

- History of business How it began and what has happened?
- Analysis of the impact on its employees and its customers.
- Recommend what action you think the business should take and explain why this is the best course of action for them.
- Explain the following models and theorists:
 - SWOT Analysis
 - PESTLE Analysis
 - SMART Objectives
 - Porter's Five Forces
 - Relationship between Demand, Supply and Price
 - Tannenbaum Schmidt Continuum
 - Goleman's model of emotional intelligence

Suggested Reading or Viewing

Websites:

https://www.tutor2u.net/business

https://www.bankofengland.co.uk/

https://www.bbc.co.uk/news

https://bized.aacsb.edu/

