**St Mary’s Catholic School**

**Year 11 into Year 12 Bridging Work**

**Recommended Reading List for Year 12**

**Economics**

*To prepare you for your Sixth Form studies, the reading list below includes a variety of books, articles and other material to read and use, to broaden your knowledge, and to enrich your understanding of Economics.*

*Take some time over the summer to complete the reading below, using the tasks to help structure your reading.*

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| **Read / Watch** | **Link if this is available online** | **Tasks to complete** | **Any additional notes** |
| Tutor 2 U transition work | https://www.tutor2u.net/economics/collections/head-start-for-alevel-economics-transition-resource-year-11-students | Read and make notes about each of the main topics |  |
| Will Haines podcast exploring topical issues in economics | Type in Econ and me to any podcast app | Listen to this to gain an understanding of economics |  |
| The Big Short | Available on Netflix | Make notes of key terms and causes of the Financial Crisis |  |
| News sources | [www.ft.com](http://www.ft.com)  [www.ons.gov.uk](http://www.ons.gov.uk)  www.[bbc.co.uk](https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/business/economy) | Read and gain an understanding of current economic issues |  |
| BBC Radio 4 Today Programme | https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b006qj9z | Listen to this to gain an understanding of current economic affairs |  |