

Beam's vision to Create a Lifelong Love of Learning

	External factors to consider	Factors affected within my industry	Importance to Beam
Political	Government policy - 10 Political stability - 10 Tax 9 Industry regulations 10 Global trade agreements and or restrictions 8	Ofsted policy- Framework Impending change of government-Labour Gov? Change in Ofsted Inspector-Martyn Oliver appointed in Jan 24 Changes in Education ministers Historical local legacies eg: Far Right parties. Global instability DfE Expectation to provide 32.5 hour week	Ofsted framework will directly affect how Beam is assessed. Changes to the framework will impact how the curriculum is designed, assessed and designed. Policy direction and initiatives may change. Impact on Staff/Teacher wellbeing Rising cost of resources and materials Higher levels of refugees — Impact ON EAL Cost impact — staffing Workload impact — Directed Time
Economic	Exchange rates - 10 Globalisation - 10 Economic growth/ decline- 10 Inflation- 8 Interest rates - 10 Cost of living - 10 Labour costs - 10 Consumer spending habits - 10	Cuts in budgets Census budget- October- not receiving funding for all pupils who join school. Labour costs increasing i.e rising national minimum wage/London living wage LBBD was worst affected by the energy crisis Mayor of London has increased free	School needing to find money in their current budgets for teacher pay rises Movement of pupils Low attaining baselines of pupils joining Increased costs to school e.g. School Trips/Enrichment opportunities. Cost of staffing becoming more expensive- reduced staffing? Impact on cost of living-parents working longer hours-risk of neglect, poor well-being

		school dinners to 2025- therefore less applications for pupil premium- less funding for schools LBBD has the highest percentage of lone parent households with dependent children in England and Wales	Less applications for pupil premium- less funding for schools
Social	Consumer trends/ tastes, Fashions Consumer buying habits Lifestyle factors Career attitudes Work-life balance Population demographics	LBBD have the highest number of Under 16's in the country Life expectancy for men in LBBD is 58.1 years Cultural and religious tensions Highest domestic abuse figures in London Cost of Living crisis LBBD has the 2 nd highest rate of unemployment in the country Media- inaccurate information shared of new incentives from Government	Parents working different shift patterns resulting in pupils taking care of siblings to support with childcaresafeguarding Lack of parental engagement/support. Pupils travelling during term time- extended periods out of school- cheaper for parents Social and Racial Justice-Changes made to curriculum, Equality Award. Higher percentage of children with ACEs — poor well-being leading to poor attainment — Well being Lead and well being charter.
			Poor aspiration and usually poor parental engagement. • Beam- Reading- Benchmarking CPD for teachers-impact-future aspirations of pupils going on to Secondary school (children not being able to read). Children with SEND not being identified before joining school plus resistance from parents to refer/assess Lack of funding for pupils with SEND- cost to the school- lack of qualified staff

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Technology	Automation Innovation Disruptive technologies Social networking Upgrades Robotics Artificial Intelligence Security	Online Safety Bill Chat GPT Beam Studios	Maintenance of devices and software within the school-cost Low income families lack of access to devices Effective PSHE and Computing curriculum. Opportunities for Beam pupils to have different experiences – raise expectations and give pupils an insight into the different careers that they may go into.
Legal		Union advice Updated EYFS Framework Jan 2024 Introduction of 30 hour childcare for 2 year olds. BREXIT- Change to EU laws and impact. Qualifications for Overseas teachers Children and Families Act (CAFA)—2014 SEND Code of Practice — 2014 (revised 2015) SEND and alternative provision improvement plan - 2023	Staff well-being and workload Pediatric First Aid trained staff members within EYFS Ratios within EYFS particularly if accepting 'risers' and lunch cover. Increased proportion of parents wanting full time places- lunchtime arrangements, staff ratios Parental complaints CAFA – still in place. Places duty on schools and LAs to meet medical and SEND needs SEND CoP – Statutory Guidance SEND and alternative provision improvement plan – reforms 'will take several years'

Environmental

Environmental restrictions imposed by in-country governments Sustainable resources CSR (Corporate social responsibility) Ethical sourcing Transportation Procurement Supply chain management Future pandemics

ULEZ

Rising cost of foods and materials due to ethical sourcing i.e. palm oil/ wood.

Global warming – extreme weather

Cost of school transport pass i.e. coaches may go up as newer vehicles may be required.

Maintenance of outdoor areacost across the school

Weathering of resources

Beam ECO team-less pollution/cleaner air — healthier pupils and higher attendance.

Beam Eco Team-

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