



Business BTEC (Level 2) First Award

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What are the progression routes with this qualification?

The BTEC Level 2 First Award in Business will provide a good introduction to the subject. Combined with other GCSEs and equivalent it provides access to Level 3 qualifications, for example the BTEC Level 3 National qualifications, which are an entry route to university or employment.

The BTEC Level 2 First Award in Business is also a well-respected qualification in its own right, and is widely recognised by employers.

What is the department like?

We are housed in a modern suite of classrooms with excellent facilities. The working environment is friendly and supportive. The staff are enthusiastic about their subject and enjoy what they do here in supporting student learning and progression.

What skills will I develop during this course?

You will develop a number of useful skills, which can help in gaining employment, including time management, organisation skills, ICT and Communication skills.



What sort of work will I be

doing?

The course will consists of 2 core and 2 optional units, one of which is externally assessed via an on-screen test. The other units are internally assessed coursework units.

The core units you will be studying are:

* Unit 1

Enterprise in the Business World (Coursework)

* Unit 2

Finance for Business   
(On-Screen test)

The optional units are:

* Unit 3

Promoting a Brand (Coursework)

* Unit 8

Recruitment, Selection and Employment

What is the course about?

What are the entry requirements?

Between 2 and 4 GCSEs at grade C or above and other GCSEs at grades D or E.

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The course offers a Business related qualification at Level 2.

It provides the opportunity to develop a range of skills, personal qualities and attitudes essential for successful performance in working life.

It is equivalent to 1 GCSE.