

Course Content

Year 12

1. An introduction to the role of the accountant in business
2. Types of business organisation
3. The double entry model
4. Verification of accounting records
5. Accounting concepts used in the preparation of account records
6. Preparation of financial statements of sole traders
7. Limited company accounts
8. Analysis and evaluation of financial information
9. Budgeting
10. Marginal costing

Year 13

11. Standard costing and variance analysis
12. Absorption and activity based costing
13. Capital investment appraisal
14. Accounting for organisations with incomplete records
15. Partnership accounts
16. Accounting for limited companies
17. Interpretation, analysis and communication of accounting information
18. The impact of ethical considerations for accountants

Further Studies and Career Opportunities

You will gain skills and business acumen that will benefit many areas of your future career. The course provides an excellent grounding for accounting and business apprenticeships or degree in accountancy and finance. The skills you learn are transferable to any area of study and you will have developed a working knowledge of how finance effects business decisions.

Subject Entry Requirements

Grade 6 in Maths



Subject Enhancement

- Students will have the opportunity to take part in the ICAEW or CIPFA national business competition
- Opportunities for work experience with local businesses are available

How is this assessed?

Exam Board - AQA

Exams	✓
Coursework	
Other	