

BUSINESS STUDIES



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Course Structure

Unit	Topics/Unit Title	Assessment	A Level(%)
1	Business Opportunities and Functions	Exam	33⅓%
2	Business Analysis and Strategy	Exam	33⅓%
3	Business in a Changing World	Exam	33⅓%

What does the course involve?

The WJEC Eduqas A level in Business encourages learners to:

- develop an enthusiasm for studying business
- gain an holistic understanding of organisations and their ability to meet society's needs and wants
- develop a critical understanding of organisations and their ability to meet society's needs and wants
- understand that business behaviour can be studied from a range of perspectives
- generate enterprising and creative approaches to business opportunities, problems and issues
- be aware of the ethical dilemmas and responsibilities faced by organisations and individuals
- acquire a range of relevant business and generic skills, including decision-making, problem-solving, the challenging of assumptions and critical analysis
- apply numerical skills in a range of business contexts.

Further Study/Employment Prospects

- Business courses are very popular choices for students intending to go to university and many careers involve some understanding of business issues and concepts.
- Business will be useful for students thinking of future careers in management, self employment, accountancy, journalism and teaching

Entry Requirements

Ideally students will have, at least, a level 5 in GCSE English and Maths. However, it is vital that students should be interested in the outside world and be prepared to regularly listen to the news and access a variety of online sources.