Welcome to the Business and Computing Department

Business

Business is a subject that offers students an introduction to how businesses are set up, developed and grown in the real world.

It is relevant and linked to the world we live in today and the mechanisms that operate in the markets that influence our lives.

The subject is very broad and combines theoretical learning with practical real life examples. Students are encouraged to make presentations to their peers to develop communication skills and confidence. Financial elements of business are studied in year 10 and 11.

Courses
Year 10/11
GCSE Business studies

Year 12/13
BTEC Extended Diploma in Business
A Level Economics
A Level Business
London Institute of Banking and Finance Diploma in Financial Studies

KS4

GCSE:
Summary of the course

Being a dynamic and ever relevant subject to today, Business studies serves as a fundamental tool to pupil's curiosity for the business world but also as an aid to a greater understanding of the real world. Millions of decisions undertaken by businesses around the globe impact on peoples' daily lives; from the prices they pay for products, to the wages they receive and to the way in which minds are influenced for the never ending needs and wants of the consumer society!

GCSE Business Studies is offered at Key Stage 4, along the Edexcel Specification.

Business at the Sixth Form

What 6th form options does the Business Department Offer?

Many of our students will be well equipped to undertake an A level in Business Studies or Economics and then go on to University to do a related degree course. This course will also give a good insight into a variety of different jobs that students might be considering within a range of careers such as advertising, market research, human resource management, accountancy, banking, computing, law, retail management and economics.

We also offer the BTEC Extended Diploma in Business (three A level equivalent) and the London Institute of Banking and Finance (LIBF) Diploma in Finance

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Try our Business Logo Quiz

How many can you name?

Computing

Autumn Term
Year 7 students will focus on understanding the role of different types of hardware and software. They will also learn what an algorithm is. Year 8 students will develop a website using HTML coding and build databases. Year 9 students will develop their computational thinking skills and solve a range of programming problems.

Spring Term
Students in Years 7, 8 and 9 will investigate key e-safety advice, with the focus of their work being around Safer Internet Day. Year 7 students will move on to spreadsheet modelling. Year 8 students will then investigate networks, while Year 9 students look at binary and logic gates.

Summer Term
Year 7 students will learn about how digital devices use a binary system to implement instructions, and will write programs in Scratch and Python. Year 8 students will write more advanced programs in Python and develop their graphics editing skills. Year 9 students study the impact on computer science technologies on the environment and the ethical considerations of what can be viewed as moral or good. They will then move on the looking at the hardware and software technologies used within computers.

COMPUTING
Try Lightbot Here
Try Scratch here
Try Code Academy here

Useful links

www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/gcse/business/

http://revisionworld.com/gcse-revision/business-studies

http://www.businessstudiesonline.co.uk/

http://www.tutor2u.net/revision_notes_business_gcse.htm

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