

# NCFE Level 3 Applied General Certificate in Business and Enterprise (RQF)

## Overview

The NCFE Level 3 Applied General Certificate in Business and Enterprise is specifically designed for those who want to study enterprise and business at an intermediate level. This Level 3 Business qualification enables learners to develop understanding, knowledge, and skills in the business and enterprise sector. It is suitable for learners who want to continue their education through applied learning, arming them with transferable skills and knowledge. The course is regulated by UK OFQUAL, and is delivered 100% online, with tutor support. This course also does provide UCAS points (see "Progression" for details).

## Duration and Delivery

This Level 3 online business course is designed to be completed over 9-months of full-time study. However, we provide flexible delivery to accommodate for distance and part-time learning, on a self-paced basis through our online portal. The Level 3 business course is delivered through our Virtual Learning Environment (VLE) with online tutor support to facilitate your success.

## Assessment and Verification

All units within this Level 3 Business Enterprise course are internally verified by our qualified assessors and externally verified by NCFE. This course is criterion-referenced, based on specific learning outcomes to enhance a wide range of business and entrepreneurship knowledge and skills related to functioning within a business enterprise. Each unit is graded using the following structure; Not Yet Achieved, Pass, Merit, and Distinction.

## Eligibility Criteria

Learners are expected to have English language proficiency of CEFR Level B2, this can be met in any one the following ways:

- Being a native English language speaker
- Having achieved IELTS 5.5 or equivalent
- Having done your last two years of schooling in English
- Passing our online English language test

## Progression

Successful completion of the 100% accredited online course enables the learners to progress onto Level 3 Diploma courses such as the **NCFE Level 3 Diploma in Skills for Business** (or its variations) or the **OTHM Level 3 Diploma in Business Studies**. You could also progress onto Level 4 courses, including the **OTHM Level 4 Diploma in Business Management** or the **OTHM Level 4 Diploma in Accounting and Business**. Completion will also give learners UCAS points, depending on your grade. Learners get: 16 for a pass, 32 for a merit, 48 for a distinction, and 56 for a distinction\*.

362	Guided Learning Hours
540	Total Quality Time
7	Units
54	Credits

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Awarding Body Fee	£109
Payable by the learner to the awarding organisation within 14 days of starting the course	

## Unit Structure

- ✔ Starting a business/enterprise
- ✔ Research and analysis methods for business and enterprise
- ✔ Marketing and promotion for business and enterprise
- ✔ Management of people and operations for business and enterprise
- ✔ Finance for business and enterprise
- ✔ Produce a business plan for a business/enterprise
- ✔ Evaluate a business plan for a business/enterprise