

Business

Management

“Business is a key dimension of modern society in Scotland and there has been a growing recognition of the role business education can play in preparing students for employment, both by extending their understanding of business and by developing core skills of problem-solving, working with others and information technology. “

Course Structure:

Students will follow a BGE curriculum until Christmas of S3 to reduce their assessment load and to increase engagement with level 4 benchmarks.

More specifically, pupils will:

- **Exemplify the purposes and features of different sector organisations: private, public and third sector.**
- **Contribute to a discussion on the relationship between these organisations and their stakeholders, recognising the contribution of entrepreneurial and enterprising behaviours.**
- **Evaluate at least two working practices available to employees working within different types of business organisations.**
- **Evaluate the suitability of at least two different finance options available for setting up and supporting a range of different types of businesses.**
- **Evaluate the role of at least three different departments and personnel in terms of their contribution to the success or failure of the business.**
- **Identify internal and external factors influencing planning and decision making and evaluates how these decisions contribute to the success or failure of businesses.**

Post-Christmas pupils will follow a range of topics from the National 5 Units:

1. Marketing
2. Finance

Careers & Opportunities:

Business Management leads onto, and is an preferred entry qualification for, degree courses / careers in most business, finance, management and marketing disciplines such as:

Chartered management

Accountant

Corporate investment banker

Human resources officer

Insurance underwriter

Management consultant

Operational researcher

Risk manager

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Course information:

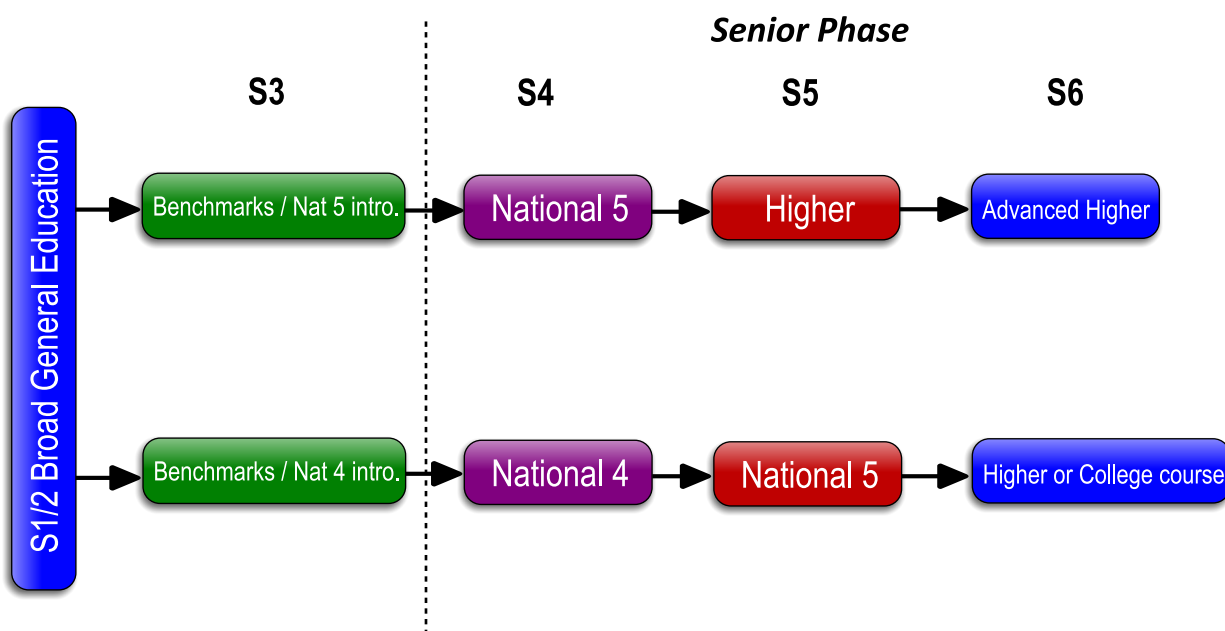
In S3 pupil participating in Business Management will develop skills and knowledge which will allow them to access, understand and contribute to the dynamic and complex business and information environment.

Successful completion of the BGE benchmark requirements within this course, will then allow pupils to access a range of various progression routes for learning needs.

These include National 4 Business or continuing with National 5 Business Management, however there are other progression routes such as Skills for Work courses.



The Learner Journey for Business Management



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"A business has to be involving, it has to be fun, and it has to exercise your creative instincts"
- Richard Branson