

Financial Education (Vocational Course)

Course highlights:

The Level 2 Certificate in Financial Education (CeFE) helps to develop an understanding of the economy, financial management skills, employability and enterprise. The CeFE introduces students to the impact of finance on the economy and encourages them to consider how this can affect business and the individual.

Core content includes:

- Unit 1 Finance, the Individual and Society Students will understand the role of the citizen in the UK, the values held by citizens, and the impact they have on personal finance.
- Unit 2 Practices of Managing Money
 Students will understand the concept of financial planning and personal financial budgets. They will also understand the impact on both the individual and society of spending and borrowing.
- Unit 3 Financial Capability, Work and Enterprise
 Students will understand how businesses manage money and the relationship between personal money management and business money management. Students will also understand the inter-relationship between the individual and business.

Learning styles used:

A range of learning styles are experienced by students during this course including discussion, work in groups, problem solving, written tasks, independent work, ICT research, presentations and creative activities such as role play, simulations and interpretation and use of quantitative data.

How is it assessed?

The course is currently assessed through a combination of:

- multiple-choice questions
- stimulus material with associated questions
- written responses to a pre-release case study

Other Information:

Employability Skills and Careers available in Financial Education:

The financially related content and skills provide an initial foundation for many apprenticeships and continued study within accountancy, finance and business.

The CeFE is primarily designed to provide a solid foundation in personal finance which underpins employment in any field.

The transferable skills of research, communication and independent study are also valuable for further study in many unrelated disciplines.

Course combinations:

This course complements GCSE Business and GCSE Mathematics.

Please see Mr Hewitt (B22) to discuss this course.