

BUSINESS T-LEVEL

Course Mode	Full-time
Location	Milnthorpe Road Campus (MRC)
Duration	2 Years
Level	3



Course Overview

T-Levels, what you need to know:

- Two-year courses
- Equivalent to 3 A-Levels
- Created alongside employers
- Include an extended industry placement (315 hours minimum)
- Attracts UCAS points
- Supports progression into a skilled occupation; higher or degree level apprenticeships; higher level technical study, including university

These Level 3 technical qualifications will provide learners with the knowledge, skills and behaviours needed to progress into skilled employment or higher level technical training or study in the business, leadership and finance sector. The core knowledge and understanding will be assessed through an examination and core skills through a practical employer-set project allowing the learner to apply theoretical practices to the real work environment.

In addition to this, maths, English and general digital skills will be integrated within the qualification in occupationally relevant contexts.

As part of achieving the overall T-Level programme, students are required to complete a minimum of 315 hours industry placement where they will be observed demonstrating competence in their chosen occupational specialism.

The core content for the 3 T-Levels will cover the following areas:

- Business context

An overview of organisational cultures and values, different types of internal and external stakeholder, different forms of

governance and the impact of organisations on society and the environment

- Project and change management

An understanding of the common change management theories and models and how to support and improve projects

- Business behaviours

The importance of good communication and adapting social communication styles to professional standards and according to purpose, medium and audience

- Quality and compliance

The importance of maintaining and improving quality in all aspects of public and private sector organisations

This breadth of content will ensure learners can apply their skills for different purposes and in different roles.

How will I be assessed?

This Technical Qualification is assessed via synoptic assignment work, 315 hours work placement which includes observations and activities, examinations and an employer-set project.

Entry Requirements

5 GCSE's at grade 4 to include English and maths. This qualification is designed for post-16 students.

It is not necessary to have previously studied business related topics to be able to study this T-Level subject.

After your course

At Kendal College:

- HNC Higher National Certificate in Business Level 4 one year qualification
- HND Higher National Diploma in Business Level 5 two year qualification
- Degree Programme in conjunction with University of Cumbria

Further afield:

- Higher Apprenticeships in a business related area of study and employment
- Higher Education at University in a wide range of business related subjects
- Employment opportunities in a wide range of roles such as business management, marketing, human resources, administration and business finance

Fees

£0.00

The fee displayed is the course fee. Course fees are per year for full-time & degree-level courses, and per course for part-time courses.

There may be other costs associated with this course e.g. kit, equipment, books, trips etc. Financial support may be available to support you with these. See the [Student Money](#) pages for more information.

Courses Fees

The current full-time & degree-level fee information is related to the 2021/22 academic year and is subject to change before the start of the course. Fees for 2022/23 will be updated in the Spring Term 2022. There may also be additional costs associated with the course.

Entry Level, Level 1 & Level 2 Courses

You may qualify for financial support to cover the cost of a government-funded qualification if any of the below apply to you:

- Have an annual salary of less than £18,525
- Receive an eligible means-tested benefit e.g. JSA, ESA or Universal Credit
- Were aged 16-18 on 31/08/21 and are not studying at another school/college
- Were aged 19 or over on 31/08/21 and do not already have a Level 1 or 2 qualification
- Have a household income under £25,000 and are in financial hardship

See the [Student Money](#) pages for more information.

Student Finance (Degree-Level Courses)

Whether you qualify for student finance depends on specific criteria. The main student finance package for full-time students includes a tuition fee loan and maintenance loan for living costs. Part-time students can access a tuition fee loan to pay for your course. Generally, you will only get student finance if you're doing your first degree-level qualification. This is true even if your previous course was self-funded. For further information please see www.gov.uk/student-finance.

The Access to Learning Fund is a non-repayable discretionary fund that gives students facing hardship extra financial support to access and remain in higher education. This can be accessed via the college. Please speak to [Student Services](#) for more information.