

## Agored Cymru Access to HE - Business and Finance Level 3



### In a nutshell

This course is designed for mature students with an ongoing enthusiasm and passion for business and finance and those who wish to follow a career in these industries.

### This course is for you if...

- ... You'd like to go to university but left school without the qualifications you need
- ... You want to prepare for study at university level
- ... You have a passion for the business or finance industries

### What will I be doing?

This course will prepare you for study at degree level in a number of subjects within the business and the financial service industries.



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Designed for mature students with an ongoing enthusiasm and passion for business and financial industries, this course offers you an excellent learning experience thanks to the great facilities at the Blaenau Gwent Learning Zone.

You will usually have some life experience outside of mainstream education, normally having been out of compulsory education for two years or more.

The objective of the course is to provide a supportive and friendly environment for you to develop your potential and to prepare you for university level study, with many past students going on to gain degrees and other awards.

You will study a variety of units with a focus on customer services, financial services, banking, insurance, business administration and finance as well as law, human resources and marketing. There may also be an opportunity to focus on Tourism and Hospitality, investigating tourism and leisure in Wales and tourism in Health. You will also study key skills units in communication and numeracy.

You will be continually assessed and there is an expectation that you will continue your studies and coursework in your own time. All assignments must be successfully completed in order to achieve the Agored Cymru Access to Business & Financial Services Diploma.

### **What is expected of me?**

This is a preparatory course for university and requires a high level of commitment. We review every application carefully on an individual basis and therefore require applicants to attend an interview session. For entry, you will need to demonstrate good interpersonal skills, commitment to the area of study and enthusiasm and understanding of your chosen career route. You will also need a GCSE Grade A\* - C (or equivalent skills) in English Language or mathematics.

Learners need to have been out of full time education for at least three years prior to studying this course. As the course is designed for those with life experience, it is not usually suitable for applicants aged under 19 years.

Full commitment to attendance is required. Respect for others, enthusiasm for the subject and self-motivation are the essential qualities we expect to see in all our learners. All assignments must be successfully completed in order to achieve the qualification.

### **What comes next?**

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University qualifications, including degrees, in areas within business, financial services, tourism and hospitality.

## **Additional information**

£20 additional fees for Files/Stat/Pen Drive

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