

Business

HND

This course gives students a practical grounding in a range of business disciplines such as accounting, human resource management, operations management and marketing.

Course content

This two-year course is a nationally recognised qualification in the UK offering a broad-based and practical set of business modules.

The HND is a traditional taught course of six modules per stage over two years. Throughout the programmes emphasis is placed on the development and assessment of practical skills relevant to a wide range of business careers. Assignments and activities undertaken are designed to simulate real world situations.

Stage one

In stage one core subjects include business, human resources, finance, marketing, enterprise and opportunity, and business in context.

Stage two

In stage two students build further on the modules studied in stage one. In addition, emphasis is placed on student competencies as well as knowledge, for example, management skills development and the use of computer packages in accounting.

Special course features

- Focused preparation on the work of functional areas of business
- Designed to build on BTEC National Level 3
- Chance to progress on to a top-up honours degree

Typical modules

Click here for a [detailed list of modules](#).

Typical modules include:



Course level

Undergraduate

Modes of study

Full time

UCAS or UKPASS details

UCAS code: 001N
UCAS description: HND/Bus

School

Northampton Business School

Location

Park Campus

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- Accounting and Finance
- Human Resource Management
- Management Information Systems
- Marketing
- Operations Management
- Management Skills
- Managing Customers and Clients

Types of assessment

A wide variety of assessment methods are employed on this programme including assignments, group work, presentations, projects and examinations.

Entry requirements

Standard entry requirements apply. All students must attend an interview. Applicants should have a BTEC National, AVCE or one A level. Relevant work experience and training will be considered in addition to any formal qualifications. For the FdA, applicants must be in suitable part-time employment by the commencement of the course and interviews may be required. A typical offer would be around 120-140 UCAS tariff points.

Courses for progression

- [Business and Management \(top-up\) BA \(Hons\)](#)
- [Marketing Management \(top-up\) BA \(Hons\)](#)

Career opportunities

Middle management careers will be possible in a range of business areas including marketing, sales, administration, e-commerce, accounting and human resource management.

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