NCC EDUCATION
LEVEL 4 DIPLOMA IN COMPUTING
(WITH BUSINESS MANAGEMENT)

Equivalent to first year of bachelor's degree in the UK

Level 4 (L4DC BM) Regulated Qualifications Framework (RQF)

Overview

The Level 4 Diploma in Computing (with Business Management) is the first year of the NCC Education degree journey. The qualification is equivalent to the first year of a Business IT degree qualification in the UK university system.

This course is designed to develop essential thinking and study skills in IT and Business through a balance of academic and vocational subjects. Students can contribute to the development of computer systems and networks, databases and websites in a business context, whilst also developing an awareness of business needs.

The programme will allow students to enter the IT and Business professions with the necessary knowledge expected within the industry and will be able to apply these skills to a range of IT-related functions.

Entry Requirements

For entry onto the L4DC BM course, students must have at least one of the following:

- NCC Education Level 3 International Foundation Diploma for Higher Education Studies (L3IFDHES)

  OR

- NCC Education Level 3 Diploma in Computing (L3DC)

  OR

- NCC Education Level 3 Diploma in Business (L3DB)

  OR

- An international qualification which is deemed to be of a similar level to the NCC Education L3IFDHES. This shall be agreed with NCC Education in advance

  OR

- One GCE 'A' Level or equivalent, or an appropriate School Leavers' certificate deemed to be of a similar level

Qualification number 600/0624/9

Delivery Method
Face-to-face classes attended at an Accredited Partner Centre

Duration
Full-time: 1 year
Part-time: 2-3 years

8 Units

120 Credits
Diploma completed full-time in one academic year

Assessment
Assessment through examination and coursework assignments

Registration Dates
Registration throughout the year

Guided Learning Hours
438 hours

Total Qualification Time
1,200 hours

If a potential student's first language is not English, they must also reach the English Language requirements of either:

- International English Language Testing System (IELTS) minimum score of 5.5

    OR

- A GCE 'O' Level English C6

Mature applicants will also be considered for entry if they are able to demonstrate over two years of relevant work experience and have a GCE 'O' Level / IGCSE English and Maths or equivalent

Qualification Structure

Eight core units

- Skills for Computing
- Computer Networks
- Computer Systems
- Designing and Developing a Website
- Databases
- eBusiness
- Essentials of Management
- Understanding Business Organisations

WHAT'S NEXT?

On successful completion of the qualification, students may progress onto the NCC Education Level 5 Diploma in Computing (with Business Management) (L5DC BM), which is equivalent to the second year of a UK Bachelor's degree, transfer to a university or pursue a career in the IT industry.

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