

Department Overview – Summary information for School Web



Subject Teachers:

Ms D Leonard

Mrs L McTaggart

GCSE - Pupils study the CCEA GCSE Business and Communications Systems Specification

Unit 1 – The Use of ICT 40 % External exam (Year 11)

You will have the opportunity to develop your ICT skills in a business context. You will learn how to use different types of software applications. These include: word-processing, spread sheets, databases, presentations and emails

Unit 2 -Business Environment 35% External Exam (Year 12)

You will study the types of business, stakeholders, uncertainty reward and change, business aims and objectives, the role of social enterprise and communication.

Unit 3 - Unit 3: E-Commerce 25% CAT(Year 12)

You will study how ICT has changed the business environment.

This unit is assessed through **controlled assessment**. For this unit, you will design a website and explain its business rationale through a PowerPoint presentation.

Extra-Curricular

Students can avail of open access to ICT resources after school in the Business Studies department.

KS4 – Course work clinics

Lunch time support