



What will Year 12 students learn and how many lessons will they have each week?

Students will sit 2 units in Year 12: Unit 1- Financial Capability for the Immediate and Short Term and Unit 2- Financial Capability for the Medium and Long Term.

Students will learn about the purpose of money, borrowing, debt, regulation amongst many other interesting topics.

Students will have four, one hour lessons a week, 2 with each teacher.

What will Year 12 students need to do to get the most out of their lessons?

Students will need to come prepared; they must do the homework, the pre-reading and be ready to discuss this in lesson. They must also be capable of independent learning – doing wider reading around the topics taught in class.

How much homework will Year 12 students have in this subject?

Students will get two pieces of homework each week, one piece per teacher.

Each piece should take approximately one hour.

Which careers can this subject lead to?

The Finance qualification offered at Denbigh School can lead to a wide range of careers. Possibilities include financial services in general, banking or accountancy.

Which other subjects complement this subject?

Business and Economics, however it will complement most subjects and can also be taken as a Certificate (1 year course) to top up UCAS points.

Do universities accept this course?

Yes, most universities recognise this course, however, please check with specific universities to confirm.
UCAS points for Finance are the same as for A Levels.

How do the exams work?

Students sit a multiple-choice exam and a case study exam at the end of Unit 1 in January, and unit 2 in June.
Students will do the same for unit 3 and 4 when they are in year 13.
Students will also get the opportunity to resist each exam, if required.
You can only move on to the Year 13 after passing the Year 12 course.