

Humanities & Social Sciences (HASS)

Business-related courses

Subject	Hours	TCE credit points	EAS LIT	EAS NUM	EAS ICT	Recommended prior studies and/or entry requirements	Locations
Business Studies Foundation Level 2	150	15				an <i>Approaching Expected Standard</i> or higher in Year 10 English and Maths and a willingness to be involved	HC
Business Studies Level 3	150	15				an <i>Above Expected Standard</i> or higher in Year 10 English	HC
Accounting Level 3	150	15		✓		an <i>At Expected Standard</i> or higher in Year 10 English	HC
Economics Level 3	150	15	✓			an <i>Above Expected Standard</i> or higher in Year 10 English	HC
UTAS University Connections Program (Entrepreneurship)	150	15				an <i>At Expected Standard</i> or higher in Year 10 English	TH
SHB20216 Certificate II in Salon Assistant	300	30				- solid literacy, numeracy and communication skills - suitability interview	HC

Business Studies - Foundation Level 2

What will I learn?

- business terms, concepts and processes
- understand the internal and external forces which influence business
- develop a business plan
- understand the qualities of a successful entrepreneur
- financial obligations and processes

How will I learn and be assessed?

- classes consist of learning the theory through group work and individual tasks which are then applied in practical ways
- developing a business plan about your own business idea

Business Studies Level 3

What will I learn?

- business environment
- about the key business functions: operations, marketing, human resource and financial management
- about economic, environmental, ethical and governmental issues related to managing a business
- about legal, social and technological issues which impact on business

How will I learn and be assessed?

- lecture style classes, practical activities, quizzes and tests
- individual tasks and some group work
- three to four hours of out of class work per week
- business reports
- construct a detailed feasibility study
- mid-year internally assessed exam and an externally assessed exam

Accounting Level 3

What will I learn?

- how to convert numbers into useful information that helps people make better decisions about their money
- skills to take charge of your own finances
- about GST, finance, ratio analysis, financial reports
- how to use spreadsheets and accounting software to record and analyse data

How will I learn and be assessed?

- a hands-on subject with bookkeeping exercises and some group work
- short business reports
- three to four hours of homework per week
- an investigation research unit into personal or business finance
- mid-year internally assessed exam and an externally assessed exam

Economics Level 3

What will I learn?

- the study of choice and consequences: whenever we must give up one thing to gain something else, that's Economics
- to understand everyday things like why it's hard to eliminate unemployment, income inequality and how Economics can help protect the environment
- how to analyse news and current events

How will I learn and be assessed?

- explicit instruction, practical activities, quizzes and tests
- two research assignments
- three to four hours of homework per week
- participate in the UTAS Economics Challenge with college students from around Tasmania
- mid-year internally assessed exam and an externally assessed exam
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UTAS University Connections Program (UCP) Entrepreneurship



What will I learn?

- skills and tools that successful entrepreneurs use
- how to solve problems using design thinking techniques
- pitching to investors
- how to create a contemporary business plan
- how to build a successful business

How will I learn and be assessed?

- lectures and classroom activities
- ongoing theory assessment
- presentations and written folio

Other

- supported by UTAS Fellow and Tech Entrepreneur James Riggall
- based at the Taroona High @ UTAS campus, Sandy Bay
- successful completion provides university credit points

SHB20216 Certificate II in Salon Assistant

What will I learn?

- how to communicate in the workplace, interacting with and providing service to clients and assistance to colleagues
- how to perform shampoo and basin services, head/neck and shoulder massage, hair braiding techniques and colour application
- how to stay safe and healthy in the workplace
- skills and knowledge needed to work in the hair and beauty industry

How will I learn and be assessed?

- theoretical knowledge and practical skills in a simulated work environment (well-equipped salon at Hobart College)
- conducting practical hands on services for clients

Other

- punctuality and a strong work ethic are required
- students will be required to organise models to conduct practical hair styles such as colouring.

