

Thomas Telford Business Academy

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Thomas Telford School Business Academy - The only place to study Business, Economics and Finance related subjects in the West Midlands!



Along with its *award-winning Careers Centre*, we offer a myriad of opportunities to support students to develop their business knowledge, cultural capital and employability skills to succeed in life beyond TTS.

Aims:

- To deliver the highest quality Business and Commerce related educational provision.
- To develop and nurture exceptional links with employers to support vocational education provision.
- To enhance and enrich all business-related learning with quality employer and university led support.



In the light of changes to the academic provision for students aged 16+, we will ensure that the Business Academy provides a wide variety of opportunities for students, enabling them to enter the career path of their choice.

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The TTS Business Academy empowers students to act – to take steps to ensure their future success at university and in employment.

All students will:

- Engage in the TTS Team Building and Leadership development programme, developed alongside a local business, Challenge Academy
- Have the opportunity to engage with an industry mentor and/or industry placement.
- Develop technical skills with in-depth

employer projects, ensuring proficiency in Excel, Power Point and email communication. (Packages that employers tell us are critical in the workplace)

- guaranteed, quality destinations at the end of their Business Academy Journey

The TTS Business Academy will provide a variety of qualifications to support students to enter high quality destinations.

Students will:

- Have access to career facilitating options choices via A-Level, T-Level and Small Alternative Qualifications (SAQs).

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| ○ A-Level Business | ○ BTEC Ext Diploma Business (last cohort Sept 2024) | ○ BTEC Diploma and Ext cert Business (last cohort Sept 2024) |
| ○ A-Level Economics | ○ T-Level Digital Business (first cohort Sept 2024) | ○ SAQs to be announced by DfE July 2024 |
| ○ Potential other A-Level dependant on SAQ provision (TBA July 2024) | ○ T-Level Marketing (first cohort Sept 2025) | |
- Have access to high quality employer led enrichment opportunities.

