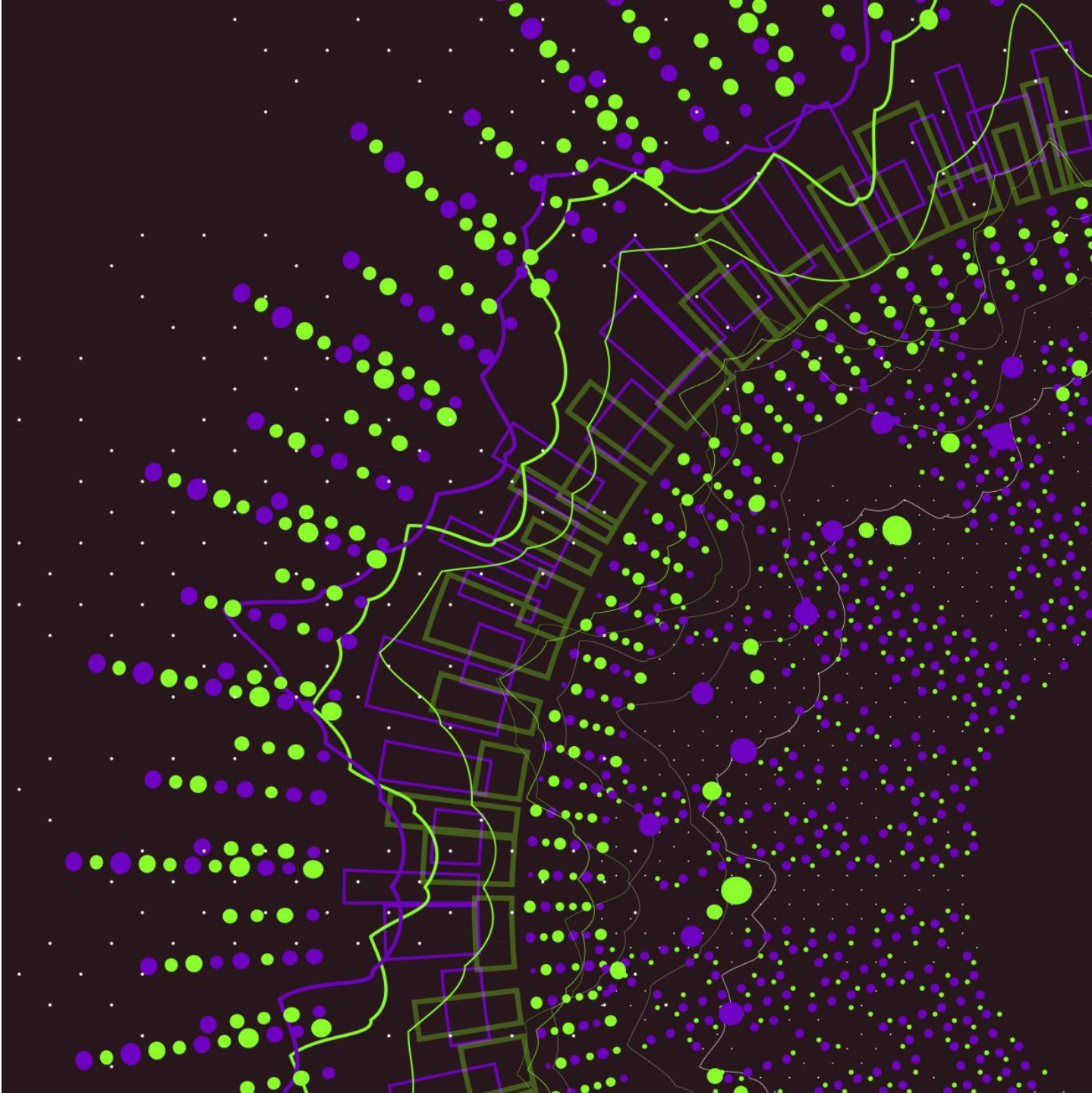


Business – Leaving Certificate





Business

- + Business is concerned with understanding the environment in which business operates.
- + As a business student you are encouraged to show enterprise, initiative and self-reliance, which you may apply in further education and in your personal working and public life.

Who would Business suit

- + Business will suit a candidate who is interested in current affairs and listens to the news, reads the papers and stays alert to what is happening in the general business world.
- + There is a fair share of learning of key concepts the ability to apply these concepts in everyday life will be the difference between passing the subject and getting a good mark.
- + While the business concepts are easy to understand it will be important that you can show you can apply the concept to everyday business life.
- + This subject suits someone who has an organised mind and likes to answer questions in bullet points not in long essay format.



Course content

1. People in Business
2. Enterprise
3. Management
4. Human Resource Management
5. Business in Action
6. Domestic Environment
7. International Environment

Levels

- + Higher Level
- + Ordinary Level

- + **NB: All students will study the course at HL in 5th year.
Choices on levels will be decided after 5th year
Summer Exams.**

Exam Structure

Higher Level – 1 x 3 hour paper (400 marks); 3 sections.

- + Section 1 – Short questions (8/10) 80 marks.
- + Section 2 – Applied Business Question – 80 marks (compulsory).
- + Section 3 – Long Questions (60 marks per question (4/7))

Ordinary Level – 1 x 2.5 hour paper (400 marks); 2 sections.

- + Section 1 – Short Question (10/15) 100 marks.
- + Section 2 – Long Questions (75 marks per question (4/8)).

Career Possibilities



General Information



The course is an extension on Junior Cert Business Studies with less accounting sections.



Students who study Economics and/ or Geography will notice that there are certain overlaps between the subjects, which is a benefit but not a necessity.



Students who choose Business plus any other business topic or Art, can also choose LCVP as a bonus subject.

Topics continued from Junior Cycle

Cash flows

Income and expenses projections

Budgets- fixed, irregular, discretionary.

Consumer legislation

Employment Law

Setting up an enterprise

Insurance- individuals and business

Taxation- individuals and business

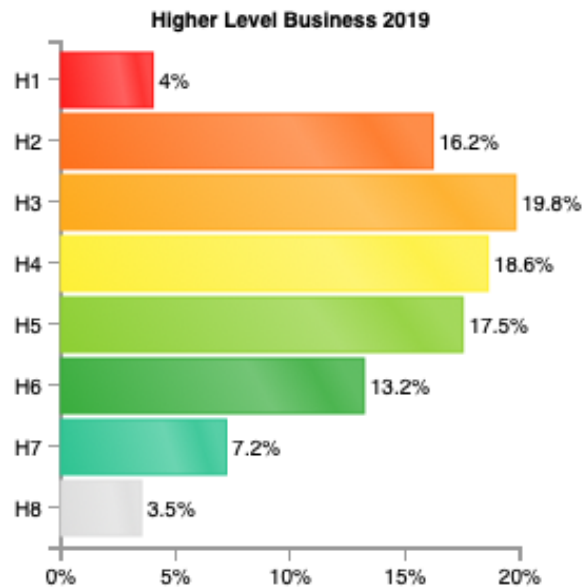
European Union

Marketing

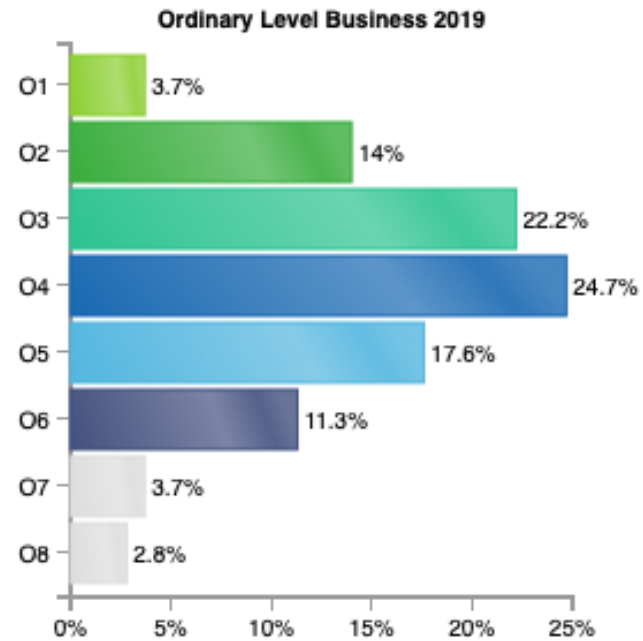
Raising finance

Borrowing

Business Statistics (2019)



13,805 students did Higher Level Business




3,521 students did Ordinary Level Business

**“What you do
today can
improve all your
tomorrows.”**


Ralph Marston





**The only place
success comes
before work is
in the dictionary.**

Vince Lombardi
Gocho & Fly Quater
www.gochoandfly.com

A photograph of Warren Buffett sitting in a dark leather chair. He is wearing a grey suit, a white shirt, and a red patterned tie. He has his hands raised in a gesture of emphasis or surprise. The background is dark and out of focus.

“In the business world, the rearview mirror is always clearer than the windshield.”

Warren Buffett