

# Accounting

**59%**  
A\*-B Grades

High grades  
16% above  
national  
average!

Teachers  
who are senior  
examiners

**Industry**  
Connections

**High**  
student  
satisfaction



# A Level Accounting

Accounting at Runshaw College has for many years, successfully supported students in starting to build their careers in Accounting, Finance and Business. A number of our previous students have moved on to world-class study, including:

- The PWC Flying Start Degree in Accounting & Finance at Newcastle University.
- Prestigious school leaver programmes with industry leading firms including KPMG, PWC, EY, Deloitte, RSM & BDO.
- Studying at Russell Group Universities including LSE, Durham, Manchester and Liverpool.

Some of these students will earn whilst they learn! Those on sponsored degrees will receive financial packages including reduced university fees and paid work experience with free accommodation. Those choosing the school leaver path receive on the job training and can receive their chartered status within 5 years. Whilst those choosing university study can graduate with exemptions from their professional exams.

Runshaw students receive excellent support from Accounting tutors who themselves are highly qualified, with some being examiners. Furthermore, we regularly have speakers from industry and students are also given opportunity to engage in events to help prepare them for life after college including ICAEW interactive workshops and trips to firms including KPMG and RSM which give insight into their next steps and also help prepare them for assessment centres. Students also have the opportunity to enhance their wider business knowledge by participating in visits to industry in the UK, USA and Europe, allowing them to develop their broader knowledge of business and finance. Recent trips to New York have included visits to the Federal Reserve, NASDAQ, and United Nations.

Many students have participated in external competitions including the PWC National Schools Employability Challenge whereby some of our students have made it to the final stage of the competition. Students can also engage in the ICAEW BASE competition whereby Runshaw students have been named regional winners four times! Studying Accounting really does offer many

opportunities from developing your data skills, judging and justifying your decisions and an economic awareness including the potential to access an exciting world with high salaries and global travel. Financial acumen will help you succeed in many different careers! If you think about it, understanding money is important for in all areas of business, not just accounting and finance! After all money makes the world go around!

What will I do? You will learn how to prepare and analyse key financial statements, and how to offer solutions to different types of business. This will equip you with key employability skills such as problem solving, using initiative and perseverance.

## Entry Requirements:

A minimum of 5x Grade 5s, including English & Maths.

## What's great about this course?



Fantastic progression onto sponsored degrees, apprenticeships and full time employment



ICAEW BASE competition regional winners



Tutors with senior examiner and industry experience

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