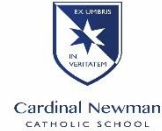




LIBF Diploma in Financial Studies



This course prepares you for financial management throughout your life; classroom learning can be transferred to individual circumstances immediately. UCAS points earned can be used to support university applications.

Many students go on to study accounting, business, finance and banking. It can also be used to enter an apprenticeship in a finance related role as the knowledge, understanding and skills earned are highly valued throughout the financial sector.

Year 12: Financial capability for the immediate and short term and medium and long term.

Year 13: Sustainability of an individual's finances and sustainability and the financial services system.

Assessment: Two pre seen case study exams in Year 12 and two pre seen case study exams in Year 13 (January and May).

Transition activity

Evaluate whether the financial crisis of 2008 can ever happen again. (approx. 500 words)

- What is the financial crisis of 2008?
- What were the main causes?
- What were the main effects?
- What actions have been taken to prevent it from happening again?
- What are the potential threats that could cause it to happen again?
- Overall conclusion

Assessment criteria

You will be assessed on your ability to:

- Use research to form a balanced discussion (arguments for and against the financial crisis happening again)
- Evaluate e.g. an overall conclusion and answering the question – can the financial crisis of 2008 ever happen again?

Please submit work first Finance lesson in September.

Work must be hand written.

Challenge task: Read and review a financial crisis book. See link: <https://www.bookscrolling.com/best-books-learn-financial-crisis/>

Useful links

- <http://news.bbc.co.uk/1/hi/business/7521250.stm>
- <http://archive.learnhigher.ac.uk/resources/files/business%20comm%20awareness/The%20Financial%20Crisis%20and%20its%20Impact%20on%20the%20UK%20and%20other%20Economies.pdf>
- <http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/business-20811289>
- <http://edu.bankofengland.co.uk/knowledgebank/will-there-be-another-financial-crisis/>
- <https://www.express.co.uk/finance/city/922584/Financial-crisis-crash-socialism-Jeremy-Corbyn-toxic-debt-mistrust-banks-northern-rock>

