

T Level Marketing: Marketing Assistant (Multi-Channel)

Location	Altrincham Campus
Course Type	College 16-18
Department	Business & Law
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Course Code	AFP-BU3T-1300

Course Overview

T Levels are new two-year, Level 3 study programmes that will follow the study of GCSEs and Technical Awards at Key Stage 4 and offer an attractive alternative to A Levels and Apprenticeships. T Levels will combine classroom theory, practical learning and a minimum 315 hours of industry placement with an employer to make sure students have real experience of the workplace.

Students will develop an understanding of a broad range of issues relevant to the sector, including:

- The business environment
- Careers within marketing
- Ethics
- Technology and Social Media
- Sales and procurement

This course is suitable for anyone wanting a career in the marketing sector. Students can also use this T Level to progress to a related higher-level apprenticeship or course of study at a higher level.

Course Requirements

5 GCSE's grade 4 and above including Maths & English

What You Will Learn

Students will develop an understanding of a broad range of issues relevant to the sector, including:

- the purpose of marketing, how it adds value to an organisation including leadership, culture and vision and the impact of no marketing activity
- role of marketing including marketing as a management process, its importance, market type and reach
- the key differences between consumers and customers and the different ways to influence them
- routes to market including the role of suppliers and procurement: business to business (B2B), business to consumer (B2C) and other channels, and how this influences marketing activity
- customer personas and how they are used to determine marketing campaigns
 - including purpose and typical types, e.g. competitive, spontaneous, analytical, and methodical
 - different types of customers and consumers and what influences their behaviours
- organisational purpose and business aims including for profit and not for profit marketing objectives
- the marketing and extended promotional mix (advertising, personal selling, sales promotion, public relations and direct marketing) including the differences between the channels and the benefits of a coordinated marketing mix in relation to:
 - product
 - price
 - place
 - promotion
 - people
 - process
 - physical evidence

Assessment

The core content is assessed through an examination and a practical employer-set project. The Occupational Specialism is assessed through a project that is created in conjunction with Marketing employers.

Progression

The doors are open with this versatile course, being equivalent to 3 A-Levels, you can apply to University or head straight into employment with all the industry experience you'll have, You can also apply for a Degree Apprenticeship too.

Career Options

Career options might include:

Advertising and Media Executive

Digital Marketer

E-Commerce Manager

Events Manager

Fundraiser

Marketing Assistant

Marketing Manager

Marketing Researcher

Public Relations Manager

<https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/job-categories/business-and-finance>

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Contact Details

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