

ABEN 112 – Finance for Aboriginal Business

3 Credits, 45 hours

Analysis of the funding challenges and opportunities for Aboriginal business. Introduction to numeracy skills applied to the topics of money management and budgeting.

Prerequisite: ABEN 100 or consent of the Program Chair

Instructor

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Office Hours

Mondays and Tuesdays

If you have a question or would like to schedule a telephone meeting please email your [instructor](#).

Required Resources

Textbook

No additional textbook required. Some readings are from the ABEN 100 textbook, *Building Your Dream*.

Other supplies

Computer with internet connection, headset with microphone.

Course Outcomes

At the completion of the course, students will be able to:

- Explain the crucial role that finance plays in a successful business venture.
- Apply the basics of finance, money management, and debt management to their entrepreneurial venture.
- Compare and contrast various options for financing a business venture.
- Create a budget for business venture.
- Analyze financial statement to predict and recognize financial weaknesses.
- Complete a feasibility study for your business.

Evaluation

EVALUATION	TITLE	VALUE
Assignment #1	Budget Preparation	10%
Assignment #2	Cost and Profitability Assessment	25%
Assignment #3	Financing Options	5%
Assignment #4	Financing Your Business Venture	14%
Assignment #5	Feasibility Study	30%
Online Activities	Wikis, Forums, Resource Sharing, Webinars, etc.	16%

Assignment Due Dates

Assignment due dates will be posted in Moodle. Students should expect to spend at least 10-12 hours per week to complete all the reading, activities, and assignments within a module.

Grading System

Descriptor	4.0 Scale	Percent	Letter
Excellent	4.0	96 – 100	A+
	4.0	90 – 95	A
	3.7	85 – 89	A-
Good	3.3	81 – 84	B+
	3.0	77 – 80	B
	2.7	73 – 76	B-
Satisfactory	2.3	69 – 72	C+
	2.0	65 – 68	C
	Minimum Prerequisite	1.7	60 – 64
Poor	1.3	55 – 59	D+
Minimum Pass	1.0	50 – 54	D
Failure	0.0	0 – 49	F

Student Attendance

This online course does not have scheduled classes, however, in order to successfully complete this course, I recommend that you set up a weekly schedule for school time. You will need to spend a minimum of 10-12 hours per week completing the readings, activities, and assignments.

Academic Misconduct

Students are considered to be responsible adults and should adhere to principles of intellectual integrity. Intellectual dishonesty may take many forms, such as:

- Plagiarism or the submission of another person's work as one's own
- The use of unauthorized aids in assignments or examinations (cheating)
- Collusion or the unauthorized collaboration with others in preparing work
- The deliberate misrepresentation of qualifications
- The willful distortion of results or data
- Substitution in an examination by another person
- Handing in the same unchanged work as submitted for another assignment
- Breach of confidentiality.

The consequences for academic misconduct range from a verbal reprimand to expulsion from the College. More specific descriptions and details are found in the Student Rights and Student Code of Conduct section of the Keyano College 2015-2016 credit calendar. It is the responsibility of each student to be aware of the guidelines outlined in the Student Rights and Student Code of Conduct Policies.

Specialized Supports**Counselling and Disability Services**

Counselling Services provides a wide range of specialized counselling services to prospective and registered students, including personal, career and academic counselling.

SKILL Centre

The SKILL Centre is a learning space in the Clearwater Campus at Keyano College where students can gather to share ideas, collaborate on projects and get new perspectives on learning from our tutorial staff.

The SKILL Centre, through a variety of delivery methods, provides assistance in skill development to Keyano students. Assistance is provided by instructors, staff and student tutors. Individuals wishing to improve their mathematics, writing, grammar, study, or other skills, can take advantage of this unique service.

Authorization

This course outline has been reviewed and approved by the Program Chair.

Tami Kane, Instructor

Lisa Turner, Chair

Date Authorized

Guy Harmer, Dean

Date Authorized

Signed copies to be delivered to:

Instructor

Registrar's Office