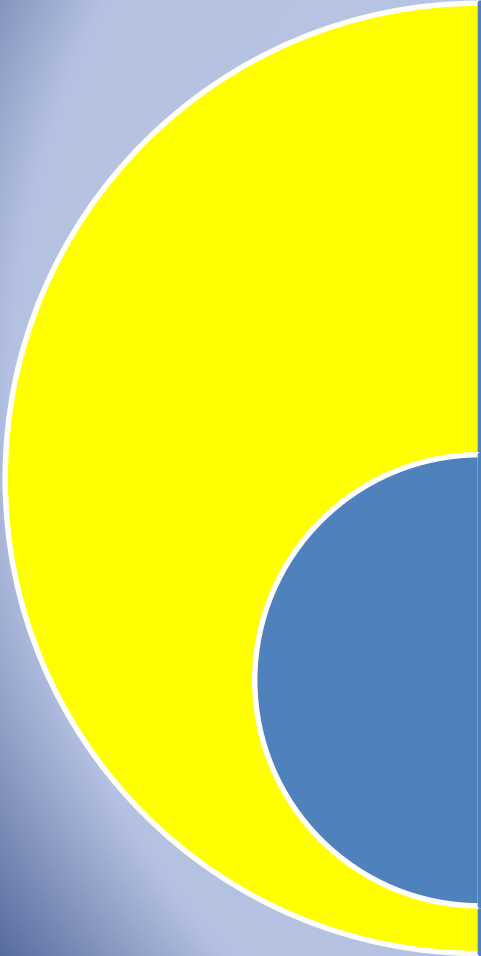


LCVP Programme Requirements



LCVP students must take a minimum of five Leaving Certificate Subjects including IRISH

Two additional Link Modules: Preparation for the world of work and Enterprise Education.

LCVP Link Modules is a very practical subject which entails two main strands - **Preparation for the World of Work** and **Enterprise Education**. Students complete a **six-piece Portfolio** from the two modules making up **60% of the overall mark**.

Preparation for the World of Work focusses on pathways into the workplace and how students can best prepare themselves. It entails *Career Research*, a *Career Investigation* and *Work Placement*.

Enterprise Education looks at the concept of entrepreneurism and allows students to explore how a business is set up and run. It entails *Enterprise Research*, an *Enterprise Investigation* and an *Enterprise Project*.

Who should study it?

- Students who are practically minded and have an interest in Business and Enterprise
- Students who like to get involved outside the classroom and sample the world of work on Work Experience
- Students who have an interest in the world of Business or might want to run their own business in the future
- Students who have a good command of the English language, who are able to work independently and who can meet deadlines on time.

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Transferable skills

- Team Working
- Critical Thinking
- Flexibility
- Leadership
- Basic Skills (incl. IT)
- Motivation to Learn
- Communication
- Initiative & Enterprise

Helps students

- take responsibility for their own learning
- become more innovative and enterprising
- communicate their thoughts and ideas effectively
- investigate and plan their career options
- develop key skills for the modern working environment
- work well with others as part of a team
- network with people in business and the community
- access and use computers and audio-visual equipment

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Written Exam - 40%

2 ½ hours

- Section A - Audio Visual
 - Video sequence of an enterprise
- Section B - Case Study
 - Received 4 weeks in advance
- Section C - General Questions
 - Choice of 4 questions from 6

Portfolio – 60%

- Core Items
 - CV
 - Career Investigation
 - Enterprise/Action Plan
 - Summary Report
- Options - any two from:-
 - Diary of Work Experience
 - Enterprise Report
 - Recorded Interview/Presentation
 - Report on “My Own Place”

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- Do you have an interest in the World of Work?
 - the skills to find employment and experience in an adult working environment.
 - Linking your vocational subjects with Business, Community, Work/Career
- Have you gained any work experience to date?
- Exam completed in May before Leaving Cert
- Award Type for LCVP
 1. DISTICTION 66 POINTS (80%-100%)
 2. MERIT 46 POINTS (65%-79%)
 3. PASS 28 POINTS (50%-64%)



60%Portfolio



40%Written