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Welcome to

FAIRFIELD CITY HQ

WHERE BUSINESSES ARE BORN WHERE BUSINESSES GROW WHERE BUSINESSES COLLABORATE The Fairfield City HQ will play a crucial role in upskilling and supporting our diverse community with a strong focus on business growth and the creation of jobs.

The Business Hub will provide users and members with opportunities to cultivate connections and ideas, develop long-term relationships, enrich collaborative potential and position Fairfield City as a desirable place to start up and do business.

OUR PURPOSE

Fairfield City HQ (the Hub) provides access to a range of facilites including designated areas equipped with hot desks, co-working spaces, lockable lockers, lounges, kitchen facilities, meeting rooms, access to printing, photocopying and Wi-Fi.

The Hub will provide all types of facilities, on going business events, mentoring and incubator programs, workshops, meetups and on-site business advisory services to strengthen and create a resilient and sustainable local economy.

The Hub will be a leader in technology by providing additional services including audio-visual facilities for recording, video production, podcasting, a virtual reality space and artificial intelligence tools. These additional services add value to the user's experience, allowing them to explore new prospects and remain current in a competitive industry.

OUR STRATEGY

Our strategic economic objectives include:

- Appeal to businesses, investors, workers, residents, young people and the emerging workforce
- Foster an entrepreneurship environment with new ideas and innovation
- An informed, connected and collaborative business community
- A resilient and adaptable economy
- Identifying and reinforcing workforce talent
- Reducing skill shortages by encouraging vocational education and training
- Facilitation of public events that create job and volunteer opportunities
- Programs to support young people in following sustainable career pathways
- Provide inclusive support programs and connections for residents who are unable to find work
- Confirm Fairfield City HQ as the prime business support facility in South Western Sydney

Fairfield City is a vibrant business community. The Hub is an initiative that will enhance how Council, Governments and local businesses work together to attract investment and facilitate new opportunities.



Community Business Hub



A Post Production Audio Suite



An Audio and Video Recording Studio



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E-RESOURCES

Access plenty of free business, productivity and self-help resources with your Fairfield City HQ membership!

Learn how to start, finance, or manage your small business. Download sample business plans, how-to guides, articles, and more.

BUSINESS BOOKS

View our collection of 1500 business, productivity and self-help books, eAudiobooks, eBooks and eMagazines.

DATABASES

All Fairfield City HQ members have access to Fairfield City Open Libraries databases.



Gale Business: Plan Builder

Grow, plan, and optimise a business/non-profit. Use development tools and a systematic process to build a business plan.



Gale Business: Entrepreneurship

This is a comprehensive database that covers all aspects of starting and operating a business, including accounting, finance, human resources, management, marketing, tax, and more.

LinkedIn Learning

Linked in Learning

LinkedIn Learning has over 4,500 online courses on topics in the three main fields of study: business, technology and creative skills.

Please note as a member of Fairfield City HQ, in order to access these <u>resources</u> you are required to complete an Open Libraries registration form and accept our terms and conditions.

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LOOKING FOR AN AFFORDABLE, FULLY EQUIPPED WORKSPACE?

WORK FROM THE HEART OF FAIRFIELD!



Fairfield City HQ (FCHQ) is a dedicated premises in the heart of Fairfield established by Fairfield City Council. FCHQ's mission is to support businesses of all sizes, in all sectors, and at every stage of development. Whether you are an aspiring entrepreneur, a start-up enterprise, a home based business, or an established small-to-medium enterprise, FCHQ has services that will assist you in starting, developing, growing and operating your business.

FCHQ has three distinctive services available in the one location, including:

- FCHQ (Co-working space),
- Studio HQ (Green screen studio) and
- Audio HQ (Podcast, post-production audio suite).



1. FCHQ WORKSPACE

An accessible co-working office space with facilities, resources and opportunities for business growth and collaboration. Key features include:

- Casual stay hot desks, permanent/dedicated desks, meeting rooms and lockers
- Collaborative/break-out workspaces
- High-speed Wi-Fi
- Scanning, photocopying and printing services
- Complimentary coffee, tea and kitchen facilities
- Latest business-related books, magazines, videos and online resources
- Business start-up workshops and networking events and opportunities, meet-ups with other business owners and entrepreneurs or anyone else with an interest in business
- Referral services to business advisors in community languages
- Business team-building programs
- Advertising and marketing opportunities

2. STUDIO HQ:

Studio HQ is a high-end film and recording studio built for digital content creation. Use this space to film promotional videos, create green-screen special effects, or record interviews.

Key features include:

- Sound-proof facility
- Full green screen room
- Sony FX6 camera for video recording
- Sony A7R iii photography camera
- Lighting, including soft box and video lights
- Wireless studio flash trigger
- Microphones, synthesisers and sound equipment
- High-performance laptops
- Studio quality headphones
- SD memory cards



3. AUDIO HQ:

This service provides you with the opportunity to purely concentrate on creating and editing the ideal content for you to share directly with your listeners and is perfect for podcasting.

Key features include:

- Sound-proof facility
- High-performance laptops
- Production software including Adobe Pro Tools and Adobe Creative Cloud, Audacity, Logic Pro X, Garage Band, Black Magic Davinci Resolve
- Studio monitor
- Dynamic microphones
- USB audio interfaces
- Studio quality headphones
- SD memory cards





ONE-ON-ONE CREATIVE SUPPORT SESSIONS

BOOK A ONE-ON-ONE SESSION WITH OUR KNOWLEDGEABLE STAFF SUPPORTING YOUR BUSINESS PROJECTS OR CREATIVE IDEAS.

These sessions will cover setting up and using our high-end photography, videography, studio lighting equipment & editing software in Studio HQ or our microphones, recording equipment and Podcasting unit in Audio HQ to help you get the best outcome for your project.



STUDIO HQ OR AUDIO HQ BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL WITH 1-ON-1 SUPPORT

Book your Studio HQ or Audio HQ session via the booking app on our website

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FAIRFIELD CITY HQ WEBINARS AND EVENTS



PREPARING A BUSINESS PLAN SESSION 1: WHAT IS A BUSINESS PLAN AND HOW CAN IT HELP ME

Thinking of starting a business? Take the first step and Prepare a Plan to succeed.

This interactive workshop will help you realise your business ambition and work with you to prepare a business plan to guide you to success. The composition of the plan is spread across 5 weeks concluding with a finalised document to take with you

This session will explain 'what is a business plan', its purpose, its importance, and the essential information it should contain.

We will also discuss where business plans are used, example applying for loans, securing investors, and providing direction to you and your staff.

We will explain the main difference between a Sole Trader, a Partnership, and a Company, highlighting each of their ATO reporting obligations.

Monday 11 April, 5pm-7pmSign up here: bit.lg/3L3AaWTMonday 6 June, 5pm-7pmSign up here: bit.lg/3D3GVomFairfield City HQ, 17 Kenyon Street, FairfieldFCHQ Event



PREPARING A BUSINESS PLAN SESSION 2: OUT OF YOUR HEAD AND ONTO PAPER

Thinking of starting a business? Take the first step and Prepare a Plan to succeed.

This interactive workshop will help you realise your business ambition and work with you to prepare a business plan to guide you to success. The composition of the plan is spread across 5 weeks concluding with a finalised document to take with you.

This second session will focus on the Executive Summary, how to take your ideas and verbalise them along with capturing the why, when, and how succinctly on one page.

We will also look at setting a structure in place and detailing the tools needed to fulfill your business purpose.

Tuesday 19 April, 5pm-7pm	Sign up	here: <u>bit.ly/3L3AJzZ</u>
Monday 13 June, 5pm-7pm	Sign up	here: <u>bit.ly/3tyQV6u</u>
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PREPARING A BUSINESS PLAN SESSION 3: THE BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT PLAN

Thinking of starting a business? Take the first step and Prepare a Plan to succeed.

This interactive workshop will help you realise your business ambition and work with you to prepare a business plan to guide you to success. The composition of the plan is spread across 5 weeks concluding with a finalised document to take with you.

The third out of the five sessions will spotlight the importance as well as how to form a Business Development Plan. We will identify your customers, their needs and how to capture them. This is a vital section of a business plan and the key to running a successful Business.

Tuesday 26 April, 5pm-7pmSign up here: bit.ly/3wqdNqBMonday 20 June, 5pm-7pmSign up here: bit.ly/36yKneVFairfield City HQ, 17 Kenyon Street, FairfieldFCHQ Event

PREPARING A BUSINESS PLAN SESSION 4: ROLL UP YOUR SLEEVES AND GET TO WORK

Thinking of starting a business? Take the first step and Prepare a Plan to succeed. This interactive workshop will help you realise your business ambition and work with you to prepare a business plan to guide you to success. The composition of the plan is spread across 5 weeks concluding with a finalised document to take with you.

In this penultimate session we will cover what is involved in creating operating procedures, employing and training staff, creating and installing reporting systems as well as redundancy procedures.

Lastly we will go through how to put together a Cash Flow Projection as cash flow is the life blood for a business.

Monday 2 May, 5pm-7pmSign up here: bit.ly/3JOpVpjMonday 27 June, 5pm-7pmSign up here: bit.ly/3D7qkjRFairfield City HQ, 17 Kenyon Street, FairfieldFCHQ Event

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CYBER123 FOR SMES (SMALL & MEDIUM ENTERPRISES)

Cyber123 is a cybersecurity program that aims to assist SMEs protect their businesses from being hacked or scammed.

While SMEs make up 99% of all Australian businesses and employ about half of the overall workforce in Australia, many of these organisations are not adequately protected when it comes to cyber security, making them an easy target for hackers and scammers.

Through the Cyber123 for SMEs program, CyberCX is working with small to medium sized businesses across Australia to help them and their employees improve their cyber protection. Developed with the time poor business owner in mind, the program will include on-demand training available online, DIY guides and templates, complemented by expert-led workshops.

Tuesday 3 May, 9am-12pm	Sign up	here: <u>bit.ly/3N9mxHt</u>
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PREPARING A BUSINESS PLAN SESSION 5: PUTTING IT ALL TOGETHER

Thinking of starting a business? Take the first step and Prepare a Plan to succeed.

This interactive workshop will help you realise your business ambition and work with you to prepare a business plan to guide you to success. The composition of the plan is spread across 5 weeks concluding with a finalised document to take with you.

In this last session we will be combining all the components of the past four sessions into one document, ensuring it is clear, precise, and comprehensive. We will look at adding a few graphs and tables to make the business plan presentable as well as creating a Mission Statement along with a Statement of Objective.



PREPARING A CONSULTANT AGREEMENT SESSION 1: THE PURPOSE - GETTING IT RIGHT

Thinking of engaging consultants or subcontractors for ongoing basis? Then consider a formal agreement to ensure no ambiguity and a pleasant experience.

This interactive workshop will help you understand some of your obligations and responsibilities and provide you tools to compile your own Consultancy/ Contractor Agreement.

The course is spread across 5 weeks with each week covering a specific topic to consider when compiling your own agreement.

This first session will focus on the structure of the agreement, ensuring all parties are clearly identified and the terms of the agreement are clear. We will also highlight the Importance of clear language and definitions will be demonstrated.

Tuesday 10 May, 5pm-7pmSign up here: bit.ly/3D29RgVFairfield City HQ, 17 Kenyon Street, FairfieldFCHQ Event

FAIRFIELD CITY HQ WEBINARS AND EVENTS



INTRODUCTION TO PROCUREMENT AND TENDERING WITH FAIRFIELD CITY COUNCIL

Fairfield City Council will host an information session for small to medium sized businesses interested in learning about local government procurement processes.

The 60-minute session will provide an overview of procurement essentials within local government; covering the different guidelines to engage suppliers, governance, ethics and legislation, as well as evaluation and selection considerations.

Thursday 12 May, 5.30pm-6.30pmSign up here: bit.ly/3tMdrJ2Thursday 30 June, 5.30pm-6.30pmSign up here: bit.ly/3ql8eQmFairfield City HQ, 17 Kenyon Street, FairfieldFCHQ Event



PREPARING A CONSULTANT AGREEMENT SESSION 2: BEYOND THE PURPOSE

Thinking of engaging consultants or subcontractors for ongoing basis? Then consider a formal agreement to ensure no ambiguity and a pleasant experience.

This interactive workshop will help you understand some of your obligations and responsibilities and provide you tools to compile your own Consultancy/ Contractor Agreement.

The course is spread across 5 weeks with each week covering a specific topic to consider when compiling your own agreement.

This session will build off the information covered in the first session, further outlining obligations of both parties extending beyond the work itself, as well as:

- Intellectual Property
- Indemnity
- Legal Obligations
- Tools of trade
- Code of Conduct.

Tuesday 17 May, 5pm-7pmSign up here: bit.ly/3qrOFfFairfield City HQ, 17 Kenyon Street, FairfieldFCHQ Event

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UTS FUTUREMAP WORKSHOP FOR SMES

Manufacturing businesses today face multiple challenges arising from rapid change and necessity to implement new business models and digital technologies such as artificial intelligence, cobots, sensors and immersive media to stay competitive or get ahead of the game.

One of the most frequently asked questions is "how can emerging technologies and new business models accelerate growth?"

This FutureMap® workshop will address this and many other questions. The completion of the futuremap diagnostic assessment will guide you towards making the right choices to increase your odds of success from a creative and scientific perspective.

This complimentary innovation workshop brought to you by the University of Technology Sydney in partnership with the Innovation Manufacturing CRC (IMCRC), Cumberland and Fairfield City Councils.

Thursday May 19, 8.30am-1pm	Sign up h	nere: <u>bit.ly/3iwJVk9</u>
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BEST OPTION TRAINING CONSTRUCTION GALA DAY!

Events of the day include:

- BOT membership CPD workshop
- A Skills Checkpoint funding advisor is available for advice on what funding you're entitled to.
- A Trade Qualification advisor is available to help you find the right course for you. (Session bookings required) Need more evidence? We have an 'evidence gathering' workshops available for you. (Contact us for advice)
- Need to get into the Construction Industry SWS Labour Hire will be there on the day to advise about employment opportunities.
- Practical skills workshops included in the day are
 - Carpentry
 - Waterproofing
 - Rendering
 - Bricklaying
 - Tiling
 - Caulking/Silicone

Saturday 21 May, 10am-2pm

Best Option Training's Education Centre, 72 Long Street, Smithfield NSW 2164 RSVP to info@bot.edu.au

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Get in contact with Justin from Best Option Training to learn more on 0426 371 973.

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PREPARING A CONSULTANT AGREEMENT SESSION 3: REMUNERATION

Thinking of engaging consultants or subcontractors for ongoing basis? Then consider a formal agreement to ensure no ambiguity and a pleasant experience.

This interactive workshop will help you understand some of your obligations and responsibilities and provide you tools to compile your own Consultancy/ Contractor Agreement.

The course is spread across 5 weeks with each week covering a specific topic to consider when compiling your own agreement.

This session will cover payment options. Often consultants and contractors are tasked with completing multiple assignments, so it is important to consider a fair way to compensate them for these tasks. We will outline a system on how to compensate for different points in a consultant agreement, including:

- Reaching a milestone
- Completing a task
- Hourly rate of pay
- Commissions and bonuses.

Tuesday 24 May, 5pm-7pmSign up here: bit.ly/3D29ZNrFairfield City HQ, 17 Kenyon Street, FairfieldFCHQ Event



PREPARING A CONSULTANT AGREEMENT SESSION 4: CONCLUSION OF THE AGREEMENT

Thinking of engaging consultants or subcontractors for ongoing basis? Then consider a formal agreement to ensure no ambiguity and a pleasant experience.

This interactive workshop will help you understand some of your obligations and responsibilities and provide you tools to compile your own Consultancy/ Contractor Agreement.

The course is spread across 5 weeks with each week covering a specific topic to consider when compiling your own agreement.

When all the work set out in an agreement has been completed, the agreement needs to be formally closed, but how is this done? This penultimate session will cover notice periods, payment hold backs, confidentiality agreements as well as other reasons if necessary.

Tuesday 31 May, 5pm-7pmSign up here: bit.ly/3NatMPtFairfield City HQ, 17 Kenyon Street, FairfieldFCHQ Event

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PREPARING A CONSULTANT AGREEMENT SESSION 5: TYPING THE AGREEMENT

Thinking of engaging consultants or subcontractors for ongoing basis? Then consider a formal agreement to ensure no ambiguity and a pleasant experience.

This interactive workshop will help you understand some of your obligations and responsibilities and provide you tools to compile your own Consultancy/ Contractor Agreement.

The course is spread across 5 weeks with each week covering a specific topic to consider when compiling your own agreement.

In this last session, we will use everything we have covered to put together a draft consultant agreement template. This draft consultant agreement template will provide clear direction as well as be utilised as a reference to provide clear terms when liaising with a consultant.

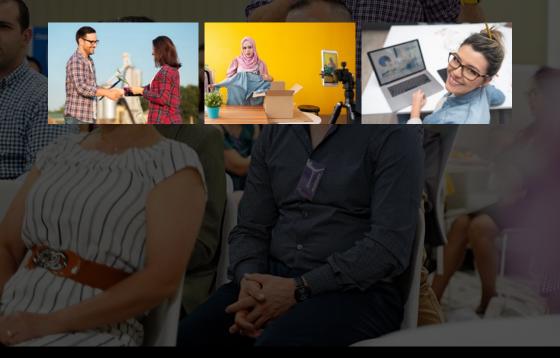
Tuesday 7 June, 5pm-7pmSign up here: bit.ly/3wtFDSBFairfield City HQ, 17 Kenyon Street, FairfieldFCHQ Event

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BUSINESS CONNECT RESOURCES 24/7 (RECORDED WEBINARS)

Explore on demand webinars and resources for practical tips and insights to help you start, run, adapt or grow your small business.



Start your free digital training today via:

https://business-connect-register.industry.nsw.gov.au/ pages/SearchOnlineContent5.html?webinars=true



BUSINESS CONNECT ONE ON ONE-BUSINESS ADVISORY SESSIONS

Whether you're just starting out with a great business idea or looking to expand and grow your business NSW Government's Business Connect services can help you on your journey. Your initial one-to-one session is absolutely FREE* and will cover all you need to know to get started. Business Connect can also match you to advisors with language and cultural skills in Arabic, Cantonese, Mandarin and Vietnamese.

For more information, visit Business Connect, Workary or Fairfield City HQ website.

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Bookings are essentials contact us on 9725 0899 or email fchq@fairfieldcity.nsw.gov.au or visit our website.

*First four hours of the business advisory session, at no cost; unless clients have already used those hours by speaking with other advisers or attending workshops.

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BUSINESS CONNECT ONLINE RESOURCES 24/7 (RECORDED WEBINARS)

GETTING GRANT READY FOR THE BUSINESS SECTOR

This webinar will educate you how you can prepare for future grants funding.

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EVALUATING, REPORTING AND ACQUITTING GOVERNMENT BUSINESS GRANTS

This webinar is the ideal for any business interested in finding out more about Local, State and Federal Government Funding.

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FUNDING FUNDAMENTALS (FOR CREATIVES)

Funding Fundamentals showcases the basics of writing, winning, and acquitting any kind of funding, as well as putting together a funding folder for the future.

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ESTABLISH AND GROW A REGIONAL BUSINESS

A webcast which was live on YouTube, presenting experienced Business Advisor Pete Hollingsworth who detailed key tips for regional businesses.

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For a summary of tips and where to go to for help on various issues in the construction industry in NSW, watch this short video.

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BUSINESS CONNECT ONLINE RESOURCES 24/7 (RECORDED WEBINARS)

SMART PHONE FLAT LAY

PHOTOGRAPHY

This workshop is designed for small business owners or anyone interested in improving their photography and flat lay styling skills. Each attendee will leave this session armed with the knowledge and motivation to style and capture better flat lay images.

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LOW COST ONLINE MARKETING

"How can I market my business for very little or no cost?" If you're short on marketing ideas, this is the place for you!

Click here to view

THE SMARTPHONE REVOLUTION

How to make powerful business videos with your smartphone.

Click here to view

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TOP 10 APPS & TIPS TO SIMPLIFY BUSINESS MARKETING

Learn all the tips and trips of marketing apps and programs to help you stay on track, focused and to simplify your systems and processes.

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PREPARE A WINNING RESPONSE TO TENDERS

Helping viewers improve their skills in responding to a tender and increase their chances of success.

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ORGANIC FACEBOOK MARKETING

Facebook is the most popular social media platform on the planet. It's ability to share links back to your website makes it an effective 'free' marketing tool for small businesses. Let's take a look at the ins and outs how you can use it to get more sales.

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EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT GOOGLE MY BUSINESS

Join our webinar to learn about where Google is heading, what this means for your business and how to ensure you get found by customers searching for local products and services.

Click here to view

5 MUST DO'S TO SUCCESSFULLY SELL ONLINE

This webinar will give you clarity and direction to help you make an informed decision on selling online.

Click here to view

WHY YOU NEED AN ORGANIC

SOCIAL MEDIA STRATEGY

Social media platforms are rapidly becoming pay to play in order to reach your audience, but you can grow your brand through unpaid (organic) social media too!

Click here to view

FOUNDATIONS OF INSTAGRAM

This webinar is ideal for business owners who are new to Instagram, delivering a hands on, step-by-step guide to Instagram.

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SIX STEPS TO WEBSITE CONVERTING-COVID-19

A doable 6 step process to converting your website into sales.

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SOCIAL MEDIA 101 FOR SMALL BUSINESS-COVID 19

This workshop will cover all major platforms from Facebook, LinkedIn, Instagram, Snapchat, Google Plus and You Tube.

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BUSINESS CONNECT ONLINE RESOURCES **24/7** (RECORDED WEBINARS)

INTRODUCTION BEHIND USING EXCEL FOR FINANCIAL MODELLING

The Introduction looks at the basic ideas behind using Excel to Financial Modelling.

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EXCEL BASICS - FINANCIAL MODELLING IN EXCEL

Part 1 of Financial Modelling in Excel. The basics of Excel.

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WHAT IS A BUSINESS MODEL? FINANCIAL MODELLING IN EXCEL

Part 2 steps through the fundamentals of what makes a business model.

The basic terms of accounting (revenue, expenses, fixed and variable costs, etc) and put them into everyday language, and introduce a basic model.

Click here to view

FACT FINDING -FINANCIAL MODELLING IN EXCEL

Part 3 delves into the process of sourcing information about your business. Where should you look for all the information you need?

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PRICE MODELLING -FINANCIAL MODELLING IN EXCEL

Part 5 Linking the cost of production, overheads, pricing, and sales volume to revenues and predicting net profits.

Click here to view





AUSTRALIAN TAXATION OFFICE WEBINARS

ATO (Australian Taxation Office) are committed to delivering a better client experience for small business. Helping you to improve your skills and knowledge to be successful in your small business venture is an important part of this commitment.

The ATO are offering free webinars on a variety of topics. There are general topics that suit all small businesses and others that are specific to particular industries or circumstances. Some are also offered in Chinese, Arabic and Vietnamese.

When registering for a webinar the times listed will be in:

- Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST)
- From October to March, Australian Eastern Daylight Time (AEDT).

The webinars are interactive online seminars presented by experienced tax officers. They are live and you can ask questions to help you apply the information to your situation. If you register for a webinar, make sure you're online by the start time as the session will be locked 10 minutes after the webinar begins.

Link to the Australian Taxation Office small business webinars: Small business webinars | Australian Taxation Office (ato.gov.au)

To register for any of the ATO small business webinars, please scan the below QR code or see the link below:



https://www.ato.gov.au/Business/Starting-your-ownbusiness/Small-business-webinars-and-workshops/ Small-business-webinars/

AUSTRALIAN TAXATION OFFICE WEBINARS

INSTRUCTORS



NICK

With over 30 years experience in the ATO, Nick is committed and passionate about improving the small business client experience and builds positive engagement by offering tailored and easily accessible educational information that will assist small businesses to understand and interact with the tax and super systems more effectively.



MATTHEW

With years of experience in the ATO, Matthew has a broad knowledge of the taxation and superannuation systems. He breaks tax and super topics down to a digestible and easy to understand format. He makes tax and super sound like a breeze and is committed to assisting small business clients meet their obligations in a timely manner.





CONSIDERING YOUR SMALL BUSINESS VIABILITY

Are you at a business crossroads? Unsure whether you should continue trading? In this 45-minute session you will learn how to use our Business Viability Assessment Tool.

Click Here to register

RUNNING A HOME-BASED BUSINESS

Running your small business from your home may cost you more in expenses such as electricity, gas, phone, furniture, and cars.

Click here to register

CONNECTING ONLINE WITH THE ATO: SOLE TRADERS

This session is for sole traders who want to know how to manage their tax and super commitments online.

<u>Click Here</u> to register

CONNECTING ONLINE WITH THE ATO: BUSINESSES

This session is for companies, partnerships and trusts who want to know how to manage their tax and super commitments online.

Click Here to register

DIGITAL OPTIONS FOR YOUR SMALL BUSINESS

There are many online services and digital systems that can help you perform your business activities such as marketing, sales, accounting and reporting.

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CLOSING YOUR SMALL BUSINESS

If you have decided to close your business this session is for you. The closing process can take time depending on your business size and complexity.

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STRATEGIES FOR IMPROVING YOUR CASH FLOW

Cash flow management is critical to the success of any business, but it's not always easy to find ways to improve your cash flow.

Click Here to register

INTRODUCTION TO BUSINESS RECORDS

Are you starting a new small business? In this introductory 60-minute session you'll learn about which business records to keep, the legal requirements and how long to keep your records.

Click Here to register.

CASH FLOW FOR SMALL BUSINESS SUCCESS

Cash flow is the life blood for small business. Come along to this 60-minute session to learn critical cash flow management skills.

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BUDGETING FOR YOUR COMMITMENTS

In this 60-minute session you'll learn a straightforward five-step process to stay on top of your regular financial commitments.

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EMPLOYERS: SINGLE TOUCH PAYROLL

This 60-minute session is for small businesses that are new to employing people and paying them for their work.

<u>Click here</u> to register



New Business Assistance with NEIS

SMALL BUSINESS TRAINING FOR PEOPLE INTERESTED IN SELF-EMPLOYMENT

What do you get?

- Accredited small business training
- Personalised mentoring and support from a NEIS provider
- NEIS Allowance for up to 39 weeks and NEIS Rental Assistance for up to 26 weeks (if eligible).

Who is this for?

Individuals who are interested in starting a business or who need help to refocus an existing micro-business impacted by COVID-19.

Overview

New Business Assistance with NEIS provides personalised support to help people pursue self-employment and start a small business. There are 8,600 places available nationally each year, delivered by a network of NEIS providers. New Business Assistance with NEIS provides:

- · Accredited small business training
- \cdot Help to develop a business plan
- Personalised mentoring and support from a NEIS provider

NEIS Allowance for up to 39 weeks, and NEIS Rental Assistance for up to 26 weeks (if eligible).

Eligibility criteria

You can participate in New Business Assistance with NEIS if you:

- Are at least 18 years of age when starting your new business
- \cdot Are not prohibited by law from working in Australia
- \cdot Are not an overseas visitor on a working holiday or an overseas student studying in Australia
- Are available to participate in NEIS training (if relevant) and work the required hours in your proposed business
- · Have not participated in NEIS in the past year
- \cdot Are not an undischarged bankrupt.

How do you apply?

To find out more about applying, talk with a NEIS provider located in your area. You can find a list of NEIS providers at https://jobsearch.gov.au/service-providers/search

Alternatively, contact your local jobactive, ParentsNext or Disability Employment Services provider to discuss if New Business Assistance is right for you. or Call the National Customer Service Line on 1800 805 260



Service NSW for Business

GET GOVERNMENT SUPPORT TO START, RUN AND GROW YOUR BUSINESS, AND ADAPT IN TIMES OF CHANGE.

Support

COVID-19 help for businesses

We're here to help businesses impacted by COVID-19. We aim to bring together support services available to businesses.

Storm & flood assistance for business

Disaster recovery assistance for businesses impacted by recent storms and floods.

Personalised support

Our Business Concierge service provides, one-on-one support for business owners applying for:

- financial assistance
- licences and applications
- vouchers and grants.

Resources

Getting Started

Set up your business, choose the best structure, apply for key business registrations & view industry-specific services



Stay compliant by registering for business licences and applications



Manage transactions & apply for government grants & vouchers

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