ICAEW Course Information



ICAEW is a world leading professional organisation that promotes, develops and supports chartered accountants and students worldwide.

The first papers (certificate level) are usually sat within 6 to 9 months. These papers have on-demand exams which means that you can sit the exams when you are ready at FI.

The professional papers we teach towards all 4 exam sittings. They have scheduled exam dates and must be booked via ICAEW. The exams will be sat at a centre that is provided by ICAFW

The final advanced stage papers can be sat together or individually at sittings in July and November. Again, these exams will be sat at a centre that is provided by ICAEW.

Tuition and Revision

Our tuition and revision classes are expertly designed to ensure you know everything you need to know for your exams. Contact us to find out more.

Computer Based Exams

We run exam sittings at 10:00 and 14:00 Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

Retake Revision Courses

Our retake courses cover key examinable areas with timed question practice and past paper review.

Course Times



Certificate Level Tuition



Paper Name	Course Type	Course Location & Timing	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Individual Unit Cost Ex. VAT	Individual Material Cost
Business Law	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	12 Jan	13 Jan	14 Jan	15 Jan			£675	£45
	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	6 July	7 July	8 July	9 July			£675	£45
Accounting Fundamentals	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	28 Jan	29 Jan	30 Jan	2 Feb	3 Feb		£750	£45
Tax Fundamentals	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	23 Feb	24 Feb	25 Feb	26 Feb	27 Feb		£750	£45
	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	8 June	9 June	10 June	11 June	12 June		£750	£45
Sustainability & Ethics	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	13 April	14 April	15 April				£600	£45
Business Insight and Performance	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	6 May	7 May	8 May	11 May	12 May		£750	£45
Assurance & Risk Fundamentals	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	15 June	16 June	17 June	18 June			£675	£45

Please see page 3 for our recommended study path for ICAEW Certificate Level.

If you are interested in ICAEW as an apprenticeship, please have a look at page 8.

Fundamentals in Accounting & Assurance (Optional Course)

We are now offering a 3 day course. This is an excellent starting point that will support you to build your basic bookkeeping skills in areas such as:

- Double Entry
- Reconciliations
- · Period End Adjustments

- · Basic Accounts
- Accounting Errors
- Incomplete Records

Course	Course Type	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Individual Unit Cost Inc. VAT
Fundamentals	Classroom - Weekday	19 Jan	20 Jan	21 Jan	£425
in Accounting & Assurance	Classroom - Weekday	S	eptember 202	16	TBC





Certificate Level - Recommended Study Paths



These are our recommended study paths if students are starting in February 2026 or September 2026. The courses can be studied in any order but we recommend the below to our students. Once Certificate Level is completed, students can move on to the Professional Level.

ICAEW qualification is available as an apprenticeship programme, find out more about the Level 7 Professional Accountant apprenticeship on page 8.

Recommended study path for students starting in February 2026.

Paper Name	Course Type	Recommended Study Months
Accounting Fundamentals	Tuition	Feb - March 2026 (5 Days)
Tax Fundamentals	Tuition	Feb 2026 (5 Days)
Sustainability & Ethics	Tuition	April 2026 (3 Days)
Business Insight and Performance	Tuition	May 2026 (5 Days)
Assurance & Risk Fundamentals	Tuition	June 2026 (4 Days)
Business Law	Tuition	July 2026 (5 Days)

After Law - Students can start on the Professional Level in August and work towards the September or December Exam sitting.

Certificate Level Exam Pricing

On-Demand Certificate Level Exam at FI Maidstone

£136

Recommended study path for students starting in September 2026.

Paper Name	Course Type	Recommended Study Months
Accounting Fundamentals	Tuition	September 2026 (5 Days)
Assurance & Risk Fundamentals	Tuition	October 2026 (4 Days)
Sustainability & Ethics	Tuition	November 2026 (3 Days)
Business Insight and Performance	Tuition	December 2026 (5 Days)
Business Law	Tuition	January 2027 (4 Days)
Tax Fundamentals	Tuition	February 2027 (5 Days)

Please note, this study path is following the new ICAEW syllabus.

After Tax Fundamentals - Students can start on the Professional Level in February and work towards the June Exam sitting.

Exam Availability:

Weekday exam sittings are available on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 10am and 2pm. To book your ICAEW Certificate Level exams, please use our online exam booking system by clicking or typing the below URL into your web browser:

firstintuitionmaidstone.bookinglive.com







Professional Level - Tuition & Revision - March Sitting



Tuition Courses to March Exam Sittings - Please note, all tuition prices includes tuition and revision.

Paper Name		Course Type	Course Location & Timing	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7	Tuition & Revision Cost Ex. VAT	Individual Material Cost
Business Planning: Taxation	Old Syllabus	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	2 Feb	3 Feb	4 Feb	5 Feb	6 Feb	9 Feb	10 Feb	£1645 (Inc Tuition & Revision)	£74
Business and Digital Strategy	New Syllabus	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	2 Feb	3 Feb	4 Feb	5 Feb	6 Feb			£1400 (Inc Tuition & Revision)	£65
Fundamental Case Study	New Syllabus	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	9 Feb	10 Feb	11 Feb	12 Feb	20 Feb			£700 (Inc Tuition & Revision)	£65

Revision Courses to March Exam Sittings - Please note, prices include revision ONLY. Revision only courses do not include materials.

Paper Name	per Name Course Type		Course Location & Timing	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Individual Unit Cost Ex. VAT
Business Planning: Taxation	Old Syllabus	Revision	Classroom - Weekday	2 March	3 March	4 March	5 March	6 March	£800 (Revision only)
Business and Digital Strategy	New Syllabus	Revision	Classroom - Weekday	23 Feb	24 Feb	25 Feb	26 Feb	27 Feb	£800 (Revision only)

Recommended Study Paths

For our professional level recommended study paths, please see page 6 or click here.

June Exam Sitting Course Dates & Prices

For our June Exam Sitting course dates and prices, please see page 5 or <u>click here</u>.





Professional Level - Tuition & Revision - June Sitting



Tuition Courses to June Exam Sittings - Please note, all tuition prices includes tuition and revision.

Paper Name		Course Type	Course Location & Timing	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Tuition & Revision Cost Ex. VAT	Individual Material Cost
Tax Compliance and Planning	New Syllabus	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	30 March	31 March	20 April	21 April	22 April	£1400 (Inc Tuition & Revision)	£90
Financial Management	Old Syllabus	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	20 April	21 April	22 April	23 April	24 April	£1425 (Inc Tuition & Revision)	£61
Assurance, Risk & Reporting	New Syllabus	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	27 April	28 April	29 April	30 April	1 May	£1400 (Inc Tuition & Revision)	£210
Corporate Financial Strategy	New Syllabus	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	28 April	29 April	30 April	1 May	5 May	£1400 (Inc Tuition & Revision)	£65
Fundamental Case Study	New Syllabus	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	12 May	13 May	14 May	15 May	21 May	£700 (Inc Tuition & Revision)	£65

Revision Courses to June Exam Sittings - Please note, prices include revision ONLY. Revision only courses do not include materials.

Paper Name		Course Type	Course Location & Timing	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Individual Unit Cost Ex. VAT
Tax Compliance and Planning	New Syllabus	Revision	Classroom - Weekday	22 May	26 May	27 May	28 May	29 May	£800 (Revision only)
Financial Management	Old Syllabus	Revision	Classroom - Weekday	18 May	19 May	20 May	21 May	22 May	£800 (Revision only)
Assurance, Risk & Reporting	New Syllabus	Revision	Classroom - Weekday	1 June	2 June	3 June	4 June	5 June	£800 (Revision only)
Corporate Financial Strategy	New Syllabus	Revision	Classroom - Weekday	1 June	2 June	3 June	4 June	5 June	£800 (Revision only)

Retake Revision for March Exam Sittings - Please note, prices include retake revision ONLY. Revision only courses do not include materials.

Paper Name		Course Type	Day 1	Day 2	Individual Unit Cost Ex. VAT
Business and Digital Strategy	New Syllabus	Revision	26 May	27 May	£400 (Revision only)





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Professional Level - Recommended Study Paths



This is our recommended study path and alternative study paths available. The course can be studied in any order. We advise students to follow our recommended study path sitting one paper each exam session.

1 Exam per Sitting

Recommended study path starting in February 2026

1 Exam per Sitting

Recommended study path starting in April 2026

2 Exam per Sitting

Alternative study path starting in February 2026

March, June, Sept & Dec Exam Sittings

Recommended Study Months	Exam Sitting
Feb - March 2026 (5 Days)	March 2026
April - June 2026 (10 Days)	June 2026
July - Sept 2026 (10 Days)	Sept 2026
Oct - Dec 2026 (10 Days)	Dec 2026
Feb - March 2027 (10 Days)	March 2027
April - June 2027 (10 Days)	June 2027
	Study Months Feb - March 2026 (5 Days) April - June 2026 (10 Days) July - Sept 2026 (10 Days) Oct - Dec 2026 (10 Days) Feb - March 2027 (10 Days)

After Professional Level, students can start on the Advanced Level in August and work towards the November Exam sitting.

March, June, Sept & Dec Exam Sittings

Paper Name	Recommended Study Months	Exam Sitting
Assurance, Risk & Reporting	April - June 2026 (10 Days)	June 2026
Fundamental Case Study	July - Sept 2026 (5 Days)	Sept 2026
Corporate Financial Strategy	Oct - Dec 2026 (10 Days)	Dec 2026
Business and Digital Strategy	Feb - March 2027 (10 Days)	March 2027
Corporate Reporting, Data and Assurance	April - June 2027 (10 Days)	June 2027
Tax Compliance and Planning	July - Aug 2027 (10 Days)	Sept 2027

After Professional Level, students can start on the Advanced Level in April and work towards the July Exam sitting.

June & December Exam Sittings

Paper Name	Recommended Study Months	Exam Sitting
Fundamental Case Study	April - June 2026 (5 Days)	June 2026
Assurance, Risk & Reporting	April - June 2026 (10 Days)	June 2026
Tax Compliance and Planning	Sept - Nov 2026 (10 Days)	Dec 2026
Corporate Financial Strategy	Sept - Nov 2026 (10 Days)	Dec 2026
Business and Digital Strategy	April - June 2027 (10 Days)	June 2027
Corporate Reporting, Data and Assurance	April - June 2027 (10 Days)	June 2027

After Professional Level, students can start on the Advanced Level in August and work towards the November Exam sitting.





Advanced Level - Tuition and Revision



Tuition

Paper Name	Course Type	Course Location & Timing	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7	Day 8	Day 9	Day 10	Individual Unit Cost Ex. VAT	
Corporate Reporting	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	23 April	24 April	27 April	28 April	29 April	14 May	15 May	10 June (PM)	11 June	12 June	£1805	£117
	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	August 2026 (9.5 Days)							TBC	TBC			
Strategic Business Management	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	30 March	31 March	1 April	2 April	16 April	17 April	8 June	9 June	10 June (AM)		£1715	£117
	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	August 2026 (8.5 Days)							TBC	TBC			
Case Study	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	20 April	21 April	22 April								£1460	£117
	Tuition	Classroom - Weekday	Septe	mber 2026 (3	Days)							TBC	TBC	

Revision

Paper Name	Course Type	Course Location & Timing	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Individual Unit Cost Ex. VAT
Corporate Reporting	Revision	Classroom - Weekday	29 June	30 June	6 July	9 July	10 July	Included in Tuition
	Revision	Classroom - Weekday		Included in Tuition				
Strategic Business Management	Revision	Classroom - Weekday	2 July	3 July	14 July	15 July	16 July	Included in Tuition
	Revision	Classroom - Weekday		Included in Tuition				
Case Study	Revision	Classroom - Weekday	1 July	7 July	8 July	13 July	17 July	Included in Tuition
	Revision	Classroom - Weekday		Included in Tuition				

Please see page 8 for our recommended study path for ICAEW Advanced Level.





Advanced Level - Recommended Study Paths



These are our recommended study paths if students are starting in February 2026 or August 2026.

Please note, Corporate Reporting should be studied for before or at the same time as Strategic Business Management. Commercial students can study all 3 papers for one exam sitting if preferred.

Recommended study path starting in February 2026.

Paper Name	Course Type	Recommended Study Months	Exam Sitting		
Corporate Reporting	Tuition & Revision	April - July 2026 (14.5 Days)	July 2026		
Strategic Business Management	Tuition & Revision	April - July 2026 (13.5 Days)	July 2026		
Case Study	Tuition & Revision	August - October 2026 (8 Days)	November 2026		

Recommended study path starting in August 2026.

Paper Name	Course Type	Recommended Study Months	Exam Sitting		
Corporate Reporting	Tuition & Revision	Aug - Oct 2026 (14.5 Days)	November 2026		
Strategic Business Management	Tuition & Revision	Aug - Oct 2026 (13.5 Days)	November 2026		
Strategic Case Study New Syllabus	Tuition & Revision	April - June 2027 (8 Days)	July 2027		





ICAEW Apprenticeship

Professional Accountant Apprenticeship (Level 7)



Equivalent to a Master's degree, the Level 7 apprenticeship offers a programme which will develop business leaders of the future. The programme aligns with the globally recognised professional accountancy ICAEW qualification, as well as providing structured support and guidance for each apprentice's wider development.

The duration of the Level 7 Accounting and Taxation Professional Apprenticeship will typically be 36 months. The minimum duration on programme before an apprentice can take the end-point assessment is 12 months.

Employer Information

The Level 7 Accountancy Apprenticeship is a perfect opportunity for employers to offer the ACA on a government-funded programme. Combining work experience and the ACA - the globally recognised ICEAW qualification, this apprenticeship sets students well on their way to becoming a chartered accountant. Throughout the programme apprentices develop the skills, knowledge and behaviours required by the standard which are essential for a career in accountancy.

The funding cap for the Level 7 Accountancy Apprenticeship for Accountancy Professionals has been set at £21,000. This can be funded via the apprenticeship levy for levy-paying employers. Non-levy paying employers can be funded 5% contribution and the government will pay the remaining 95%. ACA student fee and exam fees are not included.

To find out more about what the ICAEW qualification includes <u>click here</u> or contact our apprenticeship team by emailing maidstone@fi.co.uk.



Entry Requirements



There are no set entry requirements but you must have GCSEs in English and Maths (grades A-C/9-4) or equivalent by the time you sit the end-point assessment.

Employers may also set their own criteria.

Qualification Level



The Level 7 apprenticeships are equivalent to a masters degree.

There are various qualification entry points for a level 7 apprenticeship, please contact us for further information.



