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## COURSE CONTENT OVERVIEW

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According to a recent Association of Project Management survey, 87% of businesses rated competent project teams as being critical to success. Across every sector of global industry, project management is undergoing rapid growth – meaning there are now pan-sector theories and standards in place to achieve innovation, change, and business success.

As part of our APM-accredited Level 6 Project Manager Degree Apprenticeship with BSc (Hons) Project Management, you'll learn these tools and techniques directly from our team of experienced project management professionals, as you achieve a quality level 6 honours degree, on-the-job experience, and a professional pathway for future development.

You'll study contemporary themes in project management which will demonstrate to employers that you possess broad knowledge in the latest project management concepts. And, as modern projects are becoming increasingly dynamic and challenging, your studies will have a digital-first focus, giving you the knowledge and critical understanding of modern business solutions to deliver real impact in the workplace.



## Key facts

**Duration:** 3 years to complete including EPA

**Delivery mode:** Each quarter, our blended delivery model consists of:

- Flexible self-guided online learning
- Scheduled virtual teaching sessions
- Regular virtual 1-2-1 coaching
- Quarterly virtual progress review
- Optional academic skills support sessions

### Cost:

- Levy Payers: Zero. The full cost of the £22,000 apprenticeship is covered by your levy
- Non-Levy Payers: £1,100 plus government co-investment

### Qualifications:

- Level 6 Project Manager Apprenticeship Qualification
- BSc (Hons) Project Management
- PMQ Qualification (APM)

## Entry requirements

Learners enrolling on this degree apprenticeship must meet the following criteria:

- Be in employment in a job with responsibilities aligned with the apprenticeship standard
- Have evidence of funding eligibility from their employer
- Have two subjects at GCE A-level or equivalent, plus three GCSEs at grade A\*-C /9-4; OR a completed recognised Access Programme or equivalent
- Have proficiency in the English language if any prior learning has not previously been taught in English (IELTS6.0 / TOEFL iBT 80 or equivalent)
- Be a UK/EU/EAA resident for at least three years prior to starting the apprenticeship

### Year 2 Entry

Learners for direct entry to Year 2, must evidence prior qualification in L4 Associate Project Manager Apprenticeship.

## English and Maths Requirements for Apprentices

To help you succeed in your apprenticeship, it's important you have the right level of English and maths. Here's what you need to know:

**If you're aged 16 to 18** and don't already have, or cannot provide evidence of, a Level 2 qualification (GCSE or equivalent) in English and/or maths, you'll be required to study these subjects as part of your apprenticeship. This is a mandatory part of your training.

**If you're 19 or older** and don't already have, or cannot provide evidence of, a Level 2 qualification in English and/or maths, your employer will decide whether you need to take standalone qualifications during your apprenticeship. This offers more flexibility based on your role and development needs.

### Important:

We will need either evidence of your English and maths qualifications or written confirmation from your employer that these qualifications are not required.

These changes reflect the updated apprenticeship funding rules for 2025–2026.

## Level 4

### **Business Research Methods & Analysis (20 credits)**

This module explores the business analytical skills required to carry out practical research. You will acquire the know-how to formulate original research questions, select the most suitable data collection methodology, and accurately analyse data and interpret the results. Through this, you will learn how to write a feasible project proposal as well as the capabilities to undertake a major piece of independent research.

### **Business Consulting (20 credits)**

In this module you will gain comprehensive knowledge and understanding of the nature of business consultancy, the consulting process in theory and practice, and key strategies for enabling and facilitating change within organisations. The module content is illustrated and applied to real world business problems, providing you with transferable skills for business consulting, internal consultancy, and senior management roles.

## **Principles of Procurement and Contract Management (20 credits)**

Organisations can gain competitive advantages and efficiencies in procurement by acquiring superior information flow, streamlining repetitive tasks, and reducing costs. This module will explore a range of strategies for managing cost, quality, service, and time across supply chain networks that leverage assets to deliver financial targets. You will learn to make ethical and sustainable decisions when it comes to budgeting, cash flow forecasting, risk mitigation, cost efficiencies, and other supply chain processes.

## **Governance in a Global Business Environment (20 credits)**

The impact of national and international policy frameworks have a direct effect on globalised supply chain operation. Using live case studies, this module will develop your ability to apply knowledge of corporate governance systems and legal principles to a range of organisational contexts. It will also explore relevant themes in modern business, such as ethics, corporate social responsibility, social value, and sustainability.

## **Introduction to Project Management (20 credits)**

Examining the fundamentals of project management, this module will allow you to explore the principles and themes of building a successful project from planning to implementation. It will give an overview of the entire project lifecycle, including aims and objectives, budgeting and timescale, team development, resources, and scope. From this you will gain clear insight into project management and completion, including the fundamental business skills and behaviours associated with project success.

## **Principles of Professional Practice (20 credits)**

By giving you the opportunity to analyse and reflect upon your professional knowledge and skills, this module encourages the development of transferable skills for your future personal and career development. You'll be required to assess your existing project management skills and build upon them using appropriate models and techniques, as well as develop valuable skills in self-management, leadership, communication, and teamwork.

## Level 5

### **Advanced Project Management (20 credits)**

Examining the fundamentals of project management, this module will allow you to explore the principles and themes of building a successful project from planning to implementation. It will give an overview of the entire project lifecycle, including aims and objectives, budgeting and timescale, team development, resources, and scope. From this you will gain clear insight into project management and completion, including the fundamental business skills and behaviours associated with project success.

### **Agile and Hybrid Project Management (20 credits)**

Modern business processes are continuously evolving to keep up with today's dynamic business environment. Consequently, project implementation often faces shorter timelines and increased complexity, calling for greater agility and flexibility in project management approaches. This module will develop your knowledge and skills in project management and control, with emphasis on various agile and hybrid approaches for delivering successful projects.

### **Project Justification (20 credits)**

The project justification module outlines how to construct robust project proposals that give a clear overview of project benefits and how they relate to broader business objectives. You will learn to evaluate organisational aims to develop and execute strategic projects that add value, identify realistic benefits, propose tangible deliverables, and ensure the ongoing viability and relevance of the project.

### **AI and Big Data Analytics in Project Management (20 credits)**

Today's business world calls for project managers with a knowledge of big data analysis and modeling. In this module you will broaden your expertise of how Artificial Intelligence (AI) and big data analytics can leverage project management processes and aid in decision making. In a world reliant on data to improve processes and monitor success, this module will help you gain transferable skills in AI to benefit your workplace.



## **Project Planning (20 credits)**

The project planning module will outline how to facilitate communication and control by clearly defining the means of delivering project outputs. Through this, you will develop essential tools and techniques for the effective planning of various types of projects. By the end of the module, you will have a critical understanding of the significance of planning and its link to every stage of the project lifecycle and overall project success.

## **Advanced Professional Practice (20 credits)**

This module will introduce the concept of systemic and critical reflection. You will be given the opportunity to explore your role in your own workplace by reflecting on specific significant instances that provide opportunities for learning what, when, and why you do things, and how this affects you and those around you. You will learn about models of reflective practice and implement them to reflect upon significant incidents from your own experiences working as a project or supply manager.

## Level 6

### **Project Change and Control (20 credits)**

This module will provide you with an understanding of change management models, including practical experience with planning and implementing change. You will also learn the appropriate tools and processes for monitoring and controlling a project in terms of scope, timeline, quality, and cost. Through this, you will develop the skills required to manage projects within a range of diverse frameworks, as well as how to lead a team through organisational change.

### **Quality Management (20 credits)**

The quality management module will explore the principles of quality management and how they can be translated into actions that support project management success. You will gain knowledge of traditional and agile quality management frameworks, measuring performance indicators, and integrating high quality project deliverables. Through this, you will learn how quality assurance and control are essential to improving project management processes.

### **Project Risk and Issue Management (20 credits)**

Risk evaluation and management is an essential component of project success. This module will cover the theoretical and practical skills for identifying, analysing, planning, and managing project-related risks in terms of scope, schedule, quality, and cost performance. Through this, you will gain insight into effective risk management strategies, equipping you with the tools to manage risk and change constructively to your team and stakeholders.

### **Developing People and Capabilities (20 credits)**

Understanding people and behaviours is pivotal in the successful management, engagement, and facilitation of projects. This module will explore contemporary theories, practices, and skills relating to organizational behaviour and human resource management in order to contribute to successful business operations across a range of business contexts and digital advancements. You will examine the challenges raised by temporary organisational structures to innovate and perform within traditional and agile settings.

## Final Project (40 credits)

Building on the taught element of the programme, the final module will provide you with the opportunity to plan and execute a substantial work-based project on a relevant topic of your choice. With our guidance you will independently develop your project from conception to delivery, demonstrating your transferable project management skills with real-world applications.





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