



SAQA ID No:	NQF Level:	Credits:
49648	2	138
Qualification – National Certificate: New Venture Creation (SMME) Field: 03 - Business, Commerce and Management Studies		

National Certificate: New Venture Creation

Course Information

This qualification is designed for learners who intend to set up or have already set up own ventures. Assessment of the competencies and knowledge in the qualification needs to be done in the context of the learner's own new venture.

The small business sector is growing and it is in light of this that various stakeholders have taken the initiative to provide mentorship programmes that will assist budding entrepreneurs to become a more integral part of the mainstream economy, serving both the public and private sectors. Apart from the formative development that can take place via these programmes, it also provides more importantly for sustainable development

Course	Full-time National Certificate: New Venture Creation			
Programme Type	SETA			
Award Type	Accredited Programme			
Award Issued By	Edu Options Academy			
Accredited By	Services SETA			
Course Duration	Theory	52 Days	Workplace	121 Days
Entrance Criteria	NQF Level 1			
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What does the **National Certificate: New Venture Creation** course entail?

You will complete the following modules in order to obtain this qualification:

Year 1

Module	CREDITS
Module 1: : Business Communication	13
Module 2: Professional behaviour	15
Module 3: Financing a new venture	25
Module 4: Business operations	39
Module 5: Innovation and creativity	13
Module 6: Managing resources	12
Module 7: Information technology	9
Module 8: Marketing Management	19

Module 9: Legislation	5
Module 10: Basic communication skills	26
Module 11: Basic mathematics skills	16

TOTAL CREDITS 192

How is the **National Certificate: New Venture Creation** assessed?

You will be required to undertake and complete the following per module: (Assignment, Tasks, Research Project and Assessments) as well as a Portfolio of Evidence

Theory	Workplace
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tasks • Assignments • Research Project • Assessments • Portfolio Of Evidence (POE) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Site Diary • Logbook • Portfolio Of Evidence (POE)

Duration of the **National Certificate: New Venture Creation** course

The National Certificate: New Venture Creation course is delivered in the following manner:

- The year is divided into two segments namely; Theoretical and Workplace
- Attend full-time classes at our campus in Port Elizabeth over a period of 11 weeks
- And 25 weeks workplace experience
- You will have access to a computer lab for research purposes.

Who should enrol on this **National Certificate: New Venture Creation** course?

The National Certificate in New Venture Creation: Level 2 has been established due to the great demand to equip entrepreneurial learners with knowledge and skills at NQF level 2 so that they can become part of the mainstream economy as they set up and manage new ventures. Whilst the complexity of learning will be simpler at this level, the main outputs, requirements and competences of such entrepreneurs are broadly the same.

What are the pre-requisites for the **National Certificate: New Venture Creation** course?

For you to enrol on this qualification you should be in possession of:

- A National Senior Certificate or equivalent.
- 'Equivalent' refers to foreign qualifications
- It is assumed that learners are competent in Communication and Mathematical Literacy at NQF Level 1.
- A good command of English.

Further studies after **National Certificate: New Venture Creation**

What is the articulation pathway for me once I have completed this full-time course? In other words, what is the possible next step when I have received this qualification? Once you have obtained this qualification in **New Venture Creation**, you have the option of entering the world of work immediately, or of continuing with further study in the field of **New Venture Creation** (NQF Level 4) with us.

What are my next steps?

If you require more information before deciding if this is the course for you, or if you would like to find out what other options we have available, please contact our call centre on: • Landline: 041 450 2550, or Mobile: 063 236 0351 • E-mail: educol@iafrica.com If you have decided that this is the course for you, then please... • Complete the application form. • Pay the course fees in full or the deposit required. • Submit all your supporting documentation to prove that you meet the entrance criteria for this course as set out in the pre-requisites above. • Send all of the above documentation to: » educol@iafrica.com We look forward to welcoming you as a student at Ed-U Options Academy Campus.