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Lesson Element

Cash Flow Forecast

Instructions and answers for teachers

These instructions should accompany the OCR resource 'Cash Flow Forecast' activity which supports OCR A Level Business.



The Activity:

Cash Flow Forecast Activity



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This activity offers an opportunity for maths skills development.

ICT Opportunity:

Create the cash flow forecast on a spreadsheet.





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Have a go

Create a cash flow forecast table which must include the following:

- Income
- Expenditure
- Balance brought forward (opening balance)
- Balance carried forward (closing balance)
- The months from September-February

This cash flow is for a toy shop called Tots Toys.

Add in the following data:

- The shop estimates the following cash sales each month: September - £2500
 - October £3500
 - November £5000
 - December £5500
 - January £1000
 - February £1500
- The stock is bought on 1 months credit, in each month the shop estimates ordering: August - £1000
 - September £1500
 - October £2000
 - November £3000
 - December £1000
 - January £1000
- The Balance brought forward (opening balance) for August is £5000
- The Staff have wages of £1000 per month to be paid
- The Utilities bills are paid every three months (Jan, Apr, July, Oct) and are £500
- The mortgage repayment is £1200 each month

Extension

In October the shop roof starts to leak and must be repaired immediately. It costs £5000 which the owner claims on the insurance. Unfortunately the insurance money will not be paid until January. Will the business be able to pay for the repairs?







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