

Partnership between Newcastle University and EDI

How Newcastle University has worked with EDI to develop an innovative product for potential maths degree students

Newcastle University is one of the top 20 universities in the UK and part of the elite Russell Group. Boasting first class teaching and excellent research facilities, the university has a cosmopolitan city-centre based campus, excellent sports and leisure facilities and a tradition of welcoming students from all over the world.

During 2007 and 2008, Newcastle University and EDI worked together to develop NUEntry, a CD-based self study mathematics qualification which prepares students for studying degree level mathematics in the UK. Students who pass the final assessment can use the certificate to support an application to Newcastle University's Mathematics or Engineering faculties.

Primarily aimed at anyone seeking to undertake Mathematics or Engineering degrees at Newcastle University, NUEntry is also ideal for students who simply wish to improve their mathematics ability or wish to familiarise themselves with the delivery style of UK university programmes.

The NUEntry CD contains:

- Lecture notes and videos of actual first year lectures at Newcastle University
- Practice tests at the end of each module
- Final 'mock examination'

Students will need a B2 level of English to undertake the programme.

Students will receive feedback on their strengths and weaknesses following the practice tests and final mock examination, allowing them to measure their progress. Technical and academic support is provided by email throughout the programme.

Having completed the programme, students can then take a final examination online at an approved examination centre. If successful, they will receive a certificate of achievement from Newcastle University, giving them a head start in an application to study Mathematics or Engineering at Newcastle University.

What are the benefits?

- Enables students to improve their mathematics skills
- Provides entry route to Higher Education in the UK
- Certificate denotes high standard of mathematics



- Easy to use
- Feedback after every practice test and mock examination
- Online technical and academic support throughout the programme
- Value for money

For more information, please contact EDI's enquiries team or your local LCCI agent.



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