

# CIMA 2017

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The future of personalised accounting exam success



# Welcome to HTFT Partnership

Welcome to HTFT Partnership, **the future of personalised accounting exam success.**

We offer a range of courses towards CIMA professional qualifications and we believe our students should not view their study as being separate to the workplace but rather should understand how they will utilise their studies in their day-to-day work and be able to contextualise their studies as being supportive in their development as fully qualified finance professionals.

The HTFT Partnership approach is to ensure the programmes we deliver fits with the busy work times of our clients and supports them in developing as good professionals.

Different students have different learning styles. Our programmes ensure that all learning styles are addressed. All HTFT students will be encouraged to think for themselves and all tutors will put that into context as part of the approach to achieving the CIMA qualification.

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## Why study with HTFT?

HTFT Partnership was formed with the aim of leading the **future of personalised accounting exam success**. By studying with us you will benefit from:

- **Dedicated tutor support:** you will be assigned to a dedicated tutor per course who will be available to you via phone, email and online through our community
- **Flexible learning options:** classroom, home study and online courses that are all recorded and available on a rewind and re-play basis through our online community
- **Prize winning tutors:** two of our expert tutors have won PQ Magazine private sector lecturer of the year in 2007 and 2010
- **Exam-focused tuition and revision notes:** our tutors write their own exam-focused notes, using their knowledge and experience of the syllabus and the papers
- **Our online community:** HTFT have an online community for our students where you will be able to access recordings, submit mock exams, ask questions, and talk to your tutor

**HTFT's innovative 'protected' pass guarantee:** a lifetime pass guarantee based on the submission of 3 mocks all scoring over 50% - although students are allowed to re-submit each mock until they score over 50% - securing the pass guarantee and developing exam techniques.

## HTFT's 'Flipping the Classroom'

Through our Flipping the Classroom model we assign our lectures as homework, and what would be homework is covered in our masterclasses.

In traditional lectures, trainees try to capture what is being said at the instant the tutor says it. They are unable to stop and reflect upon the knowledge being imparted, and they may miss significant points because they are trying to write down the tutor's words.

By contrast, in Flipping the Classroom, our trainees access pre-recorded videos that they control (they can watch, rewind, pause and fast-forward as needed) prior to attending the masterclass sessions, where 'in-class' time is devoted to application of knowledge.

The value of our flipped classroom is both in allowing trainees to watch the recordings and learn at a time and pace that suit them, in addition to repurposing masterclass time into activities where trainees test their skills and apply their knowledge – delivering a full mastering of skills.

# Flipping the classroom

# HTFT's Packages for 2017

We, at HTFT Partnership, are 100% committed to digital delivery.

We look to harness the power of the internet, and the multi device world, to create innovative content and delivery models that reflect how young people learn and puts learning and mastering first.

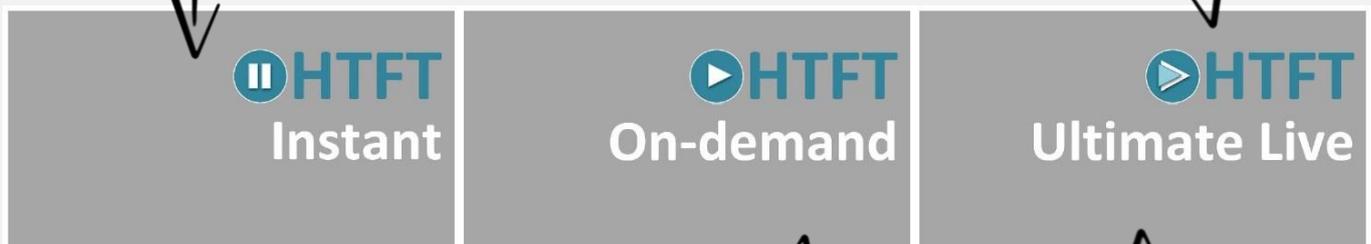
We are constantly innovating, adding new courses and teaching methods at every possible opportunity. This allows HTFT to be at the forefront of online learning, and coupled with our instant student feedback, ensures we blaze a trail in the delivery of professional accountancy training.

As such, our packages for 2017 are **HTFT Instant**; **HTFT On-demand**; and **HTFT Ultimate Live**:

With **HTFT Instant**, you get immediate access to pre-recorded videos covering the syllabus content.

Think of a TV Boxset that you can choose what you watch, when you watch it and for how long.

With **HTFT Ultimate**, you get all the pre-recorded videos that accompany a paper along with personal invites to the live online sessions.



With **HTFT On-demand**, you get immediate access to pre-recorded videos covering the syllabus content in addition to being provided with the recordings of any live masterclasses or sessions that take place.

In addition, students on our **Ultimate Live package** are covered by our **Pass Guarantee**.

In continuing the TV Boxset analogy, think director's cut with additional commentary delving deeper into the content.

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# Chartered Institute of Management Accountants

The CIMA Professional Qualification provides more strategy, more management accounting and more relevance across a broad business perspective than any other professional accountancy qualification. So as well as giving you expertise in finance, it provides you with the skills to make key decisions in business and advise others of the financial implications.

The CIMA qualification is split into two levels, the **CIMA Certificate in Business Accounting** and the **CIMA Chartered Global Management Accounting Qualification**.

- The CIMA Certificate in Business Accounting is an entry level qualification consisting of five subjects. You must complete the Certificate level exams (or be exempt) before you can study for the chartered qualification.
- The CIMA Chartered Global Management Accounting Qualification is built on three learning pillars across three levels. There are three Objective Test papers and one Integrated Case Study at each level (Operational, Management and Strategic).

 CIMA

## The 2015 CIMA Syllabus Change

CIMA is introducing an updated syllabus for its professional qualification and new assessment methods which will take effect from January 2015.

The 2015 syllabus is competency-based retaining the 2010 syllabus structure with its pillars and levels. CIMA have added new material such as 'Big Data', sustainability, integrated reporting and finance function transformation. CIMA have strengthened existing themes on costing and cost management, and carried the topic of 'risk' through all levels of the syllabus. CIMA have also adjusted the weightings of some syllabus topics.

As a result of this change, in the new syllabus you will be required to achieve a minimum of 70% on the new Objective Tests and 60% on the Integrated Case Studies in order to pass.

## CIMA Certificate in Business Accounting

The CIMA Certificate in Business Accounting is ideal for people who are new to the world of business qualifications because it offers a solid grounding in the basics of management accounting, financial accounting and business. It is also a stepping stone towards the CIMA Professional Qualification.

The revised CIMA Certificate in Business Accounting has two purposes: to serve as an entry route to the Professional Qualification; and to provide a stand-alone qualification for those who require a foundation in the essential elements of accounting and business.

The qualification has been revised with closer linking to the three learning pillars of the Professional Qualification – Enterprise, Performance and Financial. A fourth subject, Fundamentals of Ethics, Corporate Governance and Business Law underpins both the Certificate in Business Accounting and CIMA’s entire Qualification Framework.



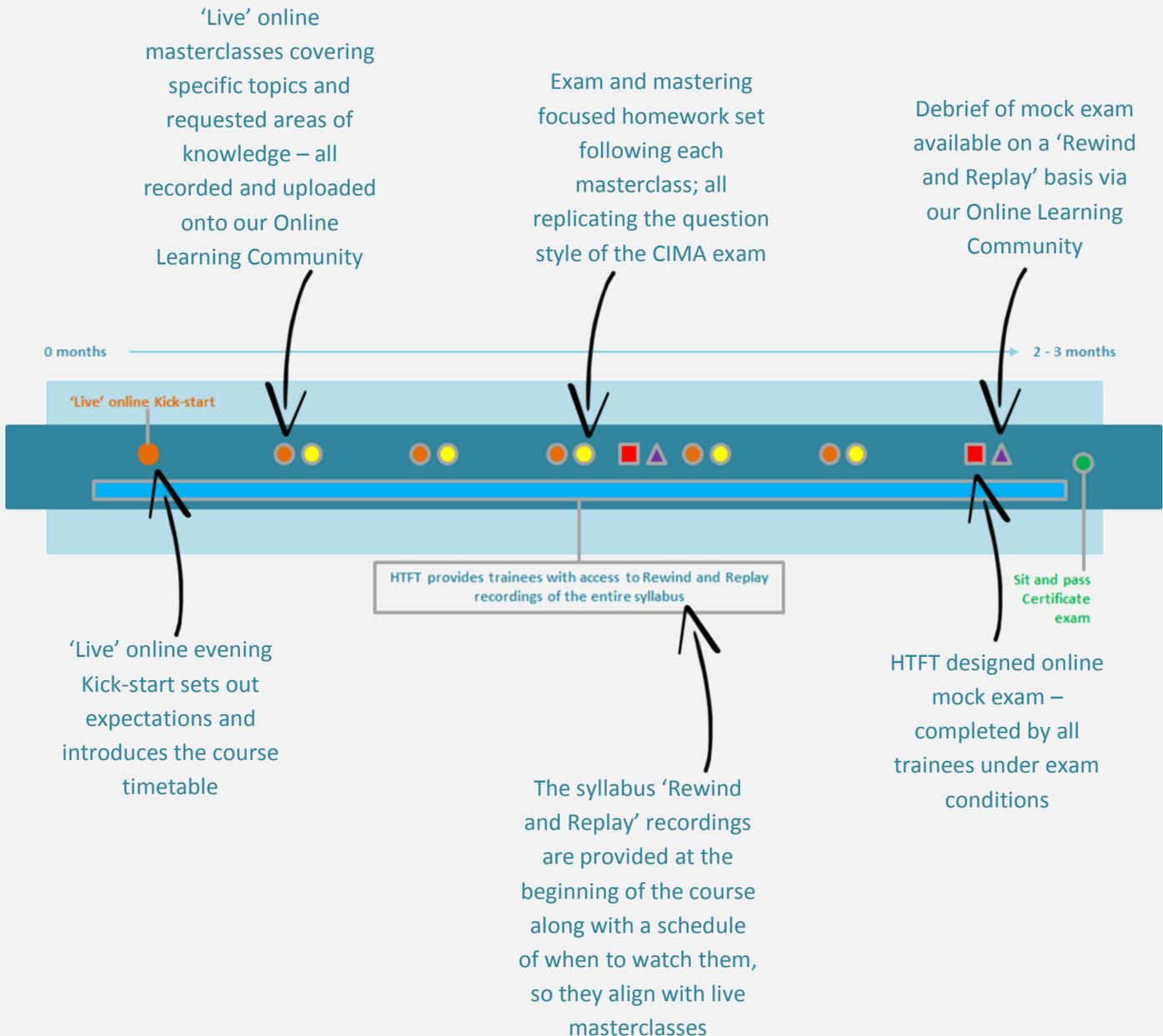
Your performance is tested by Computer Based Assessment (CBA), which offers three main benefits; you can be assessed at your nearest CBA centre whenever you’re ready, your results and feedback are available immediately and if you need to, you can re-sit at a time and place that suits you.

*“As a student the flexibility HTFT offers is what makes it ideal for me, effectively the course is focused around me!”*

– NS, HTFT student



# HTFT's Certificate in Business Accounting offer



## Certificate in Business Accounting packages

We have created three distinct packages for CIMA Certificate in Business Accounting:



Everybody has a different learning style and our packages reflect this to give you greater choice in how you learn.

Our CIMA Certificate packages for 2017 are:

	 Instant	 On Demand	 Ultimate Live
Access to HTFT Online Learning Community	✓	✓	✓
Full syllabus via 'Rewind and Replay' recordings	✓	✓	✓
HTFT Partnership study notes	✓	✓	✓
HTFT Partnership annotated study notes	✓	✓	✓
Invites to live online evening masterclasses			✓
Homework after each masterclass – marked, and debriefed by your tutor			✓
'Rewind and Replay' recordings of live masterclasses		✓	✓
2 x HTFT Partnership online mock exams		✓	✓
Individual mock debriefs via 'Rewind and Replay' recordings		✓	✓
1 x HTFT Partnership online mock exam	✓		
CIMA approved study text, exam kit and pocket notes			✓
<b>HTFT Partnership pass guarantee</b>			✓
<b>Certificate (BA1, BA2, BA3, BA4)</b>	<b>£120</b>	<b>£200</b>	<b>£350</b>

Access to our Online Learning Community, full syllabus recordings and HTFT's own study notes are standard across all packages.

The addition of Mock exams, debriefs of these mocks and access to the Rewind and Replay recordings of our masterclasses take you to our **On-demand** package.

Our **Ultimate Live** package provides you with the opportunity to log in **live** to our highly interactive masterclasses. Our masterclasses have been designed to engage you in practice driven activities, working with your tutor to apply knowledge and gain feedback.

\* all prices are for one paper and are inclusive of VAT

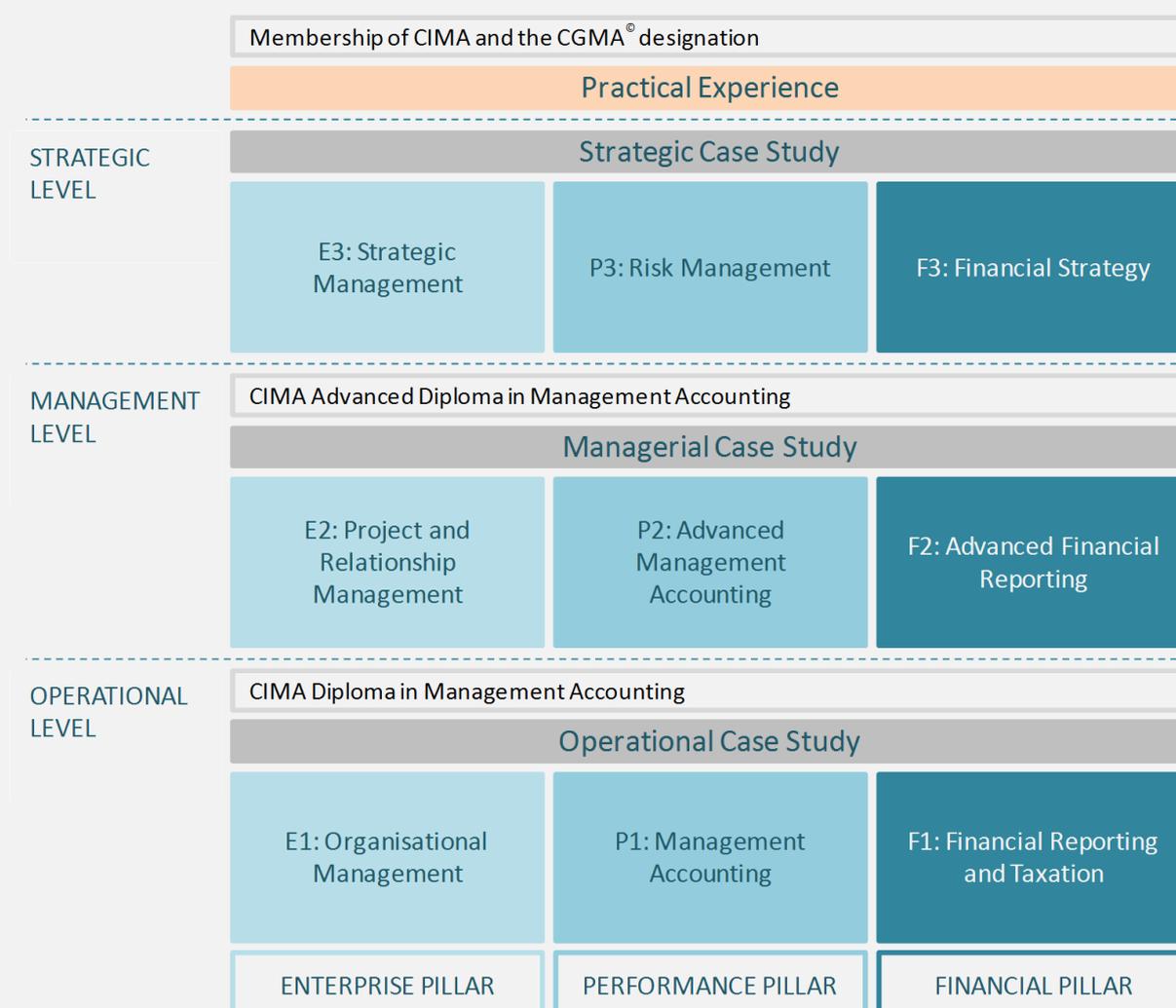
# CIMA Chartered Global Management Accountant

The CIMA professional qualification comprises three pillars of domain knowledge divided into three levels of achievement. The syllabus and related assessment will ensure that CIMA qualified finance professionals are competent in their accounting, finance and other skills, and confident in using them to add value to their employer.

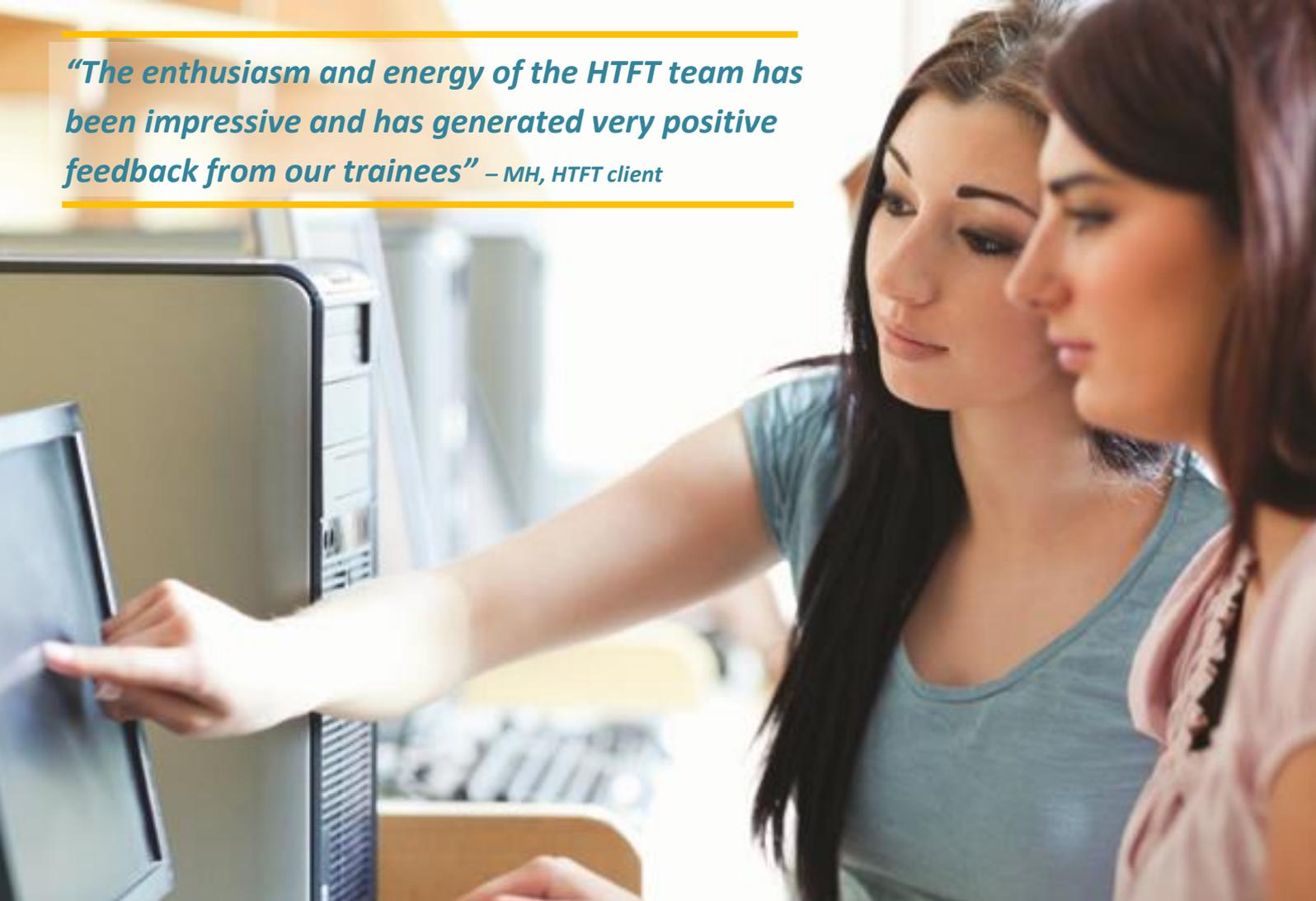
To complete the CIMA qualification, and be able to use the Chartered Global Management Accountant (CGMA<sup>®</sup>) designation, trainees need to:

- Meet the entry requirement of the professional level qualification
- Study for and complete the relevant professional level assessment, culminating in the Strategic Case Study exam
- Complete three years of relevant practical experience

There are 9 Objective Test Papers (E, P and F at each level) and 3 Integrated Case Studies.



*“The enthusiasm and energy of the HTFT team has been impressive and has generated very positive feedback from our trainees” – MH, HTFT client*



## HTFT's approach to mastering

The new CIMA 2015 syllabus is a radical and brave change. Technology is fully embraced by the professional body with the end of the paper-based exam.

The 70% pass mark for the Objective Test papers means the traditional approach to study is no longer fit for purpose. Students will need to master the subjects. The Integrated Case Study is based on the three underpinning subjects – again the students need to have ‘mastered’ the syllabus.

A flipped classroom was introduced by the Khan Academy as a proven approach to mastering technical subjects.

Through our flipping classroom, our trainees access pre-recorded videos that they control (they can watch, rewind, pause and fast-forward as needed) prior to attending the masterclass sessions, where ‘in-class’ time is devoted to application of knowledge.

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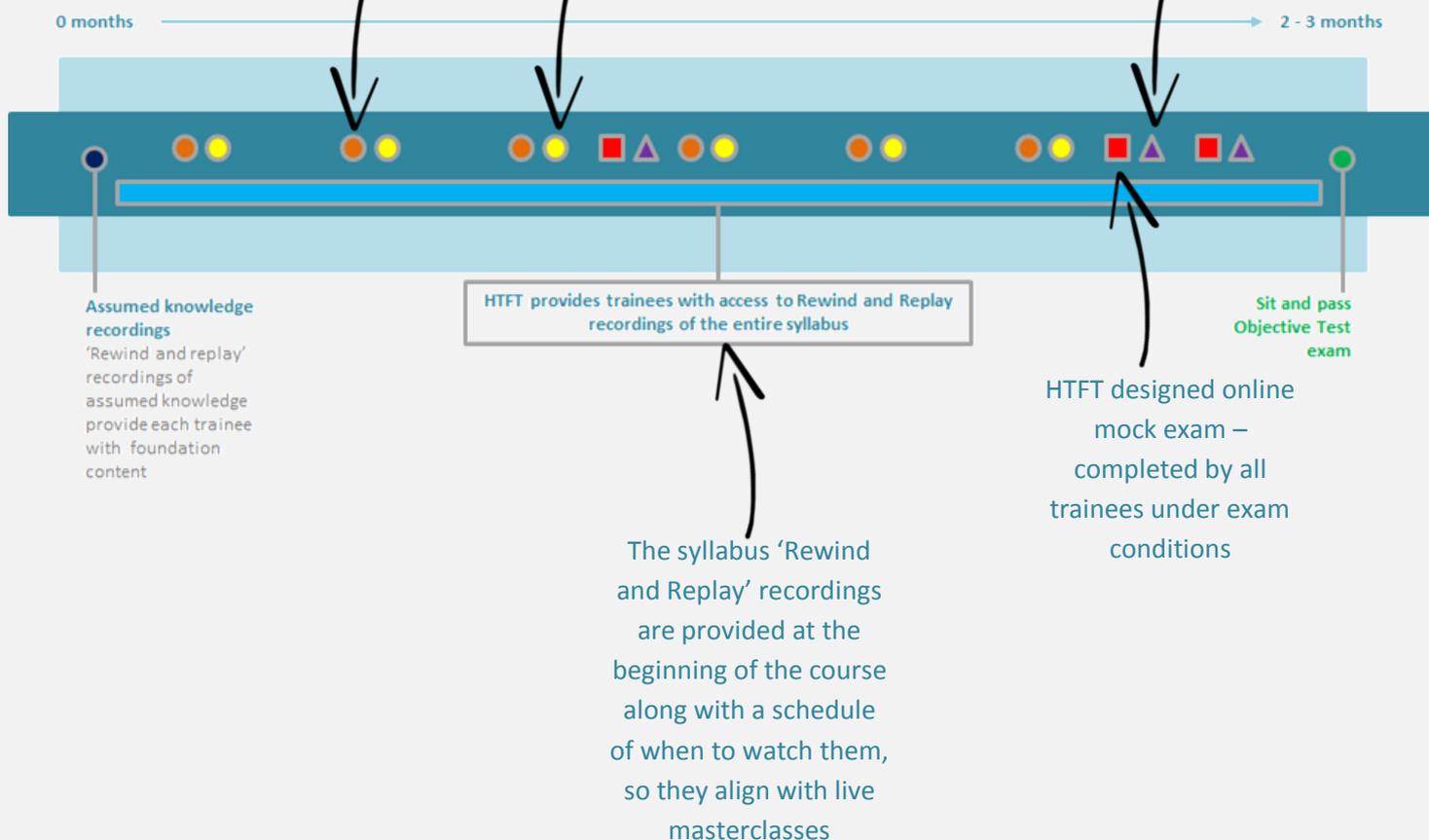
## Mastering

# HTFT's Objective Test offer

6 'Live' weekly online masterclasses covering specific topics and requested areas of knowledge – all recorded and uploaded onto our Online Learning Community

Exam and mastering focused homework set following each masterclass; all replicating the question style of the CIMA exam

Debrief of mock exam available on a 'Rewind and Replay' basis via our Online Learning Community



## HTFT's Objective Test packages

We have created three distinct packages for CIMA Objective Papers:



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Our CIMA Objective Papers packages for 2017 are:

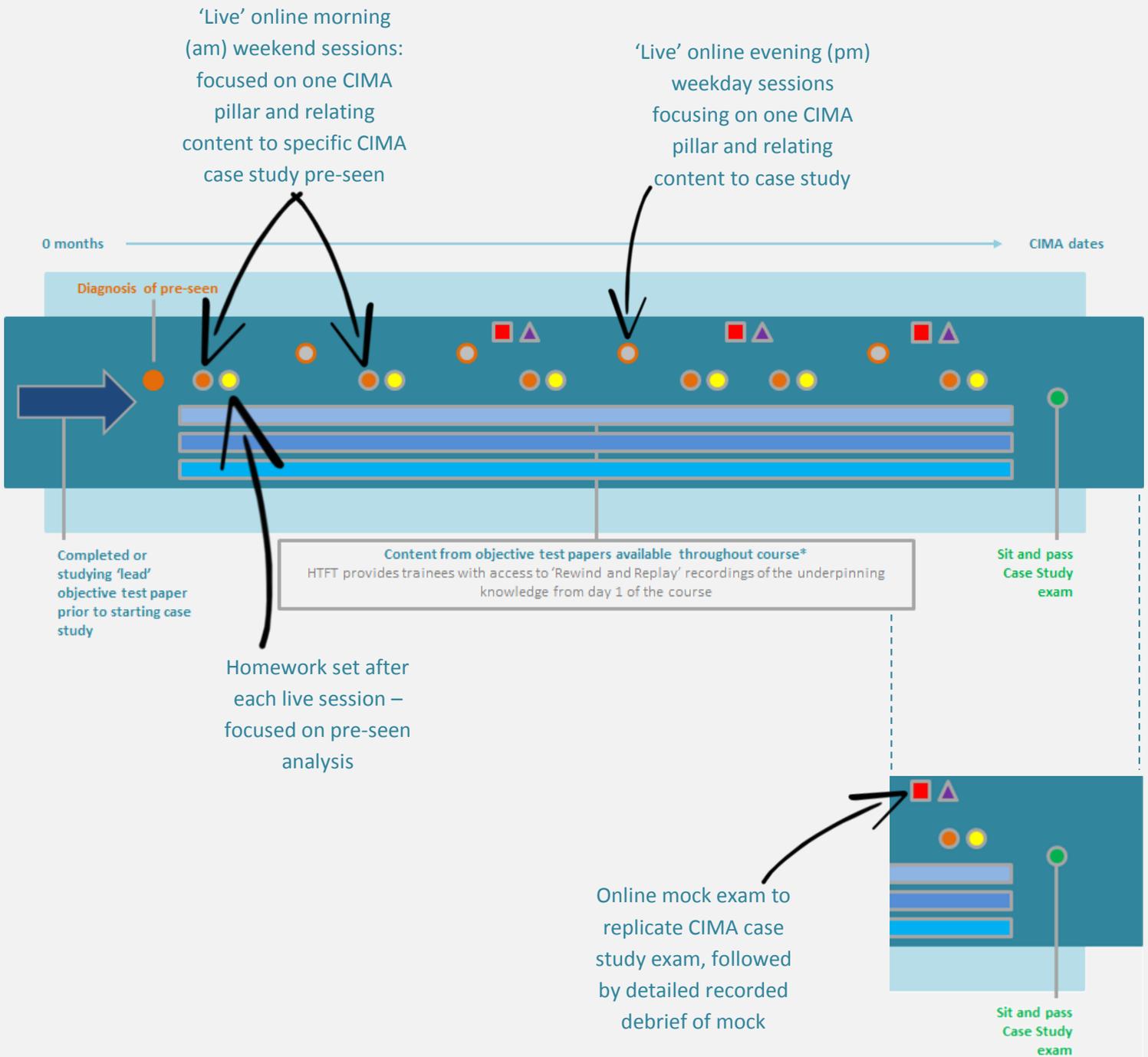
	 Instant	 On Demand	 Ultimate Live
Access to HTFT Online Learning Community	✓	✓	✓
Full syllabus via 'Rewind and Replay' recordings	✓	✓	✓
HTFT Partnership study notes	✓	✓	✓
HTFT Partnership annotated study notes	✓	✓	✓
Invites to live online evening masterclasses			✓
Homework after each masterclass – marked, and debriefed by your tutor			✓
'Rewind and Replay' recordings of live masterclasses		✓	✓
2 x HTFT Partnership online mock exams		✓	✓
Individual mock debriefs via 'Rewind and Replay' recordings		✓	✓
1 x HTFT Partnership online mock exam	✓		
CIMA approved study text, exam kit and pocket notes			✓
<b>HTFT Partnership pass guarantee</b>			✓
<b>Operational (E1, F1, P1)</b>	<b>£250</b>	<b>£475</b>	<b>£590</b>
<b>Management (E2, F2, P1)</b>	<b>£250</b>	<b>£495</b>	<b>£660</b>
<b>Strategic (E3, F3, P3)</b>	<b>£250</b>	<b>£505</b>	<b>£730</b>

Access to our Online Learning Community, full syllabus recordings and HTFT's own study notes (included annotated versions) are standard across all packages. The addition of Mock exams, debriefs of these mocks and access to the Rewind and Replay recordings of our masterclasses take you to our **On-demand** package.

Our **Ultimate Live** package provides you with the opportunity to log in **live** to our highly interactive masterclasses. Our masterclasses have been designed to engage you in practice driven activities, working with your tutor to apply knowledge and gain feedback.

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# HTFT's Integrated Case Study offer



## HTFT's Integrated Case Study packages

We have created two distinct packages for CIMA Case Study:



Everybody has a different learning style and our packages reflect this to give you greater choice in how you learn.

Our CIMA Case Study packages for 2017 are:

	 On Demand	 Ultimate Live
Access to HTFT Online Learning Community	✓	✓
Assumed knowledge recordings via 'Rewind and Replay' recordings	✓	✓
HTFT Partnership study notes	✓	✓
HTFT Partnership annotated study notes	✓	✓
Invites to live online weekend and evening masterclasses		✓
'Rewind and Replay' recordings of live masterclasses	✓	✓
3 x HTFT Partnership online mock exams	✓	✓
Individual mock debriefs via 'Rewind and Replay' recordings	✓	✓
CIMA approved case study text		✓
<b>HTFT Partnership pass guarantee</b>		✓
<b>Operational Case Study</b>	<b>£905</b>	<b>£1,250</b>
<b>Management Case Study</b>	<b>£905</b>	<b>£1,360</b>
<b>Strategic Case Study</b>	<b>£910</b>	<b>£1,400</b>

Access to our Online Learning Community, full syllabus recordings and HTFT's own study notes are standard across both packages, along with our Mock exams and the associated debriefs.

With our On-demand package you will gain access to the Rewind and Replay recordings of our weekend and evening sessions – providing you with the ability to re-watch them at a time and pace to suit you.

Our Ultimate Live package provides you with the opportunity to log in **live** to our highly interactive sessions. Our sessions have been designed to focus on CIMA pillars and relate them directly to the CIMA Case Study pre-seen.

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# Online with HTFT



# Timetables

HTFT Partnership: CIMA P3 Timetable

October														November																	
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P3																															

Key to timetable

Objective Test courses

- Pre-course work (recordings) to begin
- 'Live Online' evening masterclass (18:30 - 20:45 GMT)
- HTFT Online mock deadline (Mock 1 always sat to time 6:30pm start)
- Window to sit CIMA exam in to maintain pass guarantee



For our current timetables please visit our website: [www.htftpartnership.co.uk/timetables](http://www.htftpartnership.co.uk/timetables)

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