

# What You Need to Study Business/Branch Management

## Most programs require:

- Grade 12 certificate (NSSCO or NSSCAS)
- Minimum of 20–25 points in your best five subjects
- A D or better in English is often required
- No prior work experience needed for entry-level diplomas or degrees

## Where You Can Study in Namibia

Here are top institutions offering relevant programs:

Institution	Program	Location	Highlights
<a href="#">Namibia University of Science &amp; Technology (NUST)</a>	Bachelor of Business Management	Windhoek	3-year degree; covers leadership, operations, HR, and finance <sup>1</sup>
<a href="#">Namibia Business School (UNAM)</a>	Executive Diplomas & BBA	Windhoek	Offers diplomas and degrees in management, leadership, and operations <sup>2</sup>
<a href="#">IUM – International University of Management</a>	Diploma/Bachelor in Business Administration	National campuses	Practical business training with pathways to management roles
Vocational Training Centres (VTCs)	Office Administration & Business Services	Various towns	Entry-level programs for admin and supervisory roles

## What You'll Learn

Programs typically include:

- Business operations and strategy
- Human resource and team management
- Financial planning and budgeting
- Customer service and sales
- Leadership and decision-making

These are the exact skills needed to run a branch—whether it's in retail, banking, logistics, or hospitality.

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## Career Path to Branch Manager

Here's how your journey might look:

1. Start with a diploma or degree in business or management
2. Gain experience in customer service, admin, or sales
3. Move into supervisory or assistant manager roles
4. Apply for Branch Manager positions in banks, retail chains, logistics firms, or service companies

**1** [www.nust.na](http://www.nust.na)

**2** [www.nbs.edu.na](http://www.nbs.edu.na)