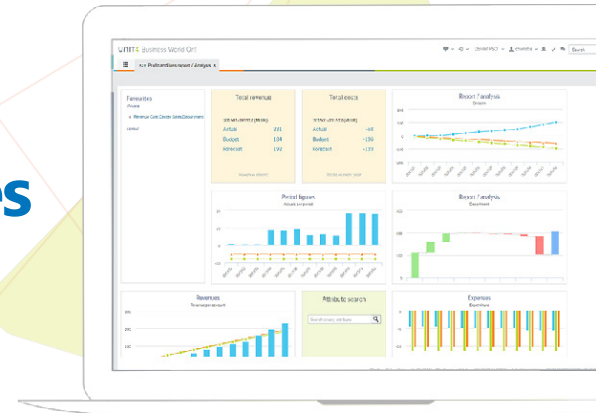


Customer success story:

Smart, connected finance improves education outcomes



The Challenge

Birmingham Metropolitan College (BMet) is a further and higher education college supporting almost 18,000 students across 10 campuses. The college offers a wide range of courses, including A Levels, BTECs, and HND/ foundation degrees.

As BMet acquired and merged with other colleges and campuses, growing geographical sprawl made it difficult for the College's finance team to manage a unified finance ledger. BMet wanted finance to work smarter, putting data at the center of management reporting and decision-making. However, the on-premise Unit4 Dream Financials deployment was also nearing end-of-life.

The Solution

Unit4 Cloud ERP: Finance Management, Project Planning, and Procurement

Customer Name

Birmingham Metropolitan College

Industry

Higher Education

Company Size

18,000 Students

Headquarters

Birmingham, United Kingdom



Finance



Procurement



Budgeting



The Results

“Thanks to Unit4, we have complete visibility and control over each capital project, the schedule, resources invoiced, and cost versus budget. Armed with this insight, BMet can maximise the return on investment and build a college which is fit for the future.”

- Fiona Yardley, Finance Director,
Birmingham Metropolitan College

Key takeaways from the project



Efficiency

12 days annual time saved on management accounting



Accuracy

Monthly forecasts - previously, forecasts were produced quarterly



Agility

20 minutes saved on each expense claim

Final Summary

Agilyx was able to deliver a completely independent ERP solution for Kiwibank, giving them full control over their systems. This was achieved without downtime or adverse user impact, and without any manual requirements of recreating configurations or reloading transactions.

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