## <u>County Durham Future Business Magnates – 2022 Competition Timetable</u>

CHALLENGE	DATE	Report deadline	Challenge length
FBM 2022 Launch	Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2022		
Challenge 1 Building a Business Team	Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February – Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> February 2022	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> February 2022	2 weeks 2 days
Challenge 2 Researching an idea	Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> February – Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> March 2022	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> March 2022	4 weeks
Challenge 3 Turning an idea into a business	Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> March – Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> April 2022	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> April 2022	3 weeks
Challenge 4 Marketing your business	Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> April – Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	3 weeks 3 days
Challenge 5 Funding and Protecting your Business	Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May – Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> June 2022	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> June 2022	2 weeks
Business Plan submission	Completion should be ongoing throughout the whole competition following each challenge	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> June 2022	
Challenge 6 Presenting your business	30 minute slot to be held live via Teams or from Salvus House (restrictions permitting)  Day 1 Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> June 2022  Day 2 Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> June 2022  Day 3 Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June 2022		Preparation should be ongoing throughout the competition
Awards Celebration	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> June 2022	Format and possible venue to be confirmed	