

CHAPTER 4 – Entrepreneurship, Small Business, and New Venture Creation

What is entrepreneurship and small business, and why are they both important to business in Canada?
 What are the 4 major forms of legal business ownership in Canada, and what are the strengths and weaknesses of each form?

Business Case 4 – Canadian Food Court King Expands His Reach

- young entrepreneur opens restaurant (new venture)
- after success, expands small business through franchising
- constantly searches for ways to improve (entrepreneurial mindset)

Questions & Terms	Answers & Definitions
LO 1 What is the meaning and interrelationship of the terms <u>small business</u> , <u>new venture creation</u> , and <u>entrepreneurship</u> ?	<p>Entrepreneurship = finding new idea to address issue/problem</p> <p>↓</p> <p>New venture = raising capital/funding to get operating</p> <p>↓</p> <p>small business = (usually) starts w/ minimal employees</p> <p>↙ ↘</p> <p>small business big business = sometimes develops into larger businesses, sometimes stays small.</p>
small business	<p>< 100 employees, owner-managed (e.g. Mom+Pop store, down 2 earth restaurant) </p>
<u>new venture creation</u>	<p>1) formed recently; 2) sells goods/services (e.g. any startup business, Amazon in 1994, etc.)</p>
<u>entrepreneurship</u>	<p>pursuit of opportunities • taking on financial risk in hopes of profit (e.g. starting a new venture; Facebook)</p>
intrapreneurs	<p><u>Intra</u> • have resources from company • within field</p> <p><u>Entre</u> • new idea/resources • must raise own capital • Any field.</p>
Review	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are some differences between <u>intrapreneurs</u> and <u>entrepreneurs</u>? • How is entrepreneurship linked to new venture creation? • What is an example of new venture creation (what does it look like)?