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Recording Amazon Invoices

Overview

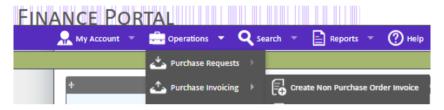
Amazon invoices, which are under the required limit (exclusive of VAT), may be entered directly to the finance system.

There is no budget check using this entry route as it is deemed the purchase has already been made.

If entering Amazon invoices using this route, there are some key things to remember, which are outlined in this section.

I.I. Menu

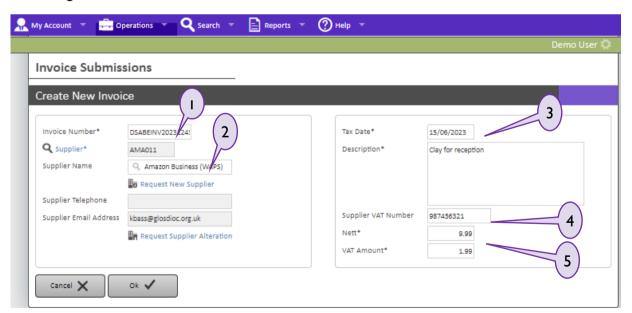
Operations - Purchase Invoicing - Create Non Purchase Order Invoice



Access the non-purchase order invoice menu in the finance portal (Hoge). Core invoice details will need to be entered before the line details. i.e. what has been purchased can be entered.

1.2. Enter the header invoice details

Details relating to the whole invoice are entered in the header area.



Step	Description
I	Enter the Amazon invoice number.
	Please remove all "-", i.e. "dashes" and any blank spaces from the entry, regardless of the length of the invoice number.

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Step	Description
	For example: DS-ABE-INV-2023-1245789 becomes DSABEINV20231245789.
2	Enter the Amazon supplier.
	The supplier can be selected by starting to type the suppliers name in the field, the available options will then be shortlisted.
	Please check that it is the correct amazon supplier, otherwise payments could be made to the incorrect amazon bank details.
	All schools have their own Amazon supplier account that related to their schools Amazon business accounts and related payment details.
3	Enter the invoice date. This is the date on the invoice not the date of entry to the system, which is automatically recorded.
	Payment is calculated based on the invoice date, so it is important to enter the correct date.
4	Enter the Suppliers VAT number.
	This is required for all Amazon invoices as the VAT number changes for each purchase.
	Please do not include the "GB" that prefixes the VAT number.
	If "GB" does not prefix the VAT number on the invoice, then it is unlikely to be UK VAT so please treat as no VAT can be claimed. If in doubt please ask a member of the central finance team.
5	Enter the net and VAT amounts. The Gross will calculate itself.
6	Click on [OK] when complete.
7	If the invoice that is being entered is old, the system may prompt you to check that it is entered correctly, as below. If correct then [Yes], if not then [No] to go back to amend it.
	Continue?
	The tax date 15/06/2023 is over 60 days in the past,
	Do you wish to continue?
	Yes No
8	If the invoice number entered is one that is already recorded on the system for that supplier a duplicate message will be displayed as below.
	Error
	Invoice Number: Duplicate Value:
	The entered invoice number must be unique
	Close
	Do not continue entering the invoice. Do not "change" the invoice number in any way to enter the document. The system checks for the unique reference so it is very likely to be correct.
	An invoice enquiry on existing invoices can be performed to check this is the case. If in doubt please contact the central finance team.

1.3. Enter the invoice line details

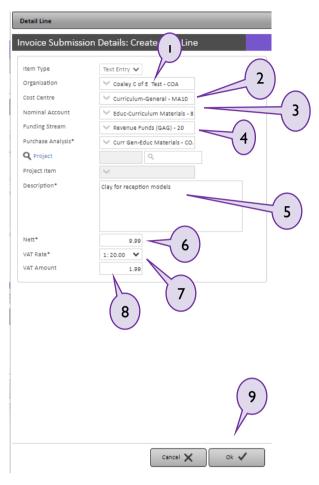
Details relating to the individual cost lines are entered as line details.

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Multiple lines can be entered if more than one items has been purchased and/or more than one combination of cost centres are to be recorded, (i.e. where the goods have been purchased from).

There is no budget entry check for direct invoices as it is simply recording what has been spent.



Step	Description
I	The organisation will default to the user's school.
	Should the individual work in multiple schools the school will need to be selected from the drop down list. If the name of the school is keyed in, the list of available schools will shorten.
2	Enter the cost centre that the goods are to be purchased from.
	If the name of the cost centre is known, then the code or description can be keyed in to shorten the list of those available. For example entering Curriculum will shorten the list to all the curriculum related cost centres.
3	Select the code which represents what is being purchased. For example under curriculum books, materials, educational consultancy etc. may be used.
4	Select the funding stream that the goods are to be purchased from. Most goods will be purchased from GAG (fund 20), unless you are advised otherwise.
	If this is the only option available it will default in.
5	Enter a description of the goods.
	Please do not type in the invoice number as the description of the item(s) purchased.
	Please use a helpful description so your headteacher will know what it is, without the need to drill down to look at the invoice.



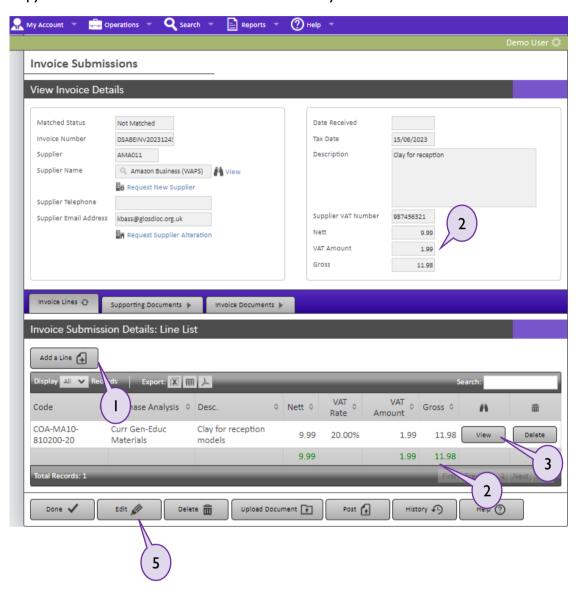
Step	Description
6	Enter the net amount of the invoice.
7	Select the vat rate from the drop down list.
8	The VAT amount is calculated based on the vat rate selected in the previous step. If the amount needs to be amended, then please amend it.
9	When completed, select [OK]. Continue? Is the VAT code and amount correct? Yes No If you have amended the VAT amount you will be prompted to confirm that the entries are correct. If they are not, select [No] and go back and amend them. Select [Yes} if they are correct.

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1.4. Review the invoice entry and complete the posting

If further line detail is required, for example to split the coding, then [Add a line] and repeat the steps above. A copy of the invoice will need to be added before you can submit the invoice.



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I	If further line detail is required, for example to split the coding, then [Add a line] and repeat the steps above.



