# Unit 2 -The 4 Ps!

The Marketing Mix

## Marketing Mix

- Marketing mix refers to four main categories that comprise the marketing strategy.
  - product,
  - price,
  - place, and
  - promotion.

They all begin with the letter P and are often referred to as the "Four P's of Marketing".

### **Product**

- what product to make
  - Market Research
  - Product Innovation (improving an idea or product)
- how to package it (Form Utility size, colour, shape)
- what brand name to use
- what image to project

### Price

- reflect what a customer is willing to pay (target market)
- what competitor's are selling their products for
- what image to project

## Place

- where a product is to be distributed
- how a product is to be distributed

#### Promotion

- how potential customers will find out about a new product
- what the message will be (form and content)
- when and where it will be delivered
- what incentives to buy the new product