

Price + Profit / Call Centre Average New Customer Value





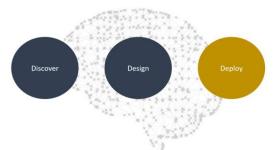
Category: Communication App. Scale Up.

Project: Increase price, proftability and conversion rates Client: School Stream. Australia. New Zealand. India.

The client – a parent to school communication App – needed to increase price to improve profit margins. They hadn't had a price increase for 6 years and feared how it would be received. To meet profitability goals it would need to be with both new + existing customers. It was critical to maintain the customer relationship and the business rank of #1 for customer service. They needed to know:

- 1. The amount of the price increase
- 2. How to present the new pricing
- 3. How to support the call centre sales team to be confident to introduce the new pricing
- 4. How to replicate a price increase with existing customers

Our Behavioural Science Approach



The Behavioural Science Edge



7 Steps in Phase 1:

Call Centre Sales Team – Increase Pricing for New Customers:

- 1. We built a top down and bottom up forecast model to calculate the required price increase.
- 2. All employees were skilled in the core aspects of behavioural science and why *Irrational Pricing Wins!*
- 3. We then identified where to apply cognitive and behavioural 'nudges' most likely to influence behaviour.
- 4. We drafted new pricing options and shared with the Executive and then the Call Centre Team for 'experiential learning and impact'.
- 5. Next we integrated BeSci 'nudges' into the selling script
- Ultimately we designed a powerful pricing and communications approach for the call centre sales team including nudges and cognitive ease.
- 7. A 200% price increase was piloted live keeping a close eye for unintended consequences. Then successfully rolled-out across the team with acceptance from new customers.



Stage 2: Customer Success Team

Increase Pricing for Existing Customers.

Following the success of the price increase to *new* customers, we applied the same process to *existing* customers. For the Customer Success Team nudges were included in the EDM's. A 40% to 60% price increase was implemented successfully for customer renewals.

Stage 3: Regular price increases

Stage 4: Client now confident in running pricing nudge pilots themselves without assistance.

The Real World Challenges

• Staff fear of introducing the new pricing the *first* time. It is critical to hand hold and support any new pricing introduction with staff.

Proven Results

+515%

Increase in average new order value over 3 years

"Average new order value increase of +515%. This alone is a staggering result demonstrating how B.E plays a critical role in any business strategy"

Melissa Bridson
Founder and CEO School Stream

+200%

Increase in price for new customers

+40%

Increase in price for renewals (existing customers) within minimal churn

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