

COURSE OUTLINE

Office Business Technology 100 Beginning Microsoft Word

Catalog Statement

Office Business Technology 100 is a basic introduction to word-processing using Microsoft Word. This is a beginning level course that teaches students how to create, edit, print, and store simple documents. The course also includes formatting, search and replace, creating columns, and headers/footers.

Total Lecture Units: 0.0

Total Laboratory Units: 0.0

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Total Lecture Hours: 48.0

Total Laboratory Hours: 0.0

Total Laboratory Hours To Be Arranged: 0.0

Total Faculty Contact Hours: 48.0

Recommended preparation: ESL030, typing speed of 25wpm, and OBT 070 or equivalent.

Course Entry Expectations

Prior to enrolling in the course, the student should be able to:

- decode short reading passages
- comprehend dialogues, role playing, and lectures
- converse at a functional level adequate for everyday use.
- define a computer and categorize computers;
- explain the difference between application software and system software;
- demonstrate the use of a mouse;
- describe the basic components of a computer.

Course Exit Standards

Upon successful completion of the required coursework, the student will be able to:

- create, edit, save, retrieve, and print documents;
- apply character, paragraph, page, and document formatting;
- apply spell check;
- apply file maintenance on files and folders.

Course Content

Total Faculty Contact Hours = 48.0

Creating, Printing, and Editing Word Documents (4 hours)

Open Microsoft Word

Creating a Word document

Saving a document

Naming a document

Canceling a command

Turning on/off and maneuvering in the task pane

Closing a document

Printing a document

Exiting Word and Windows

Opening a document

Expanding drop down menus

Displaying toolbars

Editing a document

Moving the insertion point with the mouse

Scrolling with the mouse

Moving the insertion point with the keyboard

Saving a document with the mouse

Selecting text

Inserting text with the mouse

Select text with the keyboard

Using the undo and redo buttons

Formatting Characters and Using Help (3 hours)

Formatting characters

Change the font

Using the font dialog box

Adjusting character formatting

Animating text

Changing font and font effects using buttons

Formatting with format painter

Inserting symbols and special characters

Changing the font for symbols

Inserting special characters

Creating ordinals

Using autocomplete

Changing text case

Highlighting text

Insert the date and time

Using help

Getting help using the ask a question text box

Displaying the Microsoft word help task pane

Using screen tips

Formatting Paragraphs (4 hours)

Formatting paragraphs

Changing the alignment of text in paragraphs

Changing alignment at the paragraph dialog box

- Spacing before and after paragraphs
- Indenting text in paragraphs
 - Creating numbered and bulleted paragraphs
 - Applying bullets and numbering using the bullets and numbering dialog box
 - Inserting custom bullets
- Changing line spacing
- Repeating the last action
- Revealing formatting
 - Comparing formatting
- Apply borders and shading
 - Creating a border with the border button
 - Adding borders and shading
- Manipulating tabs
 - Manipulating tabs on the ruler
 - Selecting tabs
 - Moving tabs
 - Deleting tabs
 - Manipulating tabs at the tabs dialog box
 - Clearing tabs
 - Setting tabs
 - Setting leader tabs
- Formatting Documents and Sections (**6 hours**)
 - Preparing multiple-page documents
 - Changing the view
 - Changing the margins
 - Changing page orientation
 - Inserting hard page break
 - Previewing a document imprint preview
 - Inserting a section break
 - Changing the document zoom
 - Displaying the full screen
 - Changing the reading layout view
 - Navigating in reading layout view
 - Customizing the reading layout view
 - Vertically aligning text
 - Using the click and type feature
 - Creating newspaper columns
 - Formatting sections
 - Creating newspaper columns with the columns button
 - Creating newspapers columns with the columns dialog box
 - Inserting a columns and/or page break
 - Balancing columns on a page
 - Editing text in columns
 - Removing column formatting
 - Checking the spelling and grammar of a document
 - Editing while spelling checking
 - Displaying word, paragraph, and character counts
 - Customizing autocorrect

- Adding words to autocorrect
- Deleting words from autocorrect dialog box

- Using the thesaurus

Maintaining Documents (**6 hours**)

- Maintaining documents

- Creating a folder
- Renaming a folder
- Selecting documents
- Deleting documents and folders
- Deleting to the recycle bin
- Copying documents
- Sending documents to a different drive or folder
- Cutting and pasting a document
- Deleting a folder and its contents
- Opening documents
- Printing documents
- Closing documents
- Saving a document in a different format

- Working with blocks of text

- Deleting a block of text
- Moving a block of text
- Copying a block of text

- Using the office clipboard a. pasting text using the past special dialog box

- Insert one document into another

- Working with windows

- Arranging windows
- Maximizing, restoring, and minimizing documents
- Splitting a window
- Comparing documents side by side

- Cutting and pasting text between windows

- Printing documents

- Printing specific text on pages
- Printing multiple copies

- Printing envelopes

- Printing labels

- Changing label options

- Viewing, modifying, printing document properties

Customizing Documents (**5 hours**)

- Using autotext

- Inserting a built-in autotext entry
- Creating an autotext entry
- Saving an autotext entry
- Inserting an autotext entry
- Editing/deleting an autotext entry

- Creating a header or footer

- Formatting a header or footer
- Editing a header or footer
- Deleting a header or footer

- Create different headers/footers in a document
 - Creating a first page header/footer
 - Creating a header/footer for odd/even pages
- Insert page numbering in a document
 - Deleting page numbering
 - Modifying page numbering format
- Finding and replacing text
 - Finding text
 - Finding and replacing text
 - Choosing find check box options
 - Finding and replacing formatting
- Navigating in a document
- Using templates and wizards
 - Creating a document using a template
 - Creating a document using a wizard
- Sharing documents
 - Creating comments
 - Tracking changes to a document
 - Comparing and merging documents
- Creating Tables and Charts (**5 hours**)
 - Creating a table
 - Entering text in cells
 - Moving the insertion point within a table
 - Selecting cells
 - Selecting in a table with the mouse
 - Selecting in a table with the keyboard
 - Selecting cells with the table drop-down menu
 - Formatting a table
 - Adding borders and shading
 - Changing column width
 - Changing table size with the resize handle
 - Changing row height
 - Changing cell alignment
 - Aligning a table
 - Changing cell margin measurements
 - Inserting rows
 - Inserting columns
 - Deleting cell, rows, or columns
 - Deleting cell content
 - Merging and splitting cells
 - Formatting with autofformat
 - Converting text to tables
 - Creating a table using the tables and borders toolbar
 - Moving a table
 - Creating a chart with data in a word table
 - Sizing and moving a chart
 - Changing the chart type
 - Changing the data series

- Adding chart elements
- Enhancing Documents with Special Features (**7 hours**)
 - Creating diagrams and organizational charts
 - Insert images in a document
 - Narrowing a search
 - Sizing an image
 - Formatting images with buttons on the picture toolbar
 - Moving an image
 - Formatting images at the format picture dialog box
 - Drawing shapes, lines, and text boxes
 - Applying styles
 - Applying styles with the style button
 - Clearing formatting
 - Applying styles with options at the styles and formatting task pane
 - Formatting text with style gallery
 - Creating an outline
 - Assigning headings
 - Collapsing and expanding outline headings
 - Organizing an outline

Methods of Instruction

The following methods of instruction may be used in this course:

- classroom lecture and demonstration;
- hands on computer exercises;
- group discussion.

Out of Class Assignments

Not Applicable

Methods of Evaluation

The following methods of evaluation may be used in this course:

- skill exercises at end of each chapter.
- final exam.

Textbooks

Rutkosky, Nita. *Benchmark Series Microsoft Word 2013 Level 1*. St. Paul: EMCParadigm, 2014. Print.
10th Grade Textbook Reading Level. ISBN: 978-0-76385-387-7

Student Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the required coursework, the student will be able to:

- demonstrate the ability to create, edit, save, and print documents;

- apply document formatting;
- demonstrate the ability to create and format tables;
- demonstrate the ability to create source and data documents for mail merge;
- demonstrate the ability to align graphic elements and images.