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Microsoft® Office Word 2021: Part 1

Course Specifications

Course Number: 091166

Course Length:

1 day

Course Description

Overview:

These days, most people take electronic word processing for granted. While we may still write out our grocery lists with pen and paper, we expect to use a computer to create the majority of our documents. It's impossible to avoid word-processing software in many areas of the business world. Managers, lawyers, clerks, reporters, and editors rely on this software to do their jobs. Whether you are an executive secretary or a website designer, you'll need to know the ins and outs of electronic word processing.

Microsoft® Word 2021 is designed to help you move smoothly through the task of creating professional-looking documents. Its rich features and powerful tools can make your work easy, and even fun. In this course, you'll learn how to use Word 2021 to create and edit simple documents; format documents; add tables and lists; add design elements and layout options; and proof documents.

This course covers Microsoft Office Specialist Program exam objectives to help you prepare for the Word Associate (Office 365 and Office 2021): Exam MO-100 and Word Expert (Office 365 and Office 2021): Exam MO-101 certifications.

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Course Objectives:

In this course, you will learn fundamental Word skills.

You will:

- Navigate and perform common tasks in Word, such as opening, viewing, editing, saving, and printing documents, and configuring the application.
- Format text and paragraphs.
- Perform repetitive operations efficiently using tools such as Find and Replace, Format Painter, and Styles.
- Enhance lists by sorting, renumbering, and customizing list styles.
- Create and format tables.
- Insert graphic objects into a document, including symbols, special characters, illustrations, pictures, and clip art.
- Format the overall appearance of a page through page borders and colors, watermarks, headers and footers, and page layout.
- Use Word features to help identify and correct problems with spelling, grammar, readability, and accessibility.

Target Student:

This course is intended for students who want to learn basic Word 2021 skills, such as creating, editing, and formatting documents; inserting simple tables and creating lists; and employing a variety of techniques for improving the appearance and accuracy of document content.

Prerequisites:

To ensure your success in this course, you should have end-user skills with any current version of Windows®, including being able to start programs, switch between programs, locate saved files, close programs, and access websites using a web browser. To meet this prerequisite, you can take any one or more of the following Logical Operations courses:

- Using Microsoft® Windows® 10 (Second Edition)
- Microsoft[®] Windows[®] 10: Transition from Windows[®] 7

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Course-specific Technical Requirements

Hardware:

For this course, you will need one computer for each student and one for the instructor. Each computer will need the following minimum hardware configurations:

- 1.6 GHz or faster 32-bit or 64-bit dual-core processor
- 2 gigabyte (GB) RAM (32-bit) or 4 GB RAM (64-bit)
- 25 GB available disk space
- DirectX 10 graphics card and a 1,280 × 576 or higher resolution monitor (1,280 x 768 resolution or higher monitor recommended)
- Keyboard and mouse (or other pointing device)
- Network cards and cabling for local network access
- Internet access (contact your local network administrator)
- Printer (optional) or an installed printer driver
- Projection system to display the instructor's computer screen

Software:

- Microsoft® Windows® 10 Professional or Enterprise
- Microsoft® Office 2021

Course Content

Lesson 1: Getting Started with Word 2021

Topic A: Navigate in Microsoft Word

Topic B: Create and Save Word Documents

Topic C: Manage Your Workspace

Topic D: Edit Documents

Topic E: Preview and Print Documents

Topic F: Customize the Word Environment

Lesson 2: Formatting Text and Paragraphs

Topic A: Apply Character Formatting

Topic B: Control Paragraph Layout

Topic C: Align Text Using Tabs

Topic D: Display Text in Bulleted or Numbered Lists

Topic E: Apply Borders and Shading

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Lesson 3: Working More Efficiently **Topic A:** Make Repetitive Edits **Topic B:** Apply Repetitive Formatting **Topic C:** Use Styles to Streamline Repetitive Formatting Tasks

Lesson 4: Managing Lists **Topic A:** Sort a List **Topic B:** Format a List

Lesson 5: Adding Tables Topic A: Insert a Table Topic B: Modify a Table Topic C: Format a Table Topic D: Convert Text to a Table

Lesson 6: Inserting Graphic Objects **Topic A:** Insert Symbols and Special Characters **Topic B:** Add Images to a Document

Lesson 7: Controlling Page Appearance **Topic A:** Apply a Page Border and Color **Topic B:** Add Headers and Footers **Topic C:** Control Page Layout **Topic D:** Add a Watermark

Lesson 8: Preparing to Publish a Document Topic A: Check Spelling, Grammar, and Readability Topic B: Use Research Tools Topic C: Check Accessibility Topic D: Save a Document to Other Formats

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Appendix A: Mapping Course Content to Word Associate (Office 365 and Office 2021): Exam MO-100

Appendix B: Mapping Course Content to Word Expert (Office 365 and Office 2021): Exam MO-101

Appendix C: Microsoft® Office Word 2021 Common Keyboard Shortcuts