# SAULT COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS & TECHNOLOGY

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COURSE OUTLINE! SAULT oTf./Wu"SIE

Course Outline	MACHINE TRANSCRIPTION
Code No.:	MTC 200
Program:	OFFICE ADMINISTRATION
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#### CALENDAR DESCRIPTION

#### MACHINE TRANSCRIPTION

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#### PREREQUISITE;

Typing 110 and English 118 (Developmental English)

### PHILOSOPHy/GOAL:

Students will demonstrate through actual transcription of unfamiliar tyj copy their ability to:

- operate mechanical transcription equipment
- use proofreading and editing skills (including the areas of grammatical structure, spelling, punctuation, vocabulary suitable to context, correct setup formats)
- -\* follow dictated instructions
- produce clean copy (professional corrections, etc.)

within a time-limited setting.

#### PROCEDURE;

Students will transcribe correspondence, reports, etc-, with an aim to producing mailable copy from unfamiliar taped dictation.

- Step 1 students will be assigned tape-correlated homework assignments to be completed prior to classroom presentation of tape.
- Step 2 students will transcribe tape using text and dictionary referen materials where required.
- Step 3 student feedback and reinforcement will be in the form of eithe instructor marked or self-checked completed transcription.
- Step 4 any student experiencing difficulty (as determined by the instructor) may be assigned extra remedial work in any form deei necessary by instructor. Example - remedial spelling program, extra machine transcription tapes, speed and accuracy typing tapes, etc. Remedial assignments are considered part of the required course material.

This course covers 16 weeks of 50-minute class sessions held three times per week.

Final" — jraae will oe established on *the* basis of the average of the graaes attained (marking scale below) using the best 5 out of the 5 unannounced instructor-preselected tapes completed during the regular class sessions.

All test tapes done in regular class time will receive obtained grade, Ii a 3taaent is not aole to transcrioe a tape because of illness, or a legitimate emergency<sup>^</sup> that student <u>must</u> contact the instructor <u>prior</u> to tr class and proviae an explanation which is acceptable to the instructor (medical certificates or other appropriate proof may be required). In cases where the" student has contacted the instructor, and v<sup>^</sup>here the reasor is not classified as an emergency, i.e. slept in, forgot, etc., the stu;."er may maKe the tape up at the end of the course at the instructor's discretion. In cases where the student has not contacted the instructor, the student will receive a mark of "0" on that tape.

#### GxiADlUG:

- proofreading errors = -5
- spelling errors (including word division) = -5
- punctuation (minor error) = -1/2
- punctuation (major error eg. proper noun or end of sentence) = -5
- all other errors (poor corrections, no enclosure notation, uncorrected
- carbon copy errors, etc.} = -2
- formatting error (minor) = -2
- formatting error (major) = -5

GRADING SYSTEii:

95 - 100% = A-f 85 - 94%" = A 70 - 84% = B 60 - 69% = CBelow 60% = R (repeat course)

#### TEXT/MATERIALS:

Machine Transcription in Modern Business, 2nd Ed. (Meyer-Moyer)
(1) Manilla File Folder - lettersize only
(1) DICTAPHONE brand headset
Dictionary - current
Tne Gregg Reference Manual (Sabin, 0'i>Jeill)
Typing paper - i^OT corrasable bond
iirasing/Correction materials
NOTE: STUDENTS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED INTO CLASS WITHOUT DICTIONARY OR TEXT