

COURSE OUTLINE: OAD126 - DESKTOP PUBLISHING

Prepared: Minttu Kamula

Approved: Sherri Smith, Chair, Natural Environment, Business, Design and Culinary

Course Code: Title	OAD126: DESKTOP PUBLISHING		
Program Number: Name	2086: OFFICE ADMIN-EXEC		
Department:	OFFICE ADMINISTRATION		
Semesters/Terms:	22W		
Course Description:	Continuing from the word processing basics, students will combine basic design principles and production techniques to produce a variety of printed matter such as stationery, business cards, posters, newsletters, resumes, etc. A practical, hands-on approach will be taken with emphasis on producing professional materials, but specific desktop publishing terminology must be mastered.		
Total Credits:	4		
Hours/Week:	8		
Total Hours:	56		
Prerequisites:	There are no pre-requisites for this course.		
Corequisites:	There are no co-requisites for this course.		
Substitutes:	OEL817		
This course is a pre-requisite for:	OAD302		
Vocational Learning	2086 - OFFICE ADMIN-EXEC		
Outcomes (VLO's) addressed in this course:	VLO 1 Conduct oneself professionally and adhere to relevant legislation, standards and codes of ethics.		
Please refer to program web page for a complete listing of program	VLO 2 Manage the scheduling, coordination and organization of administrative tasks and workflow within specific deadlines and according to set priorities.		
outcomes where applicable.	VLO 7 Prepare and produce a variety of business documents using available technologies and applying industry standards.		
Essential Employability Skills (EES) addressed in	EES 1 Communicate clearly, concisely and correctly in the written, spoken, and visual form that fulfills the purpose and meets the needs of the audience.		
this course:	EES 2 Respond to written, spoken, or visual messages in a manner that ensures effective communication.		
	EES 5 Use a variety of thinking skills to anticipate and solve problems.		
	EES 6 Locate, select, organize, and document information using appropriate technology and information systems.		
	EES 9 Interact with others in groups or teams that contribute to effective working relationships and the achievement of goals.		
	EES 10 Manage the use of time and other resources to complete projects.		

In response to public health requirements pertaining to the COVID19 pandemic, course delivery and assessment traditionally delivered in-class, may occur remotely either in whole or in part in the 2021-2022 academic year.



SAULT COLLEGE | 443 NORTHERN AVENUE | SAULT STE. MARIE, ON P6B 4J3, CANADA | 705-759-2554

OAD126: DESKTOP PUBLISHING Page 1

	EES 11 Take responsibility for ones own actions, decisions, and consequences.			
Course Evaluation:	Passing Grade: 50%, D			
	A minimum program GPA of 2.0 or higher where program specific standards exist is required for graduation.			
Other Course Evaluation & Assessment Requirements:	Students must purchase the e-Book. The e-Book contains assignments that are required to complete for the course that are not found in the textbook.			
Books and Required Resources:	Benchmark Series: Microsoft Word 2016 Desktop Publishing by Arford, Rogenkamp, Rutkosky Publisher: Paradigm ISBN: 9780763874285 Must purchase print book w/ ebook as the ebook contains required assignments that are not in the textbook.			
Course Outcomes and	Course Outcome 1	Learning Objectives for Course Outcome 1		
Learning Objectives:	Understand the Desktop Publishing Process and terminology.	1.1 Define desktop publishing. 1.2 Initiate the desktop publishing process. 1.3 Design documents. 1.4 Evaluate documents using the document analysis guide. 1.5 Use and define correct desktop terminology. 1.6 Use Internet/Microsoft resources for desktop material.		
	Course Outcome 2	Learning Objectives for Course Outcome 2		
	Prepare business and personal documents using Word 2010.	2.1 Understand basic typography. 2.2 Install, choose, and modify fonts. 2.3 Add symbols and special characters. 2.4 Use special characters and contrasting fonts in design. 2.5 Use Word Cover Page feature. 2.6 Work with long documents. 2.7 Create documents using wizards and templates. 2.8 Add watermarks for visual appeal. 2.9 Use Word layers. 2.10 Insert Images. 2.11 Prepare an agenda. 2.12 Identify the purpose of letterheads. 2.13 Use Word letterhead templates. 2.14 Design original letterheads. 2.15 Use text boxes for exact placement of text. 2.16 Create horizontal and vertical lines. 2.17 Create envelopes. 2.18 Design original envelopes. 2.19 Use Quick Parts to store and reuse text and graphics. 2.20 Use WordArt to add text effects. 2.21 Redefine letter and word spacing. 2.22 Create a personal calendar, return address labels, certificate and resume. 2.23 Arrange drawing objects to enhance personal documents. 2.25 Insert images from a scanner or digital camera.		

In response to public health requirements pertaining to the COVID19 pandemic, course delivery and assessment traditionally delivered in-class, may occur remotely either in whole or in part in the 2021-2022 academic year.

SAULT COLLEGE | 443 NORTHERN AVENUE | SAULT STE. MARIE, ON P6B 4J3, CANADA | 705-759-2554

OAD126 : DESKTOP PUBLISHING Page 2

2 26	Use Microsoft Clip Organizer.
	Use colour, adding lines, borders, and special effects to
	objects, and pictures.
2.28	Use Drawing Gridlines.
2.29 3-D.	Match colours and add special effects with Shadows and
2.30	Use the Picture Tools Format Tab and SmartArt Graphics
2.31	Plan, design, create, and evaluate brochures.
2.32	Incorporate newspaper columns into brochure layouts.
2.33	Use reverse text and drop caps as design elements.
2.34	Format with styles.
	Use booklet, duplex printing, and related print options.
	Use 2-pages-per-sheet feature.
	Create promotional documents.
	Create and align lines to be typed on.
	Create postcards, invitations, and cards.
	Merging promotional documents.
	Insert Word Crop Mark.
	Define the basic newsletter elements.
	Plan, design, and create newsletters.
	Use spot colour and visually enhancing elements.
2.27	Create sidebars, pull quotes, kickers and end signs, jump

Evaluation Process and Grading System:

Evaluation Type	Evaluation Weight
Assignments	50%
Test 1	25%
Test 2	25%

Date:

July 29, 2021

Addendum:

Please refer to the course outline addendum on the Learning Management System for further information.

lines, mastheads, and a table of contents. 2.28 Use linked text boxes in newsletters. 2.29 Use enhancements for starting paragraphs.

2.31 Save a newsletter as a template or alternate format.

2.30 Understand copy fitting.

In response to public health requirements pertaining to the COVID19 pandemic, course delivery and assessment traditionally delivered in-class, may occur remotely either in whole or in part in the 2021-2022 academic year.

SAULT COLLEGE | 443 NORTHERN AVENUE | SAULT STE. MARIE, ON P6B 4J3, CANADA | 705-759-2554

OAD126: DESKTOP PUBLISHING Page 3