

Bossier Parish Community College
Master Syllabus

Course Prefix and Number: CTEC 100

Credit Hours: 3-3-0

Course Title: Computer Concepts

Course Prerequisites: None

Textbook(s): TestOut Office Pro – English 6.1.x. TestOut Corporation, 2020. (A digital copy of the textbook is provided in TestOut and can only be accessed online.) ISBN: 978-1-935080-71-8. A printed textbook is not required.

Course Description: An introduction to computer and online concepts. Students will use a variety of applications including, but not limited to, word processing, spreadsheets, databases, presentation software, and email.

Learning Outcomes:

At the end of this course, the student will:

- A. identify computer hardware, system software and file management concepts;
- B. apply online etiquette, safety, and security;
- C. demonstrate use of word processing software;
- D. demonstrate use of spreadsheet software;
- E. demonstrate use of presentation software;
- F. demonstrate use of database software and
- G. demonstrate use of email software.

To achieve the learning outcomes, the student will or will be able to:

(The letter designations at the end of each statement refer to the learning outcome(s).)

1. identify the basic features of hardware and software (A);
2. perform the basic methods of navigating and manipulating files (A);
3. recognize risks and responsibilities of using online applications (B);
4. appropriately evaluate and use sources of online information (B);
5. perform general tasks in a word processing program (C);
6. format a word processing document (C);
7. perform general tasks in a spreadsheet program (D);
8. enter simple formulas in a spreadsheet (D);
9. perform general tasks in a presentation program (E);
10. design and format presentation slides; (E);
11. perform general tasks in a database program (F);
12. use database tables, queries, forms and reports (F);
13. perform general tasks in an email program (G); and
14. format and send email messages (G).

Course Requirements:

1. Achieve a course average of 70% or above.
2. Each student is expected to attend class regularly; excessive unexcused absences constitute grounds for suspension (refer to the student handbook for attendance policies).
3. Students must have access to a computer (not mobile device), Microsoft Office, and the Internet to complete the assignments. Computer, software, and the Internet are available to students on campus during scheduled computer lab times and in the Learning Commons located in the BPCC Library.

Course Grading Scale:

A = 90 - 100

B = 80 - 89

C = 70 - 79

D = 60 - 69

F = 0 - 59

Attendance Policy: The college attendance policy is available at <http://www.bpcc.edu/catalog/current/academicpolicies.html>

Course Fees: This course is accompanied with an additional non-refundable fee for supplemental materials, laboratory supplies, software licenses, certification exams and/or clinical fees.

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