

Washtenaw Community College Comprehensive Report

IWT 130 Introduction to Computers

Conditional Approval

Effective Term: Fall 2011

Course Cover

Division: Vocational Technologies

Department: United Association Department

Discipline: Ironworker Instructor Training

Course Number: 130

Org Number: 28700

Full Course Title: Introduction to Computers

Transcript Title: Introduction to Computers

Is Consultation with other department(s) required: No

Publish in the Following: College Catalog , Web Page

Reason for Submission: New Course

Change Information:

Rationale: This course is part of the Ironworker ITP.

Proposed Start Semester: Fall 2011

Course Description:

This course is designed for participants who have never (or rarely) used a computer. Working in Windows 7, participants will learn about common computer terminology, hardware, and software. This course is structured to maximize the student's understanding of computers through a lecture-based and hands-on approach. Topics include keyboarding, how to use a mouse, file management (how to create, save, move, delete, and manipulate files), basic word processing (Microsoft Word), how to back up files to a CD, how to transfer files using a USB flash drive, how to set up an LCD projector and how to send and receive e-mail. This course will not include PowerPoint, Access or Excel. Limited to Ironworker Instructor Training program participants.

Course Credit Hours

Variable hours: No

Credits: 1.5

The following Lecture Hour fields are not divisible by 15: Student Min ,Instructor Min

Lecture Hours: Instructor: 22.5 **Student:** 22.5

Lab: Instructor: 0 **Student:** 0

Clinical: Instructor: 0 **Student:** 0

Total Contact Hours: Instructor: 22.5 **Student:** 22.5

Repeatable for Credit: NO

Grading Methods: Letter Grades

Audit

Are lectures, labs, or clinicals offered as separate sections?: NO (same sections)

College-Level Reading and Writing

College-level Reading & Writing

College-Level Math

Requisites

General Education

Degree Attributes

Below College Level Pre-Reqs

Request Course Transfer

Proposed For:

Student Learning Outcomes

1. Use Windows 7.

Assessment 1

Assessment Tool: Survey of Ironworker training coordinators/supervisors.

Assessment Date: Fall 2012

Assessment Cycle: Every Two Years

Course section(s)/other population: All

Number students to be assessed: Random sampling of 50% of all students teaching related topics the subsequent year.

How the assessment will be scored: The student's training activities at the home local will be scored and evaluated on a survey questionnaire covering the learning outcomes.

Standard of success to be used for this assessment: Based on the number of students who teach the related material in the subsequent year, 75% will score an average of satisfactory or better.

Who will score and analyze the data: The UA Program Administrator will coordinate the collection of data with the Ironworker Training Department and will discuss the results with the Ironworker Training Department and IWT faculty.

2. Apply computer file management processes.

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Course Objectives

1. Use terminology to explain hardware, software, and related concepts.

Methods of Evaluation
Matched Outcomes

2. Demonstrate correct keyboarding and mouse use.

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3. Demonstrate electronic file management techniques, including saving, moving, deleting, and transferring files.

Methods of Evaluation
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4. Use a USB flash drive to manage files.

Methods of Evaluation
Matched Outcomes

5. Apply basic word processing techniques.

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3. Create basic Microsoft Word files, use basic email processes, and set up an LCD projector.

6. Set up an LCD projector.

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7. Send and receive email.

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New Resources for Course

All required materials will be provided by the Ironworker Training Department.

Course Textbooks/Resources

Textbooks
Manuals
Periodicals
Software

Equipment/Facilities

Level III classroom
Computer workstations/lab

Reviewer

Faculty Preparer:

Department Chair/Area Director:
Daniel Welch

Dean: *Daniel Welch*

Vice President for Instruction: *Stuart Blacklaw*

Action

Faculty Preparer

Recommend Approval

Request Conditional Approval

Conditional Approval

Date

*May 05,
2011*

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2011*