OA 107 A & B – Business Math and Microsoft Excel Specialist

2 Credits, 16 weeks, 4 hours per week
Students will complete practical mathematical application problems on topics such as percentages, invoices, merchandising, and interest calculations. Through hands-on exercises, students are introduced to basic features and application of the EXCEL spreadsheet program. Using some of the more common worksheet and range commands, students will develop and format worksheets containing various cell entries, formulas, and several built-in functions.
Prerequisites: OA 110

Instructor
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Office Hours
Monday and Friday 10:00am – 10:50am
Wednesday 10:00am – 11:50am
Tuesday 12:00pm – 12:50pm

Hours of Instruction

Section A
Wednesday 1:00pm – 2:50pm C282
Friday 8:00am – 9:50am S105

Section B
Monday 8:00am – 9:50am S107
Wednesday 8:00am – 9:50am S105

Required Resources
SAM (Skills Assessment Manager) – Bundle with Microsoft® Excel 2010 book
OA107 Business Mathematics, Keyano Bookstore

Course Outcomes
Students will be able to:
1. Demonstrate basic knowledge of spreadsheet concepts and Microsoft Excel terminology.
2. Create, modify and enhance worksheets.
3. Apply commonly used worksheet commands to efficiently produce professional documents.
4. Use worksheets to create charts.
5. Use formulas and functions in worksheets.
6. Apply the following mathematical concepts and perform the required calculations:
   a. Fractions
   b. Portion, Rate and Base
c. Discounts and Invoices  
d. Markup and Markdown  
e. Simple Interest  
7. Modify basic formulas as they relate to business applications.  
8. Apply concepts learned in mathematics to business situations using spreadsheets.  
9. Follow instructions and produce required output within a given time period.

**Evaluation**

Attendance 5%  
Class Participation 5%  
Assignments 25%  
Tests 35%  
Final Exam 30%  
**Total 100%**

A grade of C- is required for progression or transfer.

**Grading System**

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**Important note:** This course outline may be modified at the instructor’s discretion to facilitate unforeseen circumstances.
Performance Requirements

Student Attendance

Class attendance is useful for two reasons. First, class attendance maximizes students’ learning experience. Second, attending class is a good way to keep informed of matters relating to the administration of the course (e.g., the timing of assignments and exams). Ultimately, you are responsible for your own learning and performance in this course.

It is the responsibility of each student to be prepared for all classes. Students who miss classes are responsible for the material covered in those classes and for ensuring that they are prepared for the next class, including the completion of any assignments and/or notes that may be due.

Academic Misconduct

Students are considered to be responsible adults and should adhere to principles of intellectual integrity. Intellectual dishonesty may take many forms, such as:

- Plagiarism or the submission of another person’s work as one’s own
- The use of unauthorized aids in assignments or examinations (cheating)
- Collusion or the unauthorized collaboration with others in preparing work
- The deliberate misrepresentation of qualifications
- The willful distortion of results or data
- Substitution in an examination by another person
- Handing in the same unchanged work as submitted for another assignment

Penalties for academic offences range from a verbal reprimand to dismissal from the College, and in certain circumstances may involve legal action.

Specialized Supports

Counselling and Disability Services

Counselling Services provides a wide range of specialized counselling services to prospective and registered students, including personal, career and academic counselling.

SKILL Centre

The SKILL Centre is a learning space in the Clearwater Campus at Keyano College where students can gather to share ideas, collaborate on projects and get new perspectives on learning from our tutorial staff.

The SKILL Centre, through a variety of delivery methods, provides assistance in skill development to Keyano students. Assistance is provided by instructors, staff and student tutors. Individuals wishing to improve their mathematics, writing, grammar, study, or other skills, can take advantage of this unique service.

Important dates to remember

- First Day of Class: January 5
- Last day to ADD Courses: January 9
- Tuition is due ($100 late fee charged after this date): January 9
- Last day to DROP Courses with full refund ($100 deposit is non-refundable): January 16
- Last day to WAIVE health & dental plan (new winter students only): January 16
- Last day to WITHDRAW with a refund (50%): February 13
- Last day to WITHDRAW (Grade of W): March 30
Authorization
This course outline has been reviewed and approved by the Program Chair.

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Cristina Fuentes, Instructor

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Gina Langager, Chair

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Guy Harmer, Dean

Signed copies to be delivered to:
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Registrar’s Office