

# **Syllabus**

### **Course Description**

**Computer Concepts** 

Introduces the student to the components in a computer system, categories of computers and software, and the relationship of various programs and software to the Web. This course also covers input, storage, and the Internet.

#### **Course Objectives**

- To identify the components and peripherals of a computer.
- To become familiar with computer terminology.
- To understand the function of application software, operating systems, and computer hardware.
- To perform basic operating system functions using Windows operating systems.
- To learn Internet terminology.

#### **Textbooks and Materials**

The following textbook is used for this course:

Computer Concepts, 4<sup>th</sup> edition—Illustrated Brief, by Parsons and Oja. ISBN 0-619-10933-5.

Americans with Disabilities Policy

If you require an accommodation in order to function effectively in this class, please contact the Student Disability Services office by phone at 615-353-3592 or 800-272-7363 x 3592 as soon as possible. Also contact your instructor.

#### **Course Outline**

Unit A, Computer and Internet Basics

Unit B, Computer Hardware

Unit C, Computer Software

Unit D, Digital Electronics and File Management

**Plug-ins Needed for This Course** Adobe Acrobat Reader

## Schedule

Dates	Assignments	Quizzes and Tests
Week 1	Computer Concepts,	Quiz 1
	Introduction	
	Computer Concepts, Unit A	
Week 2	Computer Concepts, Unit B	Quiz 2
Week 3	Computer Concepts, Unit c	Quiz 3
Week 4	Computer Concepts, Unit D	Quiz 4
Week 5	Review Units A, B, C, and D	Final Exam