



INFOCUS COURSEWARE

BSBITU404 Produce Complex Desktop Published Documents

Microsoft Word 2013



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❖ General Description

BSBITU404 - Produce Complex Desktop Published Documents applies to individuals who require well-developed skills in desktop publishing using Microsoft Word.

❖ Learning Outcomes

At the completion of this course you should be able to:

- create high quality designs and layouts
- use formatting techniques to position text and paragraphs
- create and work effectively with themes
- create and apply styles
- create and use templates
- create and work with master documents
- use table features to improve the layout and format of tables
- apply various page layout techniques
- insert and work with section breaks, headers and footers
- insert and work with pictures in a **Word** document
- use the illustration tools available in **Word**
- insert and work with text boxes
- insert and work with **WordArt**
- create and work with captions
- create and work with a table of contents
- create and work with an index in a document
- create and use building blocks
- use a range of document proofing features
- save documents in a variety of formats, locations and with different names
- insert content from other sources
- work safely with your computer, consider your impact on the environment and manage files and folders efficiently

❖ Prerequisites

BSBITU404 Produce Complex Desktop Published Documents assumes a moderate knowledge of Microsoft Word 2013.

❖ Topic Sheets

322 topics

❖ Methodology

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Unit Mapping

This unit describes the skills and knowledge required to design and produce complex desktop published documents.

	Performance Criteria	Location
1	Prepare to produce desktop published documents	
1.1	Use safe work practices including addressing ergonomic requirements and using work organisation strategies	Chapter 21: General Computer Operation
1.2	Use energy and resource conservation techniques	Chapter 21: General Computer Operation
1.3	Identify document purpose, audience, presentation and final output requirements, and clarify with relevant personnel as required	Generally assumed throughout - can be tested through practice exercises and integration assignment, Chapter 1: Document Design and Layout
1.4	Identify organisational and task requirements for desktop published documents to ensure consistency of style and image	Generally assumed throughout - can be tested through practice exercises and integration assignment
2	Design desktop published documents	
2.1	Design document to enhance readability and appearance, according to organisational and task requirements	Generally assumed throughout - can be tested through practice exercises and integration assignment
2.2	Determine document type and assess production and design requirements	Generally assumed throughout. Can be tested through practice exercises and integration assignment
2.3	Set up and use master pages, templates and styles to ensure consistency of design and layout	Chapter 3: Themes, Chapter 4: Styles, Chapter 5: Templates, Chapter 6: Master Documents
2.4	Set up colour palettes according to organisational and task requirements	Generally assumed throughout. Can be tested through practice exercises and integration assignment
3	Create desktop published documents	
3.1	Prepare, format and enter required text	Chapter 1: Document Design and Layout, Chapter 2: Formatting Techniques, Chapter 7: Table Features, Chapter 12: Text Boxes, Chapter 13: WordArt, Chapter 17: Building Blocks
3.2	Import text from other applications and resolve any formatting issues	Chapter 20: Importing
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4	Finalise desktop published documents	
4.1	Ensure pages and combined graphics and text are composed correctly, to suit organisational and task requirements	Generally assumed throughout - can be tested through practice exercises and integration assignment, Chapter 15: Table of Contents, Chapter 16: Indexing
4.2	Check that numerical sequencing and layout of document is correct, to meet binding and finishing requirements	Chapter 1: Document Design and Layout, Chapter 18: Document Proofing Features
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5	Produce desktop published documents	
5.1	Review text for possible errors and omissions, and resolve any issues	Chapter 18: Document Proofing Features
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5.3	Name and store text documents, in accordance with organisational requirements and exit the application without information loss/damage	Chapter 19: Saving Documents
5.4	Prepare text documents within designated timelines and organisational requirements for speed and accuracy	Generally assumed throughout - can be tested through practice exercises and integration assignment, Chapter 1: Document Design and Layout
5.5	Use manuals, user documentation and online help to overcome problems with document design and production	Chapter 21: General Computer Operation

