



INFOCUS COURSEWARE

# Use Digital Literacy Skills to Access Internet Explorer 11



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## ❖ General Description

This unit describes the performance outcomes, skills and knowledge required to safely and securely use the internet to undertake basic interactive communication.

## ❖ Learning Outcomes

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

- understand some of the wider implications of working with computers
- explain the various hardware components of the computer
- understand some of the theoretical aspects of the internet
- connect to the internet
- use **Internet Explorer** to access the internet, search for and locate information
- understand and conduct effective searches of the internet
- create and use favourites and the **Favourites** bar
- use the internet with a good awareness of security issues
- download and use information from the internet
- use **Gmail** to send and receive emails and understand how to use **Skype**
- understand and locate consumer information on the web
- conduct an online transaction
- upload photos into **Flickr** and videos into **YouTube**

## ❖ Prerequisites

Use Digital Literacy Skills to Access the Internet - Internet Explorer 11 assumes some knowledge of the software. However, it would be beneficial to have a general understanding of personal computers and the Windows operating system environment.

## ❖ Topic Sheets

145 topics

## ❖ Methodology

The InFocus series of publications have been written with one topic per page. Topic sheets either contain relevant reference information, or detailed step-by-step instructions designed on a real-world case study scenario. Publications can be used for instructor-led training, self-paced learning, or a combination of the two.

## ❖ Formats Available

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- Viewing Favourite Web Pages
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- Examples of Consumer Specific Sites
- Locating Consumer Specific Sites
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## Transacting Online

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