

# OFF 215: MICROSOFT OUTLOOK

## Citrus College Course Outline of Record

Heading	Value
Effective Term:	Fall 2022
Credits:	2
Total Contact Hours:	36
Lecture Hours :	36
Lab Hours:	0
Hours Arranged:	0
Outside of Class Hours:	72
Strongly Recommended:	ITIS 099.
Transferable to CSU:	No
Transferable to UC:	No
Grading Method:	Standard Letter, Pass/No Pass

## Catalog Course Description

An introduction to Microsoft Outlook scheduling and organizing program. Topics include creating and editing a calendar, contacts, task list, journal, notes, synchronizing personal digital assistant, and communicating with an electronic mail system. 36 lecture hours.

## Course Objectives

- utilize the basic concepts of Outlook
- choose efficient techniques to schedule and organize a calendar by utilizing the calendar, contacts, tasks features.
- reorganize the office environment by managing a schedule application to send and receive e-mail, managing multiple accounts, reorganizing folders, and customizing Outlook.
- archive files and information and implementing security measures in a scheduling management program.

## Major Course Content

1. Overview of Outlook
  - a. Working with Outlook
    - i. E-mail, Calendar, Contacts, Tasks, Notes, Journal
  - b. Navigating Outlook
    - i. Outlook Today, Outlook Panes, Tabs, Ribbons, and Dialog Boxes
2. E-mail Basics
  - a. Types of E-mail
  - b. Setting up an E-mail Account
  - c. Creating, Sending, and Receiving E-mail
  - d. Handling Attachments
  - e. Understanding Arrangement and Icons
  - f. Cleaning up Your Inbox
3. E-mail Special Features
  - a. Type of E-mail Format
  - b. Message Options
  - c. Voting Buttons
  - d. Customize Your E-mail
4. Contacts

- a. Creating Contacts
- b. Editing Contact Information
- c. Changing Views in Contacts
- d. Using Contacts
- e. Calendar
  - f. Calendar Items
  - g. Navigating the Calendar Views
  - h. Creating and Editing Calendar Items
    - i. Creating and Using Meeting Requests
5. Tasks and To-Do Items
  - a. Understanding Task and To-Do Items
  - b. Creating Tasks
  - c. Viewing Tasks and To-do Items
  - d. Managing Tasks
6. Folders, Rules, Quick Steps, Categories, and Follow-up Flags
  - a. Using Folders
  - b. Using Rules and Quick Steps
  - c. Using Categories
  - d. Using Follow-Up Flags
7. Multiple E-mail Accounts, Advanced E-mail Options, and RSS Feeds
  - a. Setting up Additional E-mail Accounts
  - b. Managing Multiple E-mail Accounts
  - c. Customizing E-mail Options
  - d. Using RSS Feeds
8. Advanced Contacts
  - a. Managing Contacts
  - b. Business Cards
  - c. Importing and Exporting
  - d. Using Contacts with Other Office Programs
9. Advanced Calendars
  - a. Using Multiple Calendars
  - b. Calendar Options
  - c. Printing and Sharing Outlook Calendar
  - d. Advanced Calendar Features
10. Notes, Journal, Search Folders, Shortcuts, and Archiving
  - a. Using the Journal
  - b. Using Search Folders
  - c. Using Shortcuts
  - d. Archiving Outlook Folders
11. Sharing, Security, Search, and User Interface
  - a. Sharing Your Outlook with Others
  - b. Security
  - c. Searching for Outlook Items
  - d. Customizing Outlook

## Suggested Reading Other Than Required Textbook

Practice sending and receiving e-mail. Share calendar and contacts.

## Examples of Required Writing Assignments

None required; skill course.

## Examples of Outside Assignments

Convert an existing appointment to a recurring calendar appointment. Open the Sales Meeting appointment created in Exercise 3. Set this appointment to recur every Monday from 10-11 a.m. Set a 15-minute reminder for this recurring appointment Set this recurring appointment to end after 10 occurrences.

## Instruction Type(s)

Lecture, Online Education Lecture