BGN 101 Course Outline as of Fall 2023

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: BGN 101 Title: TYPING Full Title: Typing Last Reviewed: 12/14/2015

Units		Course Hours per Week		Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	1.50	Lecture Scheduled	1.00	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	17.50
Minimum	1.50	Lab Scheduled	1.50	4	Lab Scheduled	26.25
		Contact DHR	0		Contact DHR	0
		Contact Total	2.50		Contact Total	43.75
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 35.00

Total Student Learning Hours: 78.75

Title 5 Category:	AA Degree Applicable
Grading:	Grade or P/NP
Repeatability:	00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP
Also Listed As:	
Formerly:	BOT 50A

Catalog Description:

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Prerequisites/Corequisites:

Recommended Preparation:

Limits on Enrollment:

Schedule of Classes Information:

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ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:

AS Degree: CSU GE:	Area Transfer Area	Effective: Effective:	Inactive: Inactive:
IGETC:	Transfer Area	Effective:	Inactive:
CSU Transfer	Effective:	Inactive:	
UC Transfer:	Effective:	Inactive:	

CID:

Certificate/Major Applicable:

Both Certificate and Major Applicable

COURSE CONTENT

Student Learning Outcomes:

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

- 1. Use correct typing techniques.
- 2. Apply appropriate ergonomics techniques.
- 3. Use correct proofreading marks.

Objectives:

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:

1. Operate the following keys by touch: all alphabet keys, punctuation keys, top row number keys, and symbol keys.

- 2. Continuously improve typing speed and accuracy.
- 3. Discuss, apply, and use appropriate typing techniques.
- 4. Demonstrate appropriate ergonomic techniques.
- 5. Use and interpret proofreading marks.
- 6. Use correct spacing after punctuation marks.

Topics and Scope:

- 1. Alphabetic, number, and symbol keys
- 2. Ergonomic techniques
 - a. Correct posture
 - b. Workstation organization
 - c. Exercises and preventative injury measures
- 3. Breaking bad habits
- 4. Typing progressive length paragraphs
- 5. Proofreading marks
- 6. Spacing principles

Assignment:

- 1. Typing drills based on lessons and software.
- 2. Timed writings measuring speed and accuracy; 1-, 2-, and 3-minute writings with a minimum of 95% accuracy.
- 3. Assessment of ergonomic techniques.
- 4. 10-12 Quizzes, tests.
- 5. Proofreading exercises.

Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:

Writing: Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

None, This is a degree applicable course but assessment tools based on writing are not included because problem solving assessments and skill demonstrations are more appropriate for this course.

Problem Solving: Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

Typing drills based on lessons and software, proofreading exercises

Skill Demonstrations: All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

Timed writings, ergonomic techniques

Exams: All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

10 - 12 Quizzes and tests

Other: Includes any assessment tools that do not logically fit into the above categories.

None

Representative Textbooks and Materials:

Keyboarding Course, Lessons 1-25, 18th edition, Keyboarding Pro 6 software, South-Western Cengage Learning, 2011

Writing 0 - 0%	
0 - 0%	

20 - 40%	

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Skill Demonstrations	
40 - 60%	

Exams 20 - 40%

Other Category 0 - 0%