# **Syllabus**

ADLTED 764.1 (5883) |Google Tools and Applications- Part 1: Drive and Docs|Spring 2025

# **Course Description**

This is the first course in a 5-course series designed to build competency in web-based applications and programs for personal and professional use. Students will advance their knowledge of the Google suite of apps: Google Drive and Docs. Students will learn how to create, edit, share, and collaborate on files in Google Drive and Docs, and understand their purpose and use in a personal and professional setting.

Recommended Preparation -- Course completion of ADLTED 761.2 or ADLTED 761.3

#### **Student Learning Outcomes**

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

- Explain and use G-Suite applications: Google Drive and Google Docs
- Create, edit, and share documents using Google Drive and Google Docs

#### **Class Meetings**

**When:** Tuesday, 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

First Class: Tuesday, January 14, 2025

Last Class: Tuesday, March 4, 2025

Where: Online via Zoom

Students will receive a Zoom link before the first class.

#### Student Requirements/Expectations:

- Students are required to attend the live online meetings for each class session.
- Students are expected to arrive on time and stay for the entire class session.
- Students *are expected* to be online with reliable internet, mic, and/or camera during the entire scheduled time.
- Students *are expected* to have a gmail.com email account.

Any modifications to this routine will be clearly announced in advance of any change.

#### **Instructor Contact**

Sandra D. Gunderson (Sandi or Ms. Gunderson)

Email to Use for this Google Drive/Doc Class: <u>sgunderson.srjcinstructor@gmail.com</u> Phone: (707) **595-0812 [voice mail – or – text]** I respond to emails/voice mails/texts within 48 hours

#### Student Consultation Time [SCT]:

Thursdays, 6:30 PM – 6:50 PM Students may contact the instructor to schedule a pre-arranged SCT or simply drop in. SCT will take place online via Zoom using the **same Zoom link as** the class.

#### Course Web Site – aka Canvas

Every Santa Rosa Junior College class automatically has a course website on an online platform called Canvas. This online platform *will not be used* for this course.

The primary online resource this course will rely on for storing, sharing, and submitting assignments will be Google Drive and Google gmail accounts.

## Textbook

This class **WILL NOT** have a textbook, but instead will have pdf packets of instruction for each of the lessons and practice activities. These packets will be made available to students via Google Drive.

#### **Required Course Materials**

- Note-taking material either digital or paper and pen/pencil
- Reliable internet and a device with a microphone and/or camera



## **Required Software**

You will need the latest versions of the following software for this course:

- Chrome web browser
- Adobe Reader (This app will enable PDF files to be read and annotated.)



## **Special Needs**

Students with disabilities who believe they need accommodations in this class are encouraged to contact Disability Resources (527-4278) as soon as possible to better ensure such accommodations are implemented in a timely fashion.

# **Dropping the Class**

If you decide to discontinue this course, it is your responsibility to officially drop the class.

#### Attendance

Students will be dropped if they do NOT:

- 1. Attend the first class, or
- 2. Once the class has begun, miss two classes in a row.

A student may avoid being dropped for missing the first class by contacting the instructor in advance. Students are expected to let the instructor know when a planned absence may occur. For unplanned absences, make contact as soon as possible.

#### **Late Policy**

All assignments are due no later than 6:00 PM [Pacific] on the due date. A late submission will receive a 20% penalty. Any submission more than one week late *will not* accepted without prior arrangement.

#### Assignments

Below you'll see the tentative list of Google Drive and Google Doc skills that will be covered in this 8-week course. Advanced notice for any changes/modifications will be sent to all students. Assignments have been created to give each student an opportunity to practice these skills.

#### **Google Drive**

- Introduction
- What is Google Drive?
- How to Use it
- Uploading Files
- Creating Folders
- Sharing Folders

#### **Google Docs**

- Introduction
- Working with Images
- Importing & Converting Document to Docs
- Sharing Documents with Others
- Using Templates
- Using Tables

# **Grading Policy**

Grades will be assigned as follows:

Progress Mark (Grade)	Percent of Total Assignment Points	Explanation
P (Pass)	70% - 100%	Students who achieve this level of skill/knowledge are likely to do well in ADLTED 764.2 – ADLTED 764.5
NP (No Progress)	Less than 69%	It is recommended that students at this level of skill/knowledge retake ADLTED 764.1
<b>W</b> (Withdraw)		Students who do not attend class will be withdrawn or "dropped" from the class roster.

#### **Assignments:**

- 1. Google Drive Activities (3)
- 2. Google Docs Activities (8)
- 3. Summative demonstration of skill attainment (2)

#### Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade

Skill Demonstrations: Google Drive and Docs Assignments	Skill Demonstrations 80%
Other: Attendance and Participation	Other Category 20%

## **Standards of Conduct**

Students who register in SRJC classes are required to abide by the SRJC Student Conduct Standards. Violation of the Standards is basis for referral to the Vice President of Student Services or dismissal from class or from the College. See the <u>Student Code of Conduct page</u>.

Collaborating on or copying of tests or homework in whole or in part will be considered an act of academic dishonesty and result in a grade of 0 for that test or assignment. I encourage students to share information and ideas, but not their work.

#### Netiquette, or Why Is It Harder to Be Polite Online?

*Netiquette* refers to using common courtesy in online communication. All members of the class are expected to follow netiquette in all course communications. Use these guidelines:

- Use capital letters sparingly. THEY LOOK LIKE SHOUTING.
- Be considerate of others' feelings and use language carefully.
- Cite all quotations, references, and sources (otherwise, it is plagiarism).
- Use humor carefully. It is hard to "read" tone; sometimes humor can be misread as criticism or personal attack. Feel free to use emoticons like :) for a smiley face to let others know you are being humorous.
- Use complete sentences and standard English grammar to compose posts. Write in proper paragraphs. Review work before submitting it.
- Text speak, such as "ur" for "your" or "r u" for "are you" etc., is only acceptable when informally texting.

#### **Instructor Statement**

I intend to be prepared, organized, approachable and ready to serve you as you learn these new skills.

**PLEASE NOTE:** This syllabus is intended to give you guidance in what may be covered during the 8 weeks of this course of study. It will be adhered to as closely as possible. However, your instructor reserves the right to modify, supplement, and make changes as course needs arise.

This syllabus is an agreement between instructor and student. Continued registration in this course means that you agree to the policies and procedures outlined in this syllabus and the associated course Canvas website.