MINNESOTA WEST COMMUNITY & TECHNICAL COLLEGE
COURSE OUTLINE

DEPT.  SBM                        COURSE NO.  SBMT2610

NUMBER OF CREDITS:  3

COURSE TITLE:  SBM Computerization for Accounting

CATALOG DESCRIPTION:  This course will focus on the basics of record keeping using computerized accounting software. An emphasis is placed on organization of the chart of accounts, data entry and financial statement interpretation.

AUDIENCE:  Small Business Owners & Managers

FULFILLS MN TRANSFER CURRICULUM AREA(S):  N/A

PREREQUISITES OR NECESSARY ENTRY SKILLS/KNOWLEDGE:  None

LENGTH OF COURSE:  Semester

THIS COURSE IS USUALLY OFFERED:
Every other year  fall  spring  summer  undetermined  X

Four goals are emphasized in course at Minnesota West Community & Technical College:

1) ACADEMIC CONTENT:
   a. Identify asset accounts
   b. Identify liability accounts
   c. Identify equity accounts
   d. Identify revenue accounts
   e. Identify cost of goods accounts
   f. Identify expense accounts
   g. Identify source documents for opening balances
   h. Identify source documents for sales journal
   i. Identify source documents for expense journal

2) THINKING SKILLS:
   a. Compare charts of accounts for different businesses
   b. Organize chart of accounts
   c. Enumerate asset accounts balances
   d. Enumerate liability account balances
   e. Construct opening balance sheet
f. Construction and interpretation of the profit and loss statement, accounts receivable statement, accounts payable statement, balance sheet, cash flow statement, and specialty reports.

3) COMMUNICATIONS SKILLS:

4) HUMAN DIVERSITY:

TOPICS TO BE COVERED:

1) Organization of the chart of accounts and accounting transactions
2) Data entry for opening balances, sales, and expense accounts
3) Report construction and interpretation

LIST OF EXPECTED COURSE OUTCOMES:

1) See above

LEARNING/TEACHING TECHNIQUES used in the course are:

[ ] Collaborative Learning  [X] Problem Solving
[X] Student Presentations  [ ] Interactive Lectures
[ ] Creative Projects  [X] Individual Coaching
[X] Lecture  [ ] Films/Videos/Slides
[X] Demonstrations  [ ] Other (describe below)
[ ] Lab

ASSIGNMENTS AND ASSESSMENTS FOR THIS CLASS INCLUDE:

[X] Reading  [ ] Tests  [X] Individual Projects
[ ] Oral Presentations  [ ] Collaborative Projects
[ ] Textbook Problems  [X] Worksheets  [ ] Portfolio
[X] Group Problems  [ ] Papers  [ ] Term Paper
[ ] Other (describe below)

EXPECTED STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES: See above

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