



The Basics of MS Office





Developing Businesses, People and Communities through High-Impact Solutions



About the Course

Classroom-Based: R 4, 775 Excl. VAT | Blended Learning: R 2, 950 Excl. VAT

Employers across industries expect employees, and prospective employees, to have basic Microsoft Office (MS Office) skills – a skill set that becomes all the more invaluable when one considers that MS Office is probably the most preferred productivity software in businesses around the globe. Having the ability to utilise MS Office to its full potential involves more than merely being able to type up documents, present information on a slide deck, or tabulate numbers. MS Office offers a comprehensive toolkit to create and transform information in useful ways, enhance work productivity, and allow for the effective, professional processing and presentation of data.

This hands on 2-day "Introduction to MS Office" course will equip you with the basic knowledge of how to operate effectively in the most common MS Office products, namely; MS Outlook, MS Excel, MS Word and MS PowerPoint. This course will lay a solid foundation on which you can build as you become more comfortable with MS Office and begin using some of the more complex features available. We guarantee that if you attend this programme, you will have the skills necessary to function confidently and efficiently within MS Office, getting more done and adding even more value to your organisation.

Blended training is available on these popular platforms:

What you will Learn

- Gaining an overview of the most common MS Office products, enhancing your work productivity and taking the quality of your work up a notch
- Understanding how powerful each MS Office product really is, and which one is best suited to a specific task
- Learning to navigate the MS Outlook interface, performing basic email functions and managing email messages to help improve your business communication
- Discovering how to manage your MS Outlook Calendar ensuring you schedule meetings and prioritise tasks effectively ensuring the best use of you time
- Designing easy-to-read spreadsheets using MS Excel with data laid out and listed intelligently and usefully enabling better decision making
- Identifying some basic MS Excel functions you did not know about that will make it easier to work with data and perform basic calculations
- Uncovering important features in MS Word that will enable you to create professional and presentable looking documents that will impress your manager and colleagues
- Discovering how to create a more captivating presentation by including basic transitions and multimedia

Features of this Short Course

Microsoft Teams



zoom

No Geographical Barriers Delegates can attend no matter where they are situated



Agile and Flexible Training Our different learning methodologies provide learning flexibility



Cost-Effective Training High-impact and premium training at an affordable price



Expert Facilitators Presented by an experienced, specialist and expert facilitator



Industry In-Demand Skills Delegates learn in-demand skills and discover latest trends and insights



Certificate of Attendance All delegates receive a certificate of attendance on completion of this course



Catering Included Applicable for classroom training only



Course Programme

The Basics of MS Outlook

- Getting started with MS Outlook
- Making some Simple Customisations to the MS Outlook Layout
- Creating an Email Message
- Reading and Responding to Email Messages
- Checking Spelling and Grammar
- Creating, Opening and Saving Attachments
- Managing your MS Outlook Calendar
- Creating and Managing MS Outlook Contacts
- Working with Tasks and Notes

Getting Started with MS Excel

- Getting started with MS Excel
- Understanding the Power and Importance of Spreadsheets
- Creating, Formatting and Modifying a Worksheet
 - Insert / delete columns and rows
 - Align cell data
 - Change font type and size
 - Adjust column / row width and height
 - Add borders and colours to cells
- Performing Basic Calculations
- Creating Basic Arithmetic Formulas
- Printing Workbook Contents
- Customising the MS Excel Environment

An Overview of MS Word

- · Getting started with MS Word
- Creating and Editing a Basic Word Document
- Formatting Text and Paragraphs
- Inserting and Editing Tables
- · Applying Bullets and Numbering
- · Proofing Documents and Checking Spelling and Grammar
- · Working with Graphics, Symbols and Special Characters
- Controlling Page Appearance
- Customising the MS Word Environment

A Basic Introduction to MS PowerPoint

- Getting started with MS PowerPoint
- Understanding and Navigating the MS PowerPoint Layout
- Creating a New PowerPoint Presentation
- · Inserting Slides and Changing Slide Layouts
- Applying Slide Transitions
- Working with Themes and Graphics
- Adding Tables and Charts to Your Presentations
- Preparing to Deliver your Presentation



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