

Microsoft Word 2016 Level 2

Brief description & Course outline

This course aims to enhance existing skills by covering more specific documentation creation aspects such as working with multiple documents, formatting tables, tabs, lists, merging, section breaks, templates and more.

At the completion of this course you should be able to:

- o work with multiple documents
- o create and format columns
- o use formatting techniques to position text and paragraphs
- o modify Word options
- o work with document properties
- o create and apply styles
- o manage styles in a document or template
- o create and work effectively with themes
- o create and use templates
- o learn how to work with section breaks
- o insert headers and footers into a document
- o create and work with headers and footers in long and complex documents
- o create and edit recipient lists
- o perform a mail merge from scratch
- o produce address labels from a mailing list
- o customise mail merges
- o draw and format shapes
- o work extensively with shapes
- o insert and work with text boxes
- o manage and manipulate text boxes
- o use table features to improve the layout and format of tables
- o enhance and correct pictures

Level 2 assumes a basic understanding of the software. It would also be beneficial to have a general understanding of personal computers and the Windows operating system environment.

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- o **Multiple Documents**
- o Opening Multiple Documents
- o Switching Between Open Documents
- o Arranging All
- o Viewing Side by Side
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- o **Columns**
- o Understanding Columns
- o Creating Columns of Text
- o Specifying Column Widths and Spacing
- o Inserting Column Breaks
- o **Formatting Techniques**
- o Applying First Line Indents
- o Applying Hanging Indents
- o Applying Right Indents
- o Understanding Pagination
- o Controlling Widows and Orphans
- o Keeping Paragraphs Together
- o Keeping Lines Together
- o Inserting a Page Break
- o Applying Hyphenation to Text
- o Hiding Text
- o Inserting a Drop Cap
- o Understanding Returns
- o Inserting Hard and Soft Returns
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- o Revealing Formatting
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- o Personalising Word
- o Setting Display Options
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- o Setting File Locations
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- o Setting Save Options
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- o Deleting Document Property Data
- o **Styles**
- o Understanding Styles
- o Applying Paragraph Styles
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- o **Style Techniques**
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- o Selecting and Updating Styles
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- o Applying a Theme to a Template
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- o Using a Custom Template
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- o Creating a Template From a Template
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- o Understanding Section Breaks
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- o **Headers and Footers**
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- o **Mail Merge Recipient Lists**
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- o Customising the Columns
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- o Saving a Recipient List
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- o Editing a Recipient List
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- o Selecting the Document Type
- o Selecting the Recipients
- o Inserting the Date
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- o Inserting Individual Merge Fields
- o Previewing the Merge
- o Completing the Merge
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- o Setting Up Mailing Labels
- o Completing Mailing Labels
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- o Running a Saved Merge
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- o Applying Shape Styles
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- o Applying a Gradient Fill to a Shape
- o Applying a Picture Fill to a Shape
- o Changing Shape Outlines
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- o Inserting and Formatting Text
- o Applying Shadow Effects
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- o **Enhancing Pictures**
- o Understanding Picture Enhancements
- o Removing a Picture Background
- o Correcting Pictures
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- o Applying Artistic Effects
- o Applying Shadows and Reflections
- o Applying a Glow Effect
- o Softening and Beveling Edges
- o Applying Picture Styles to Images
- o Repositioning Pictures
- o The Format Picture Pane
- o Cropping Pictures Accurately
- o Changing the Picture Layout