

COURSE SYLLABUS

Basic Internet Tools

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PREREQUISITE(S): Successfully Demonstrated Knowledge and/or Successful Completion of the Following Course(s):

Introduction to Computing

Windows Basics

CLASS LOCATION: Coronado Center, Room 5

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

This class includes a basic knowledge of the Internet's structure and the available tools to find results to your questions. The use of a few search engines, both generalized and specialized, will be discussed and practiced. Topics will include choosing search terms, and how to search for a phrase. Searching for particular Internet addresses that friends send or found in newspapers or magazines will be covered.

B. METHOD OF INSTRUCTION

Lecture, discussion, question and answer, demonstration, hands-on computer use related to the course and student demonstration of course related tasks.

C. COURSE OBJECTIVES

Objective 1: Students will identify the domain and how to move from one page to another on Internet sites visited. They will locate sites found in newspapers, advertisements or other resources.

Objective 2: Students will successfully demonstrate use of searching for single words and phrases on the Internet.

Objective 3: Students will successfully demonstrate techniques to find a word or a phrase on Internet sites.

Objective 4: Students will be able to use additional information by using "similar sites" on related Internet sites.