



Microsoft Office Certified Application Specialist Certificate

Program: Office Administration

Program Code:

MI

Academic Area:

Business and Experiential Education

Type:

Certificate of Achievement

Campus:

Fall River

CIP Code:

52.0407

Program Goals Statement

This certificate prepares students to become a Microsoft Certified Application Specialist—an individual who has passed exams for certifying his or her skills in one or more of the Microsoft Office desktop applications. It provides an opportunity for students to achieve a portable, globally recognized credential that proves their abilities as productive Microsoft Office users. Office Specialist certification sets you apart in today's competitive job market.

Program Information

- Transfer credits for any course in the Office Administration Department must be approved by the Office Administration Department Chairperson.
- In addition to the requirements of this program, it is recommended that students enroll in CED 210 - Cooperative Work Experience after completion of the OFC courses listed in the program. Students may gain valuable work experience by enrolling in CED 210 which places students in office positions related to their academic program.
- Certification exams in Word, Excel, Outlook, PowerPoint, and Access are available.
- The Microsoft Office Application Specialist certification program is the only Microsoft-approved program in the world for certifying proficiency in Microsoft Office applications.
- Students who need basic keyboarding skills should enroll in OFC 102 in Semester 1.
- This program is designed for students who plan to enter the workforce immediately.
- Graduates may go on to work in any type of office.

Related Programs

All courses may be applied to an Associate in Science in General Studies, Business and Entrepreneurial Studies.

Program Requirements



Course #	Title	Credits
OFC 130	Microsoft Office Word Specialist	3
OFC 131	Microsoft Office Excel Specialist	3
OFC 132	Microsoft Office PowerPoint Specialist	3
OFC 133	Microsoft Office Access Specialist	3
OFC 134	Microsoft Office Outlook Specialist	3
OFC 136	Microsoft Project	3
PRM 101	Foundations of Project Management	3
	Free Elective	3

Recommended Course Sequence - Semester 1

Course #	Title	Credits
OFC 130	Microsoft Office Word Specialist	3
OFC 131	Microsoft Office Excel Specialist	3
OFC 132	Microsoft Office PowerPoint Specialist	3
PRM 101	Foundations of Project Management	3

Recommended Course Sequence - Semester 2

Course #	Title	Credits
OFC 133	Microsoft Office Access Specialist	3
OFC 134	Microsoft Office Outlook Specialist	3
OFC 136	Microsoft Project	3
	Free Elective	3
	Total credits:	24

Category Descriptions

Free Elective

Credits: 3

Any 3-credit, college level course will be accepted to fill this elective.