

Western Technical College

10104207 Marketing - Website Resources

Course Outcome Summary

Course Information

Description	Students will explore tools for building and maintaining a website including templates, 3rd party platforms and domains.
Career Cluster	Business Management and Administration
Instructional Level	Technical Diploma Courses
Total Credits	1
Total Hours	18

Textbooks

No textbook required.

Course Competencies

1. Explore website hosting services and the domain name system.

Assessment Strategies

1.1. Project

Criteria

You will know you are successful when

- 1.1. you look at four different website hosting services.
- 1.2. you list five services a website hosting service can provide.
- 1.3. you indicate which website hosting service would best fit your proposed business concept.
- 1.4. you pick a domain name.
- 1.5. you determine if domain is available.
- 1.6. you include the annual costs involved with website hosting services and domain name usage.

Learning Objectives

- 1.a. Explore how to choose a domain name.
- 1.b. Determine domain name's availability.
- 1.c. Compare different web hosting services.
- 1.d. Choose web hosting service based on functionality for your proposed business concept.

2. Explore content management systems (CMS) available to build a website.

Assessment Strategies

2.1. Project

Criteria

You will know you are successful when:

- 2.1. you define what a content management system (CMS) is.
- 2.2. you explore two content management systems (CMS) that would be appropriate for your proposed business concept's needs.
- 2.3. you choose one content management system and practice using it for your proposed business concept.
- 2.4. you summarize what you learned after using features from one content management system.

Learning Objectives

- 2.a. Compare website content management systems.
- 2.b. Examine layouts/themes, functionality, and if available.
- 2.c. List pros and cons of three content management systems.

3. Determine the appropriate type of website for your proposed business concept.

Assessment Strategies

3.1. Project

Criteria

You will know you are successful when

- 3.1. you list three types of potential website and explain benefits and challenges of each.
- 3.2. you identify the purpose of your website.
- 3.3. you include research/justification to support the purpose of your website.
- 3.4. you provide a minimum of four functions for the website for your proposed concept, i.e., to take reservations.

Learning Objectives

- 3.a. List three purposes for website.
- 3.b. Summarize the purpose(s) of the website for your proposed business concent.