



CURRICULUM GUIDE: OFFICIAL COURSE OUTLINE

Course Code	CPSC 112	Course Title	Introduction to Programming			
Credit Value	4	Department	Mathematics and Science			
No. of weeks	14	Hrs. per week	<i>Lecture</i>	<i>Tutorial</i>	<i>Laboratory</i>	<i>Total</i>
			3	0	2	5
Course Description	This course is intended for students who plan to major in Computer Science and offers an advanced introduction to programming. It focuses on data abstraction and object-oriented programming.					
Prerequisite(s)	ENGL 098, CPSC 111					
Initial Articulation Targets	<i>UBC</i>	<i>SFU</i>	<i>UVic</i>	<i>UNBC</i>	<i>TRU</i>	
	CPSC 1st (3) Exempt UBCV CPSC 260	CMPT 125 (3) - Q	CSC 115 (1.5)	CPSC 101 (4)	COMP 1230 (3)	
	For updated information on the transferability of this course, please consult the BC Transfer Guide, www.bctransferguide.ca					
Learning Outcomes	<p>Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write programs using Java and object-oriented programming concepts such as classes, encapsulation, inheritance, and polymorphism. • Implement exception handling • Implement computing algorithms using data structures including m-dimensional arrays, linked lists, stacks, queues • Explain the benefits of reuse in software design • Explain the importance of abstraction and encapsulation • Explain the four software development activities • Explain how interpreters and compilers work 					
Content	<p>Core topics – all of the following will be covered:</p> <p>Programming in Java:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conditionals, Functions, Loops, Recursion, Arrays, Objects and Classes, Methods • Stacks, Queues, Linked Lists • Object-Oriented Design • Inheritance and Polymorphism • Abstract Data Types, Interfaces • Exception Handling and File I/O <p>Additional topics may also be covered, at the discretion of the instructor:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Java FX and Event Driven Programming 					



Methods of Instruction	Lectures, assignments, computer laboratory work, projects, assigned reading, quizzes, examinations		
Required Textbook(s)	<p>The following textbook(s) is/are required, or approved equivalent(s).</p> <p>Lewis, John et al. Introduction to Program Design and Data Structures. 5th ed. Harlow, Essex: Pearson Education Limited, 2019. Print.</p> <p>Liang, Y D. Introduction to Java: Programming and Data Structures. 12th ed. New Jersey: Pearson Education Inc, 2019. Print.</p>		
Required Equipment and Technology	<p>Students are required to have a computer with internet access.</p> <p>The following resources are provided by the College:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Office 365 • Student email 		
Homework Hours	At minimum, students can expect one hour of homework for every hour of instructional time.		
Evaluation	<i>Component</i>	<i>% Value</i>	
	Assignments and quizzes	10-20%	
	Labs and projects	10-20%	
	Midterm examinations (1-2)	20-40%	
	Final examination	30-35%	
Completion Requirements	The minimum grade to pass this course is D (50%). Unless otherwise stated, a minimum grade of C- (55%) is required for this course to fulfil a prerequisite.		
Course Designer(s)	Alexandra Fedorova, Simon Fraser University Tiko Kameda, Ph.D., Department of Computing Science, Simon Fraser University	Consultant(s), <i>if applicable</i>	
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