

# **Diploma in Data Entry Operator**

## **Communication Skills:**

Introduction to Communication: Purpose. Process and Importance of Communication; Verbal/oral versus Written Communication, General versus Technical Communication, barriers to Communication; Measures to Overcome the Barriers to Communication, Significance of Non-verbal Communication; Barriers to the Listening Process; Measures to Improve Listening;

Written communication: Writing letters, Personal versus Business Letters; Structure and Format of Business Letters; Types of Business Letters.

Formal office communication: Memos, Circulars and Notices, Format of a memo, circular and notice , Guidelines for writing memos, circular and notices; Writing E-mail: Principles of E-mail; E-mail Etiquette; email attachments, Spams, identifying untrusted emails, precautions in opening emails

Oral Communication Skills: Presentations; Steps in Making an effective Presentation and delivering it

Resumes, job interview, significance of body language, Manners and etiquettes to be maintained during an interview, e-mail etiquettes Professional work practice, work ethics

## **Data Entry Tools:**

Familiarity with data entry devices - Keyboards (Phonetic/Transliteration/Multi-lingual); Virtual keyboards; Scanners, Barcode readers, QR Code, QR Scanner, Image editors, resizing images for uploading, Photo editors; Familiarity with office suite (word processor, spreadsheet), data entry for database (mySQL can be used)

Data Entry tools: PoS, RF-ID tags, fingerprint scanner, webcams, Browsers: word and image search, backup and restoring data from cloud (google drive) Familiarity with creation of Google forms; working with voice services such as speech assistants Data transfer from one device to another – bluetooth, wired transfer, transfer through internet, transfer through software (teamviewer, Filezilla)

## **Basic Computer Skills:**

Basic Computer Organization: Components – CPU, Primary (Random Access Memory, Read Only Memory) and secondary storage unit (Hard disk), Input and Output devices, Removable storage media

Introduction to OS and its functions, Windows operating system – booting, logging in/out of windows, restart/shut down a system, taskbar, desktop, folders – creating a new folder, moving around folder, renaming a folder, creating a new file, deleting/renaming a file,

moving/copying a file to another folder, shortcuts, display properties, zip/unzip a file/folder, control panel and using it, searching for an app/file/settings in a computer system, administrative tasks – adding a new user/deleting an old user, change password, system settings, installing and removing software, anti-virus and its installation; File management through Windows Explorer; maximizing/minimizing/closing a window and moving around windows, command shell/prompt in windows

Basics of networking: Internet, IP addresses, networking cables and devices, world wide web, domain name server, what is proxy, what is firewall, browser and its functions, chrome browser and its setting, URL, using browser to open a webpage; working with email

### **MS Word/Open office word:**

Opening a New/Existing/Recently opened Document, Writing into document, Opening from the Documents menu, Moving Around in the Document, Saving a document, Using toolbars, using menu, quit word

Formatting document: Formatting Characters, Choosing Fonts, Enhancing Text Appearance, Inserting Special Characters, Changing Character Spacing, Formatting Paragraphs, Aligning Paragraphs, Indenting Paragraph, Setting Tabs, Changing Line Spacing, Adding Borders and Shading, Creating a Bulleted List, Creating a Numbered List, Selecting Styles, Selecting Text, Deleting Text, Moving Text, Using Menu Commands to Move Text, Using Drag-and-Drop Editing, Copying text, Creating Sections, Inserting a Section break, Formatting a Section, Viewing Sections, Find and replace text, Correcting Mistakes, Auto spellcheck, Using Undo, Using Rado, Using Auto Correct, Using Columns, Numbering Pages, Creating Headers and Footers: Adding Footnotes and Endnotes

Inserting a Picture from the Clip Art Gallery, Inserting a Picture, Adding a Border, Working with Tables and Graphics: creating and formatting a table, Entering Text, Inserting and Selecting Columns and Rows, Deleting Columns and Rows, Changing Cell Height, Adding Borders and Shading, Applying Shading, Converting Text into a Table

Printing documents: Choosing page Size and Orientation, Changing page Size, Changing Orientation, Setting Margins, Centering Page, Controlling Page Breaks, Viewing the Document before Printing, Viewing the Document before Printing, Changing to Print Preview, Using Print Preview, Printing Your Document, Saving to other format especially PDF

Mail Merge: Setting up the mail merge, Creating a main document, Building the data source, Using Templates, Protecting document with passwords Equation editor Aforementioned features should be practiced for both MS Office and Open Office word software.

### **Training/Internship/Seminar/Mini-Project:**

The candidate is required to work in an academic Institution/ Industry/ Organization on a project that is related to data entry related operations. Should work on a project that involves data entry for different domains especially ones that make use of word processing.