Course Title: Time Management

Course web page: [http://www.collin.edu/ce/courses/time_management.html](http://www.collin.edu/ce/courses/time_management.html)

Course Description: Time management is really a misnomer because we can’t really manage time. We can only manage ourselves with respect to time. Therefore, this course will cover the things that keep people from getting the results they desire, provide a repeatable problem solving process, describe ways to change poor habits, and build action plans to eliminate time wasters.

Suggested Course Prerequisite(s): None

Course Objectives: The objective of this course is to increase your productivity the equivalent of two hours per day. This will be accomplished by developing an awareness of what time management is and how it relates to your job. Participants will identify personal problem areas and discuss strategies for dealing with organizational problems. Additionally, it will be important for each participant to develop a workable action plan to put these tactics into practice on the job. Finally, we will discuss a follow-up program to ensure continued effectiveness.

Lesson Plan – by week or session
- Session 1: Program overview, “Bandits of Time,” the laws for improving personal effectiveness
- Session 2: The law of bitter fruit (problem analysis and solution brainstorming)

Course Sessions: listed are a guideline to indicate all topics that will be covered during your course. Do not plan your personal calendar based on these sessions. Your instructor will give you a calendar for your class that will indicate specific topics, assignments, and days.

Method of Evaluation: Unless otherwise stated, course completion is evaluated on the basis of attendance. Students must be in attendance 90% of the class time in order to be considered a successful completer of the course.

Students must be in attendance 90% of each course in a certificate series for successful completion and to earn a certificate as specified.

Students must complete all courses (core and no. of elective courses needed) to complete a certificate series within two years from start date of the first course taken.

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