Business Administration

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Course Schedule

Date		Topic	Textbook
Week of:		Tues., Jan. 3 Classes begin for all academic programs Mon., Feb. 13 Family Day - No classes Tues., Feb. 14 to Fri., Feb. 17, Mid-semester break - No classes Mon., Apr. 10 Last day of regularly-scheduled classes Wed., Apr. 12 to Wed., Apr. 26 Final exam period* *Fri., Apr. 14 to Mon., Apr. 17 Easter - No exams	
Jan	2	Course Introduction Overview of Personal Selling	Ch 1
	9	Building Trust and Sales Ethics	Ch 2
	16	Understanding Buyers	Ch 3
	23	Communications Skills	Ch 4
	30	Strategic Prospecting and Preparing for Sales Dialogue Introduction to Networking	Ch 5
Feb	6	Mid-term Exam (Chapters 1-5)	
	13	READING BREAK – no classes	
	20	Planning Sales Dialogues and Presentations Sales Dialogue: Creating and Communicating Value	Ch 6 Ch 7
	27	Sales Assignment Part 3: Role Play Due (Students must be present)	
Mar	6	Introduction to Negotiation t Guest Speaker – TBC	
	13	Addressing Concerns and Earning Commitment	Ch 8
	20	Expanding Customer Relationships Adding Value: Self Leadership and Team Work	Ch 9 Ch 10
	27	Sales Assignment Part 4: Role Play (Students must be present)	
Apr	3	Sales Assignment Part 4: Role Play (Students must be present) Guest Speaker – TBC	
	10	Final Review (Monday classes only)	
Apr	12 - 26	Final Exam Period	

SKILLS ACROSS THE BUSINESS CURRICULUM

The Okanagan School of Business promotes core skills across the curriculum. These skills include reading, written and oral communications, computers, small business, and academic standards of ethics, honesty and integrity.

STUDENT CONDUCT AND ACADEMIC HONESTY

What is the Disruption of Instructional Activities?

At Okanagan College (OC), disruption of instructional activities includes student "conduct which interferes with examinations, lectures, seminars, tutorials, group meetings, other related activities, and with students using the study facilities of OC", as well as conduct that leads to property damage, assault, discrimination, harassment and fraud. Penalties for disruption of instructional activities include a range of sanctions from a warning and/or a failing grade on an assignment, examination or course to suspension from OC.

What is Cheating?

"Cheating includes but is not limited to dishonest or attempted dishonest conduct during tests or examinations in which the use is made of books, notes, diagrams or other aids excluding those authorized by the examiner. It includes communicating with others for the purpose of obtaining information, copying from the work of others and purposely exposing or conveying information to other students who are taking the test or examination."

Students must submit independently written work. Students may not write joint or collaborative assignments with other students unless the instructor approves it in advance as a group/team project. Students who share their work with other students are equally involved in cheating.

What is Plagiarism?

Plagiarism is defined as "the presentation of another person's work or ideas without proper or complete acknowledgement." It is the serious academic offence of reproducing someone else's work, including words, ideas and media, without permission for course credit towards a certificate, diploma, degree and/or professional designation. The defining characteristic is that the work is not yours.

"Intentional plagiarism is the deliberate presentation of another's work or ideas as one's own." Intentional plagiarism can be a copy of material from a journal article, a book chapter, data from the Internet, another student, work submitted for credit in another course or from other sources.

"Unintentional plagiarism is the inadvertent presentation of another's work or ideas without proper acknowledgement because of poor or inadequate practices. Unintentional plagiarism is a failure of scholarship; intentional plagiarism is an act of deceit."