

OBJECTIVES: 1. To make them learn about the computer structure & its basic fundamentals.
2. Providing them a good knowledge of preparing a document, presenting a presentation, working with Excel.

UNIT-I: BASICS OF COMPUTERS : Definition of a computer – Characteristics and Applications of Computers – Block diagram of a digital computer – classification of computers based on size and working central processing unit – I/O devices.

UNIT-II: Primary, Auxiliary and Cache memory – memory devices software, Hardware, Firmware and people ware – definition and types of operating system – functions of an operating system – MS-DOS – MS Windows – Desktop, computer, documents, pictures, Music, Videos, recycle bin, taskbar – Control Pane.

UNIT-III: MS – WORD: Features of MS – Word. MS – Word window components – Creating, Editing, Formatting and Printing of Documents – Headers and Footers – Insert/ Draw tables, Table Auto-format – page borders and Shading – Inserting symbols, Shapes, Word Art, Page Numbers, Equations – spelling and Grammar – Thesaurus – Mail Merge.

UNIT-IV: MS - POWER POINT: Features of power point – creating a blank presentation – creating a presentation using a template – Inserting and deleting slides in a presentation – adding clip art / pictures – Inserting other objects, audio, video – Resizing and scaling of an object – slide transition – custom animation.

UNIT-V: MS EXCEL: Overview of Excel features - Creating a new work sheet, Selecting cells, Entering and editing text, Numbers, formulae, referencing cells – Inserting rows/columns – changing column widths and row heights, auto format, changing font sizes, colors, shading.

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2. Fundamentals of computers by V.Raja Raman, Publishers PHI.
3. Microsoft Office 2010 Bible by John Walkenbach, Herb Tyson, Michael R Groh and Faithewempen, Publihsers: Wiley.

