Access - Level One

Understanding what will be taught helps a student become comfortable with the course, and also provides a means to evaluate learning. The following course content details what will be covered in this class.

Level One

Database Concepts
Access Basics (Screen, Menu, Help)
Using the Office Assistant
Opening/Saving/Closing a File
Viewing a Table
Editing a Table
AutoCorrect and Spell Checking
Creating a Primary Key
Changing Field Sizes
Converting Field Types
Creating Queries
Saving/Opening Queries

Using Wildcards
Form vs Table View
Viewing Multiple Tables
Changing a Table Image
Assigning Captions
Sorting
Printing a View
Page Setup and Printing
Creating and Restructuring a Table
Filtering and Finding Data
Creating Reports

Access - Level Two

Understanding what will be taught helps a student become comfortable with the course, and also provides a means to evaluate learning. The following course content details what will be covered in these classes.

Course Outline

Importing External Data
Custom Display Formats
Input Masks
Setting Default values
Using the Expression Builder
Creating Validity Rules & Validity
Text
Compound Queries
Creating calculated Fields
Using Summary Operators

Querying Multiple Tables
Action Queries
Customizing Forms
Creating Custom Reports
Saving/Opening Reports
Creating Custom Forms
Saving/Opening Forms
File Management
Database Properties

Access - Advanced

Understanding what will be taught helps a student become comfortable with the course, and also provides a means to evaluate learning. The following course content details what will be covered in these classes.

Course Outline

Parameter and action queries
Query joins and crosstab queries
Organizing field placement on a form
Using functions to control form data
Adding an option group to a form
Using a form as the user interface
Creating a subform
Automating forms with macros
Customizing a report
Mailing and other types of labels

Course Outline

Planning an Application
Examining a Completed Application
Developing a Distributed Application Design
Adding Command Buttons to Navigate
Creating a Macro Group
Customizing an Unbound Form to Behave like a
Dialog Box
Documenting a Macro Group
Using the Switchboard Manager
Setting Database Startup Properties
Using a Macro Group to Show and Hide a Toolbar
Creating a Custom Menu Bar for a Form
Startup Properties for Toolbars and Menu Bars

Creating a Form as a Splash Screen
Automating the Splash Screen Form
Displaying a Splash Screen at Startup
Creating a Public Function
Adding General Procedures in a Form Module
Creating Event Procedures
Security Overview
Creating User-level Security
Securing a Database with a Password
Distributing the Secured Application