

Syllabus: Practices & Policies

2021-2022	Franklin High School			
Section 1: Course Overview				
Course Title	Accounting			
Instructor Info	Name: Jose Losoya Contact Info: jlosoya@pps.net			
Grade Level(s)	10, 11, 12			
Room # for class	Room: M-106			
Credit	Type of credit: Elective and PCC Dual Credit (optional) # of credits per semester: .5			
Prerequisites (if applicable)	Computer Applications - Recommended			
General Course Description	Presents double-entry accounting as related to service and merchandising business.			
Section 2: Welcome Statement & Course Connections				
Personal Welcome	I'm very excited that you've decided to join me in our Accounting course. This class is designed to give			
	you an overview of the language of business and introductory into the accounting cycle.			
Course Highlights (topics, themes, areas of study)	Covers accounting cycle, including journalizing, posting to the general ledger, preparation of financial statements, petty cash, bank reconciliations, combined journal, special journals and payroll.			
Course Connections to PPS ReImagined Vision	Students in Accounting are asked to think critically, be responsible and accountable, communicate effectively, and plan.			

Section 3: Student Learning Prioritized The following standards will be explored in the course: Standards 1. Apply the double-entry accounting model to the analysis and recording of common business transactions using a manual system of journals and ledger accounts. 2. Perform the steps in the accounting cycle to include the preparation of: worksheets, adjustments, financial statements, closing entries and trial balances. 3. Prepare bank reconciliations and related journal entries. 4. Apply payroll procedures to include the calculation and recording of employee earnings and payroll taxes. I will help students grow their knowledge and skills in the following aspects of PPS's Graduate Portrait: PPS Graduate **Portrait** ☐ Inquisitive Critical Thinkers with Deep Knowledge **Connections** Powerful and Effective Communicators ☐ Positive, Confident, and Connected Sense of Self ☐ Optimistic Future-Orientated Graduates ☐ Reflective Empathetic and Empowering Graduates Influential and Informed Global Stewards ☐ Resilient and Adaptable Lifelong Learners Inclusive and Collaborative Problem Solvers ☐ Transformative Racial Equity Leaders Differentiation/ I will provide the following supports specifically for students in the following programs: accessibility Special Education: strategies and Accommodations indicated by Individual Education Plans will be made in cooperation with students, special supports: education teachers and parents. 504 Plans: Accommodations indicated by 504 Plans will be made in cooperation with students, counselors and parents. **English Language Learners:** Strategies used in this class to address ELL needs will include, but are not limited to, the following: Posting clearly defined objectives



	☐ Emphasizing key vocabulary
	Providing clear expectation of tasks, slower speech, increased wait time, etc
	☐ Scaffolding techniques like think-alouds to support student understanding
	☐ Allowing for frequent opportunities for student interaction (pair-shares, small and large group
	work)
	☐ Using activities that integrate reading, writing, speaking and listening
	Providing regular feedback
	Talented & Gifted:
	Strategies used in this class to address TAG needs will include, but are not limited to, the following: Challenge
	prompts, flexible grouping, independent based learning, honors option.
Personalized	Career Related Learning Experience (CRLEs) and Essential Skills:
Learning	
Graduation Requirements (as	PERSONAL MANAGEMENT Exhibit appropriate work ethic and behaviors in school, community, and the workplace.
applicable in this	PROBLEM SOLVING Apply decision-making and problem-solving techniques in school, community,
course):	and the workplace.
	COMMUNICATION Demonstrate effective communication skills to give and receive information in
	school, community, and workplace.
	TEAMWORK Demonstrate effective teamwork in school, community, and workplace.
	EMPLOYMENT FOUNDATIONS Demonstrate academic, technical, and organizational knowledge and skills required for successful employment.
	CAREER DEVELOPMENT Demonstrate career development skills in planning for post high school
	experiences.
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Tier 1 SEL Strategies	Behavioral Expectations:
Shared	At Franklin High School, in addition to following all school rules, we expect staff and students to:
Agreements	Strive to be
. greements	ThoughtfulWe put time and effort into our work
	RespectfulWe respect the diverse learning needs of our peers
X	OrganizedWe are present and on time to class NeighborlyWe greet others and interact positively
	GenerousWe share our resources with each other
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I will display our Agreements in the following locations: On my wall My plan for ongoing feedback through year on their effectiveness is: Student Survey One-on-One Check-ins Grades/assignment completion Student's I will cultivate culturally sustaining relationships with students by: Perspective & Get to know students Needs Celebrate students' cultures Be mindful Families can communicate what they know of their student's needs with me in the following ways: Email Phone Canvas Conferences



Empowering Students	I will celebrate student successes in the following ways: Positive Feedback Displaying student work in the classroom I will solicit student feedback on my pedagogy, policies and practices by: Regular check-ins	
	Student Surveys	
	When class agreements aren't maintained (i.e. behavior) by a student I will approach it in the following ways: Remind students of expectations and/or rules Talk to students outside the classroom or after class. Compassion and Connection	
Showcasing Student Assets	I will provided opportunities for students to choose to share and showcase their work by: Creating space in the classroom	
Section 5: Classroom Specific Procedures		
Safety issues and	Wear a mask at all times	
requirements (if	Maintain 3 feet of distance between peers and teacher	
applicable):	Keep aisles clean of debris	
Coming & Going	I understand the importance of students taking care of their needs. Please use the following guidelines when	
from class	coming and going from class:	



	One student out with a pass at a time
	Return in a timely manner
	Wear mask at all times
	Maintain 3 feet of distance in hallways
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Submitting Work	I will collect work from students in the following way:
	Canvas
	If a student misses a deadline, I will partner with the student in the following ways so they have the ability to
	demonstrate their abilities:
	Create individualized plan with each student
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Returning Your Work	My plan to return student work is the following:
VVOIK	Timeline: ASAP
	What to look for on your returned work: Check canvas/synergy for points earned, and comments on assignments as why assignment was not graded
	Revision Opportunities: Unlimited tries on daily work
Formatting Work	Directions on how to format submitted work (ex. formal papers, lab reports, etc) can be found here:
(if applicable)	Uploaded to Canvas
 Attendance	If a student is absent, I can help them get caught up by:
	Student should review assignments covered in Canvas during class missed
	Section 6: Course Resources & Materials
Materials Provided	I will provided the following materials to students:
	Textbook
	Canvas Materials
Materials Needed	Please have the following materials for this course:
	Chromebook/iMac/Laptop and Charger Cord
	Access to @student.pps.net account
	Franklin can help with any materials you may need as well. Please reach out to me privately and I will help you
	get what you need.
Course Resources	Here is a link to resources that are helpful to students during this course:



	Canvas Course Home Dage	
	Canvas Course Home Page	
Empowering Families	The following are resources available for families to assist and support students through the course: Canvas Course Home Page Email Phone	
Section 7: Assessment of Progress and Achievement		
Formative Assessments	As students move through the learning journey during specific units/topics, I will assess & communicate their <u>progress</u> in the following ways: Daily Assignments- Informal write-ups Projects Tests	
Summative Assessments	As we complete specific units/topics I will provide the following types of opportunities for students to provide evidence of their <u>learned</u> abilities: Apply skills and reasoning to tests	
Student Role in Assessment	Students and I will partner to determine how they can demonstrate their abilities in the following ways: Assignments Projects Individualized Learning Plans	
Section 8: Grades Progress Report Cards & Final Report Cards		
Accessing Grades	Students & Families can go to the following location for <u>up-to-date</u> information about their grades throughout the semester: Canvas Synergy	



	I will update student grades at the following frequency:	
	ASAP	
Progress Reports	I will communicate the following marks on a progress report:	
	Mark: A, B, C, D or F	
	Meaning of the mark: Percentage student received from work completed	
	Mark: Incomplete	
	Meaning of the mark: Student did not submitted sufficient evidence of learning	
	Mark: Pass or No Pass	
	Meaning of the mark: Student has/has not submitted evidence of learning or student would like to audit course	
Final Report Card	The following system is used to determine a student's grade at the end of the semester:	
Grades	Total points earned (total points earned/total points possible)	
	I use this system for the following reasons/each of these grade marks mean the following:	
	Assignments - Completion	
	Test - Percentage of points earned	
Other Needed info (if applicable)		

