

Excel 2 - Week 1 Assignment Checklist

Excel

important info

SAM exams, quizzes

Hyperlinks

Due dates

Instructions for the first few weeks are long. As course progresses, instructions become shorter.

Date	Topics	✓	Assignments	Due Dates
<p>Week 1 begins on Monday, April 6.</p>	1. PRETEST	<input type="checkbox"/>	- Online assessment to determine readiness for Excel 2. (70% score determines you are ready for Excel 2.)	<p><input type="checkbox"/> All Week 1 tasks must be completed by Week 2, Monday, April 13, midnight.</p>
	2. Orientation	<input type="checkbox"/>	-Watch the Excel orientation BEFORE attempting to begin Excel class.	
	3. How to Use Weekly checklist	<input type="checkbox"/>	-If using Adobe Acrobat for this file, "Enable Editing" to select what you have completed, right click and click on Highlight Text to indicate you are finished with that item.	
		<input type="checkbox"/>	-If using Word for this file, click on checkbox to indicate completed items.	
		<input type="checkbox"/>	-If neither of the above works, print out the checklists to check off completed items.	
<p>Week 1 begins on Monday, April 6.</p>	4. No Canvas for Excel class	<input type="checkbox"/>	-Use the checklists EVERY WEEK to keep track of your completed assignments.	<p><input type="checkbox"/> All Week 1 tasks must be completed by Week 2, Monday, April 13, midnight.</p>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	-The only things in your Canvas shell are (1) link to my website and (2) link for AppStream to use for Office 365 software. (See page 2.) Otherwise everything else is run from:	
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Watson's Website • SAM for online training, projects, and exams • the class blog (Blogger) • personal email • my shared Google Drive folder 	
	5. Purchase textbooks	<input type="checkbox"/>	- Purchase Cengage Unlimited .	
		<input type="checkbox"/>	-See syllabus , page 3, for information.	
		<input type="checkbox"/>	-Students with financial aid may purchase Cengage Unlimited product code at OCC Bookstore. See page 3 in syllabus.	
		<input type="checkbox"/>	-NOTE: Cengage allows a 14-day grace period to get started in SAM.	
		<input type="checkbox"/>	-NOTE: If you were enrolled in one of my other classes and already subscribed to Cengage Unlimited, you do not need to purchase (subscribe) again.	
		<input type="checkbox"/>	-Use these links to make sure your home or office computer is prepared for this class:	
	6. Prepare your home computer	<input type="checkbox"/>	- SAM System Requirements	
		<input type="checkbox"/>	- Monitor Resolution	
		<input type="checkbox"/>	- SAM System Check	
		<input type="checkbox"/>	- Setting Up Your Browser	
			<u>Golden Rule for Browsing: If something doesn't work when you are online, try another browser.</u>	
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<p>Week 1 begins on Monday, April 6.</p>	<p>7. Check in by email</p> <p>8. Join Blog</p> <p>9. Check in on Blog</p> <p>9. Syllabus</p> <p>10. Do you have Office 365?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> -If you haven't emailed me to check in for class, please do so now. <input type="checkbox"/> -Email me at maryann.watson.excel@gmail.com from your personal email address with the subject line, "Checking in for class". <input type="checkbox"/> -Don't forget to sign the email with your OCC registered name AND the CRN of your class. <input type="checkbox"/> -Check your personal email inbox for a blog invitation. Check spam/trash if you don't see the invitation in your Inbox. <input type="checkbox"/> -Follow instructions in the blog invitation to join the blog, where you can ask questions and get answers. <input type="checkbox"/> -<u>Use maximized windows</u> to enable seeing all instructions. <input type="checkbox"/> -Please DO NOT email me class questions. Put your questions and commentary on the blog. <input type="checkbox"/> -I will comment back on the blog with answers to your questions and other students will be able to get answers as well. <input type="checkbox"/> -Only email me about personal things that should not be on a class blog page. <input type="checkbox"/> -Check in on the blog by posting a comment to the "Welcome to Excel 2" post. <input type="checkbox"/> -Read Syllabus – Your class syllabus is posted on Watson's Website. It was also sent as attachment to the Welcome email. <input type="checkbox"/> -Verify you have Microsoft Word, Excel, Access, and PowerPoint software in your version of Office 365 on your computer. (The free version of Office 365 <u>does not</u> have MS Access and it may not have all of the features required for Excel assignments.) <input type="checkbox"/> -This course requires Office 365 (with MS Access) for Windows computers. However, if your version of Office 365 does not have all of the software required for Excel, login to this class in Canvas to use AppStream for Virtual Desktop for Office 365 software on campus. <input type="checkbox"/> -If you borrow a computer from OCC, it may be a Google Chromebook, which does not have a Windows operating system. <input type="checkbox"/> -If you use a Google Chromebook computer, you will need to use AppStream for Virtual Desktop in Canvas for Office 365 software and Windows. <input type="checkbox"/> -If you have the free version of Office 365, it <u>does not</u> have all necessary software. You will need to use AppStream for Virtual Desktop in Canvas for Office 365 software. <input type="checkbox"/> -Click here to learn about the folder procedure. <input type="checkbox"/> -Click here to learn about downloading. <input type="checkbox"/> -On the Folders page on my website, scroll down to click on the Excel 2 link in box 3. This will display the page with folder links you will use throughout the course. 	<p><input type="checkbox"/> All Week 1 tasks must be completed by Week 2, Monday, April 13, midnight.</p>
<p>Week 1 begins on Monday, April 6.</p>	<p>11. What are the 'Folders'?</p>		<p><input type="checkbox"/> All Week 1 tasks must be completed by Week 2, Monday, April 13, midnight.</p> <p>Cont'd next page...</p>

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<p>Week 1 begins on Monday, April 6.</p>	<p>15. Turn in folder</p> <p>16. FYI</p> <p>17. Office hours</p> <p>18. Videos</p> <p>19. Syllabus Quiz (required)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> -Turn in your correctly labeled Module 7 folder to get credit for this week. <input type="checkbox"/> -Looking ahead: Difference between Office 2019 & Office 2021 <input type="checkbox"/> -Office hours will be in Zoom. <input type="checkbox"/> -Office hours are listed on Watson’s Website and in the class syllabus. <input type="checkbox"/> -Zoom link is sent by email to all students on 1st day of class. <input type="checkbox"/> -Support videos (mostly from YouTube) will be listed in each week’s checklist. The videos support each chapters’ contents. <input type="checkbox"/> -NOTE: Weekly schedules will ‘grow’ shorter as the weeks go by. <input type="checkbox"/> - Syllabus Quiz Link was sent to your personal email address. Be sure to complete the Syllabus Quiz. This counts as 1 quiz grade. 	<p><input type="checkbox"/> All Week 1 tasks must be completed by Week 2, Monday, April 13, midnight.</p>
	<p>20. Blog & Email</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> -Check the class blog and your personal email several times a week. 	