

Diploma in Computer Education

Duration: 6 Months

Syllabus with Duration

1. History and Evolution of Computers

- Generations of Computers
- Early Computing Devices
- Milestones in Hardware and Software

2. Introduction to Computers

- Definition and Characteristics of Computers
- Types of Computers: Desktop, Laptop, Tablet, Server
- Applications of Computers in Daily Life

3. Components of a Computer System

- Input Devices: Keyboard, Mouse, Scanner
- Output Devices: Monitor, Printer, Speakers
- Storage Devices: HDD, SSD, Pen Drive, CD/DVD

4. Operating System Basics

- Types of Operating Systems: Windows, Linux, macOS
- Functions of an Operating System
- Starting, Shutting Down, and Restarting a Computer
- Creating and Managing Folders and Files
- Using the Desktop, Taskbar, and Start Menu

5. Control Panel and System Settings

- Add/Remove Programs
- User Account Management
- Date/Time, Language Settings
- Display and Sound Settings

6. Virus and Antivirus

- What is a Computer Virus?
- Types of Viruses
- Antivirus Software and Scanning
- Safe Computing Practices

7. Networking and Internet Basics

- What is a Network?
- Ethernet and Wireless Networking Basics
- Understanding IP Addressing and DNS (Basic Level)
- Network Devices: Router, Modem
- Web Browsers Overview (Chrome, Firefox, Edge)
- Using Search Engines Effectively (Google Search Techniques)

8. Internet Usage and Email

- Creating an Email ID
- Sending, Receiving, and Replying to Emails
- Forwarding and Adding Attachments
- Email Etiquette and Spam Awareness

9. Peripheral Devices and Printing

- Installing and Using Printers
- Printer Settings and Troubleshooting
- Scanners and External Storage

10. Basic Cybersecurity Awareness

- Password Safety
- Identifying Phishing Emails
- Secure Internet Practices

11. Introduction to Cloud and Online Storage

- Google Drive, OneDrive Basics
- Uploading and Sharing Files

12. Basic Productivity Tools Overview

- Brief Intro to MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint
- Using Notepad and WordPad
- Taking Screenshots and Using Snipping Tool

13. Final Practice / Q&A / Assessment

- Recap, practice tasks, assessment and viva