LESSON 2: APPLICATION SOFTWARE

PART 1: VOCABULARY

Extra exercises

Exercise 1: Look at the transcriptions and write the correct words

No.	Transcriptions	Words
1	/ˈdesktɒp ˈpʌblɪʃɪŋ/	
2	/ˌbʌɪəʊˌɪnfəˈmatɪks/	
3	/ˈdeɪtə ˈmanɪdʒm(ə)nt/	
4	/əˈkaʊntɪŋ ˈsɒftweə(r)/	
5	/dri:m 'wi:və/	
6	/ˈentəpraɪz ˈsɒftweə(r)/	
7	/ˈgrafɪks ˈprəʊgræm/	
8	/ˈruːt ˈplanɪŋ ˈsɒftweə(r)/	
9	/ˈsatəlʌɪt navɪˈgeɪʃ(ə)n	
10	/ˈwɜːd ˈprəʊsesɪŋ ˈsɒftweə(r)/	

Exercise 2: Look at the meanings and write the correct English words

No	Meanings	Words
1	Phần mềm biên tập đồ họa vectơ	
2	Trình biên soạn	
3	Thiết bị hỗ trợ kỹ thuật số	
4	Phần mềm chỉnh sửa ảnh	
5	Bộ ứng dụng văn phòng	
6	Phần mềm chỉ đường	
7	Phần mềm của Microsoft dùng đề lập trình	
8	Thu nhỏ lại	
9	Được hưởng lợi từ	
10	Tối ưu hóa	

Exercise 3: Complete the following sentences with a suitable word beginning with a given letter

1. A wp	_ software is a device that provides for input, editing, formatting and
output of text.	
2. Users have b	$__$ from Scribus a lot because it is considered the best free DTP
software.	

3. The function of $f d___f m__$	is to p	plan, control, and de	liver data effectively in
an organization.			
4. All s pro	grams include comr	mon functions that ca	an be used for quickly
finding the sum, average, coun	t, maximum value, a	and minimum value f	or a range of cells.
5. Today, most people are fami	liar with the d	aa	on their smartphones
such as the Google Assista	ant on Android si	martphones, Siri on	iPhones and iPads,
and Bixby on Samsung phones	5.		
6. C D is a vector of	drawing tool which is	s mainly used to crea	ate logos, signs and to
vectorize images, or create new fonts.			
7. D p	S	_ is a tool for graph	ic designers and non-
designers to create visual comr	nunications such as	brochures, business	cards, greeting cards,
web pages, posters.			
8. Adobe Photoshop was originally created as a convenient and powerful way to ${f r}_{}$			
photos.			

PART 2: GRAMMAR

Extra exercises

Exercise 1: Put the verbs in brackets in the correct forms

- 1. Users (will/provide) with a good selection of templates to help them get started and give them inspiration thanks to the best DTP software.
- 2. Adobe Reader is a free program which (design) to use PDF files such as images, text documents, forms, books, or any combination of these.
- 3. If you want to manipulate a document, (enter) the text and (use) Word processing software to edit and format it.
- 4. All the staffs in the company (benefit) from a system of modern computers so far.
- 5. Route planning software (use) by drivers to define and optimize delivery routines.
- 6. If you want to make a movie on your computer, a video editing (be) a perfect choice.
- 7. Data management system is used for (control) and (deliver) data effectively in the organizations.
- 8. The function of accounting software is (manage) the businesses' financial transactions.

Exercise 2: Identify the error (A, B, C or D) in each sentence and write the correct words/phrases

- 1. One of the most widely (A) used word processing software is (B) Word, that (C) is a part of (D) Microsoft Office.
- 2. Visual Studio is used (A) Microsoft software development platforms to develop (B) computer programs (C) for Microsoft Windows, as well as (D) web sites, web applications and web services.
- 3. If you are serious about making (A) professional publications and marketing material (B), you would (C) want the software with the most professional (D) use like Adobe InDesign.

- 4. <u>A</u> (A) digital assistant is a computer <u>program</u> (B) which <u>designed</u> (C) to assist a user <u>by</u> (D) answering questions and performing basic tasks.
- 5. Photoshop <u>has</u> (A) a huge number of <u>filters</u> (B), functions and other tools which <u>helps</u> (C) the graphics artist <u>complete</u> (D) his task.
- 6. Rational Rose <u>has be ranked</u> (A) as the top visual modeling <u>tool</u> (B) among <u>its</u> (C) <u>closest</u> (D) competitors today.
- 7. If you want to make (A) logos or any (B) symbols for your work, Corel Draw would be (C) the best (D) choice for that.
- 8. You will offer (A) more (B) layout, image and font tools (C) than standard word processor software thanks to the best (D) DTP software.

PART 3: LISTENING

Exercise 1: Listen to a short conversation and fill in the gaps with NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS

1.	The woman doesn't have a	in her car.	
2.	The woman isn't really interested in	gadgets.	
3.	The man knows a little about		
3.	The position can be pinpointed to within	than	ks to technology.
4.	The mapping companies are in charge of	of doing the	

Exercise 2: Listen to a short talk about graphics program and answer the questions with NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS

- 1. What feature of graphics programs is used to type, draw, and edit images on computers?
- 2. What are the basic shapes called in graphics program?
- 3. How do the users activate a tool in a toolbox?
- 4. If the users want to move an object to a different location, what tool will they choose?
- 5. What tool will be chosen if the users wish to turn an object around an axis?

PART 4: SPEAKING

Activity 1: Making a conversation

Student A: Ask and answer the questions about the application software to complete the table

	Student A	Student B
Name of the	Basic office suit	(1)
application software		
Key features	- A word processor, a spreadsheet	(2)
	program and a presentation program	
	- Even a database manager, an email	
	client, a web browser, Instant	
	Messaging	

User	All people	(3)
Purposes/ functions	Create text documents, spreadsheets	(4)
	and presentations	
Limitations Sometimes can't retrieve documents		(5)
	after system failure	

Student B: Ask and answer the questions about the application software to complete the table

	Student A	Student B	
Name of the (1)		Graphics program	
application software			
Key features	(2)	- Two main categories: Raster graphics,	
		vector graphics	
		- Use colors to attract the attention of the	
		viewer	
		- Enhance the visual effect of your project	
		by manipulating shapes to create a	
		stunning image.	
User	(3)	Graphic designers	
Purposes/ functions	(4)	To create attractive images and	
		designs	
Limitations	(5)	Take long time and much effort for	
		beginners to use it	

Activity 2: Free talk

Topic: Talk about your favorite application software based on suggested questions

- 1. What is your favorite application software?
- 2. By whom was it used?
- 3. What is it used for?
- 4. What benefits do the users get from this app?
- 5. Does it have any limitations? If any, what are they?

PART 5: WRITING

Exercise 1: Write the sentence using the given words in brackets

- 1. Desktop publishing/ allow/ users/ create/ page layouts/ document.
- 2. Word processing software/ provide/ a number/ tool/ copy/ delete/ and/ format/ text document.
- 3. If/ companies/ not understand/ importance of data management/ they/ not survive/ modern economy.
- 4. A spreadsheet/ sheet of paper/ which/ use/ store/ and/ display/ financial data.

- 5. Visual Studio/ support/ different programming languages/ allow/ the code editor/ and / debugger/ support / most/ programming languages.
- 6. Photoshop/ powerful graphics program/ which/ produced/ the Adobe Corporation.

Exercise 2: Write about your favorite application software based on suggested questions

- 1. What is your favorite application software?
- 2. By whom was it used?
- 3. What is it used for?
- 4. What benefits do the users get from this app?
- 5. Does it have any limitations? If any, what are they?