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Lab sheet 01

CIS 11042 – Practical for Essential of ICT and PC Applications

Title: Work with Computer System, tools for work & study and Desktop accessories

Aims:

- Getting familiar with Computer System/ Windows Operating System environment (GUI)
- Customize and Configure Desktop and Start Screen
- Use appropriate utility tools to do necessary changes or configuration

Task:

1. Basic Operations
 - a. Starting up and shutting down the computer (alt + f4)
 - b. Restarting a computer
 - c. Computers basic system information
 - d. The Desktop
 - e. Managing files
 - i. Files
 - ii. Folders
 - iii. Copying files
 - iv. Deleting files
2. Customizing the Start Screen
 - a. Identify the components in the Start Screen.
 - b. Pin and Unpin Apps, folders and files to the Start Screen.
 - c. Resize Start Screen Tiles.
 - d. Personalize the Start Screen.
3. Customizing with the windows Desktop and Task bar
 - a. Personalize your desktop
 - i Change desktop icons.
 - ii Customize mouse pointer
 - iii Change font size
 - iv Change the background and color
 - f. Add Icons to Your Desktop
 - g. Create folders on your desktop
 - i. Create a new folder on your desktop named as your registration number
 - ii. And within your registration number folder create another sub folder named as your name
 - iii. Compress your folder

- h. Create shortcuts on your desktop
- i. Create shortcuts from existing files or folder
- 4. Managing User Accounts and Parental Controls.
 - a. Create a User Account
 - b. Change Account name
 - c. Change the password
 - d. Delete a User
- 5. Customizing file explorer
 - a. How to customize file explorer's quick Access
 - b. How to customize columns in file explorer
 - c. How to turn file Explorer's ribbon On or Off
 - d. How to display hidden folders and files in file Explorer
 - e. How to display different panes in file explorer
 - i. Navigation pane
 - ii. Preview Pane
 - iii. Details Pane
- 6. Most useful short cut keys

Action	Shortcut
Copy:	Ctrl + C
Cut:	Ctrl + X
Paste:	Ctrl + V
Maximize Window:	F11 or Windows logo key + Up arrow
Minimize Window:	Windows logo key + Down arrow Open
Task View:	Windows logo key + Tab
Display and hide the desktop:	Windows logo key + D
Open Search	Windows Key + S
Switch between open apps:	Alt + Tab
Open the Quick Link menu:	Windows logo key + X
Lock your PC:	Windows logo key + L