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PHOENIX TS

# Technical Writing Training

This instructor-led training course teaches participants to write clear, concise business documents. This training teaches students how to write proposals, reports, manuals, and letters.

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## Course Overview

Phoenix TS' Instructor-led Technical Writing course teaches participants to write clear, concise business documents within the Federal Workplace. This training course covers:

- Proposals
- Reports
- Manuals
- Letters

## Schedule

Currently, there are no public classes scheduled. Please contact a Phoenix TS Training Consultant to discuss hosting a private class at 301-258-8200.

## Course Outline

## Know Your Purpose and Your Writing Situation

- Identify the purpose of your writing and state the purpose in writing
- Create and use a work plan for your writing
- Key concepts
  - Writing purpose
  - Writer's situation
  - Writing work plan

## Know Your Audience and Their Situation

- Identify your audience
- Recognize your audience's situation
- Key concepts
  - Audience concerns and characteristics
  - Audience education, experiences, and workplace locations
  - Audience attitude toward your writing purpose

## Choose and Organize Your Content Around Your Purpose and Audience

- Research content of writing
- Choose content of writing
- Organize content of writing
  - Chronological
  - Classification and Division
  - Mechanism Descriptions

## Write Clearly and Precisely

- Write a clear opening paragraph
- Write in language appropriate for readers
- Write in active voice
- Key concepts
  - What to include in an opening paragraph
  - Audience
  - Active voice
  - Pronouns
  - Active verbs
  - Keep writing simple
  - Collaborative writing

## Use Good Page Design

- Produce documents that are accessible
- Produce visually attractive documents
- Key concepts
  - Templates
  - Headings
  - Page headers and footers
  - Appropriate text
  - Lists and table
  - Bold, italics and caps
  - White space

## Think Visually

- Obtain and use visual representations
- Key concepts
  - Technical drawings, photographs, and other images
  - Google image search
  - Fair use laws
  - Style guides
  - Cultural considerations for images

## Write Ethically

- Write balanced documents
- Write honest documents
- Credit sources
- Construct ethical graphs
- Key concepts
  - Plagiarism
  - Style Guides
  - Citations
  - Ethical graphs

## Elements of Reports

- Create reports with all appropriate parts
- Key concepts

- Title page
- Letter of transmittal
- Preface
- Table of contents
- List of Illustrations
- Glossary
- List of Symbols
- Abstracts and Summaries
- Introduction
- Discussion
- Conclusion and recommendation
- Appendixes

## Formats of Reports

- Know the formats and parts that make up the most common technical documents
- Key concepts
  - Instructions
  - Warnings
  - Theory
  - Glossary
  - Analytical reports
  - Proposals
  - Progress reports
  - Empirical research reports

## Formats of Correspondence

- Write professional and effective business correspondence
- Key concepts
  - Elements of a letter
  - Memorandums
  - Email
  - Resumes
  - Application letters

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## Included in this **Technical Writing Training**

- 2 days instructor-led training
- Technical Writing Training training book
- Notepad, pen and highlighter
- Variety of bagels, fruits, doughnuts and cereal available at the start of class\*
- Tea, coffee and soda available throughout the day\*
- Freshly baked cookies every afternoon\*