#### COMPUTERIZED ACCOUNTING COMPETENCIES

### 1. BUSINESS MACHINES

- a. Demonstrates ability to improve typing speed and accuracy
- b. Demonstrates use of calculation

### 2. ACCOUNTING CYCLE

- a. Demonstrates knowledge of accounting cycle
- b. Completes simulation

### 3. COMPUTERIZED ACCOUNTING APPLICATIONS

- a. Completes computerized general ledger
- b. Demonstrates knowledge of processing journal entries
- c. Demonstrates knowledge of financial statement and period-end-closing
- d. Demonstrates knowledge of computerized accounts payable ledger
- e. Demonstrates ability to process accounts payable transactions
- f. Demonstrates ability to process computerized accounts receivable ledger
- g. Demonstrates knowledge in processing accounts receivable transactions
- h. Demonstrates knowledge in payroll accounting

### 4. PREPARATION OF PERSONAL INCOME TAXES

- a. Demonstrates knowledge of federal income taxes
- b. Demonstrates knowledge of state income taxes
- c. Earns certification in Basic including Standards and Conduct through the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Program
- d. Completes community volunteer hours through the IRS VITA Program

### 5. ELECTRONIC SPREADSHEET OPERATIONS

- a. Demonstrates knowledge of the purposes and uses of electronic worksheets
- b. Creates an application worksheet and improve the worksheet appearance
- c. Uses calculation formulas and functions to produce a worksheet
- d. Manages documents, files, spreadsheets and Windows
- e. Demonstrates editing functions on a worksheet
- f. Demonstrates use of graphic presentations
- g. Completes automated accounting modules using QuickBooks (inputting daily business activities related to employees, payroll, bookkeeping, accounting and financial documents)

# 6. PERSONALIZED BANKING

- a. Understands uses of banking services (simple interest, checks, deposit slips, net pay, credit, and credit cards)
- b. Understands uses of checking account (check stubs/register, preparing checks, endorsements, bank statement, bank reconciliation worksheets)
- c. Completes simulated Bank Transactions (transactions, bank statements, loans, hands on balancing 2 months of banking)

## 7. ESSENTIAL EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS/CAREER PREPARATION STANDARDS

- a. Demonstrate personal skill development (positive attitude, honesty, self-confidence, time management)
- b. Demonstrate effective interpersonal skills (group dynamics, conflict resolution, negotiations)
- c. Demonstrate academic skills, critical thinking and problem-solving in the workplace
- d. Demonstrate effective communication
- e. Demonstrate occupational safety issues and observe all safety rules
- f. Demonstrate career awareness and knowledge of pathways
- g. Demonstrate ability to adapt to changing technology
- h. Demonstrate ability to prepare for employment (resume, job application, job interview, and portfolio development)

### 8. ARTICULATION

Recommended for articulation through Imperial Valley College (IVC). Verification provided by IVC.