Appendix N

FINANCE YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP

BANKING ADVANCED (UNIT 6)

Competency

1. Obtain/complete documentation to close accounts

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Access customer account on computer
- Verify account balance and any outstanding fees or items
- Prepare withdrawal or transfer form
- Write appropriate transaction code on withdrawal ticket, transfer form or general ledger ticket if necessary

Learning Objectives

- Discuss the criticality of appropriate identification for closing an account
- Explain how to engage the customer as to the reason for closing the account
- Describe how to counter closing an account due to service issues

Competency

2. Obtain/complete documentation to open accounts

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Perform and print credit check if applicable
- Check applicant's name for possible match to the OFAC list
- Obtain additional documentation if needed (e.g., credit analysis, history, application, etc.)
- Fill out customer signature card
- Obtain and complete documents to order other financial institution products, e.g., ATM card, Personal Checks
- Complete customer passbook, if applicable
- Gather supporting terms and agreement documentation
- File signature card once signed in appropriate location
- Prepare customer file, if required, and file in appropriate location

Learning Objectives

- Explain how interest rates are determined by market forces
- Describe how interest rates influence savings behavior and choices
- Compare and contrast different types of savings accounts
- Explain the credit analysis process
- Identify major cash management services offered
- Explain the benefits of cash management services
- Explain the use credit cards, financial institution cards and debit cards and how they differ
- Describe the forms needed to open and use a checking account
- Explain the credit analysis process

Competency

3. Collaborate with marketing team efforts

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Cooperate with advertising teams, sales managers, and designers, to plan advertising strategies that will entice people to purchase service
- Research new places to sell services
- Suggest ways to improve services
- Assist with production of advertisements and promotions with team
- Consult with staff to arrange promotional campaigns in all types of media for services to organizations and individuals

Learning Objectives

- Explain the use of the sale presentation
- Describe the importance of personal selling in marketing services
- Discuss the selling process
- Define public relations
- Compare advantages and disadvantages of sales promotion methods and advertising media
- Explain how specific types of advertising will help promote services in the most effective way possible
- List methods to announce a new service to the public
- List ways to communicate a new service to current customers
- Detail types of marketing materials for the financial services industry
- Describe how to identify new advertising markets and how to serve them

Competency

4. Assist to evaluate marketing efforts

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

- at the worksite and classroom
- while working with a worksite professional

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Evaluate service reputation
- Assist with research to determine efforts such as customer satisfaction, customer preferences, market size & growth, buying cycles, etc.
- Examine customer complaints regarding services, products, or personnel
- Suggest services to satisfy customer complaints

Learning Objectives

- Describe the purpose of marketing research
- Explain why market research and customer follow up is important
- Identify methods of conducting marketing research
- Discuss trends and limitations in marketing research
- Analyze details of targeted customers to assess their growth potential and to set quotas
- Explain how to analyze and evaluate sales histories, popularity indices, and production sheets
- Discuss the elements of the promotion mix

Competency

5. Close savings account

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Obtain personal identification from customer
- Access customer account on computer
- Verify available account balance
- Prepare withdrawal or transfer form
- Obtain customer signature on withdrawal or transfer form
- Write appropriate transaction code on withdrawal ticket, transfer form or general ledger ticket if necessary
- Count and give currency to customer if appropriate
- Prepare check/draft for customer if appropriate
- Run transaction on teller terminal
- Provide evidence of closed account to customer
- Complete cash-out ticket if appropriate
- Place cash-out ticket and withdrawal slip in work bin

Learning Objectives

- Discuss the criticality of appropriate identification for closing an account
- Explain how to engage the customer as to the reason for closing the account
- Describe how to counter closing an account due to service issues

Competency

6. Assist to open new savings account

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

- at the worksite and classroom
- while working with a worksite professional

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Obtain personal identification from customer
- Collect funds to be deposited
- Have customer fill out new account application if applicable
- Perform and print credit check if applicable
- Check applicant's name for possible match to the OFAC list
- Make judgment based on information (e.g., credit analysis, history, application, etc.) if applicable
- Input type of account
- Assign account number to customer
- Enter account number and customer information
- Obtain customer signature on signature card
- Cross-sell other financial institution products
- Deposit funds
- Give customer passbook, if applicable, along with terms and agreement
- File signature card in appropriate location
- Prepare customer file, if required, and file in appropriate location

Learning Objectives

- Explain how interest rates are determined by market forces
- Describe how interest rates influence savings behavior and choices
- Compare and contrast different types of savings accounts
- Explain the credit analysis process
- Identify major cash management services offered
- Explain the benefits of cash management services

Competency

7. Identify prospective loan customers

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Study the objectives, policies and needs of target customers
- Mail literature to households and businesses using information from marketing resources
- Obtain prospect lists acquired by financial institution
- Refer current customers to other service departments (e.g., trust, mortgage, investment, etc.)
- Obtain referrals from current customers
- Prepare list of prospective customers
- Perform telemarketing activities as required
- Forecast sales using sales history, popularity indices, and production sheets
- Identify opportunities to sell up to greater coverage for an individual or group

Learning Objectives

- Describe how financial institutions generate loan applications using marketing and other delivery channels
- Identify loan use patterns
- Explain the marketing techniques for selling loans
- Explain how effective marketing can increase loan application volume
- Describe the objectives and components of your institutions loan policy
- Identify structuring options for different loan products
- Explain the types of data used to analyze customer requirements
- Identify credit usage patterns and discuss the benefits of consumer credit for commercial banks
- Explain the advantages and disadvantages of indirect lending from the bank's, dealer's, and consumer's perspective
- Describe telemarketing techniques that are used to sell financial products
- List selling points specific to financial products and services at your company
- Describe how to highlight key product features
- Explain laws and regulations that impact the type of financial product or service purchased
- Explain the importance of cross-selling
- Identify the steps of the selling process
- Identify sources for prospective customers
- Describe the potential individual, group, cultural, and situational factors that influence a consumer's decision to buy

• Describe a marketing plan

Competency

8. Process loan payments

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Obtain loan coupon and payment
- If no coupon, verify account to be credited and how payment should be made to loan total, principal, and/or interest
- Verify customer identification and funds availability for account to be withdrawn if applicable
- Verify cash/coin authenticity for loans paid with cash
- Provide receipt for payment
- Process payment or file loan transaction to be processed

Learning Objectives

- Discuss financial institution lending
- Identify basic loan categories
- Explain how interest rates are determined by market forces
- Describe how interest rates influence the amount of borrowing
- Define principle, interest, interest rate, fixed rate, variable rate, simple interest, compounding interest, annual percentage rate, and lien
- Calculate simple interest on loans
- Calculate loan payments with different interest rates

Competency

9. Respond to customer loan account inquiries and requests

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Verify customer identification
- Collect information from document or customer
- Locate information required using information system data
- Provide information securely
- Update information accurately as applicable
- Respond to customer questions
- Input customer information and print documents as required for services
- Obtain customer signature(s) when required
- Process physical documents of service
- Direct customer to applicable department when appropriate
- Follow up to ensure customer's needs were met

Learning Objectives

- Describe features of loans that your department offers
- Identify credit terms for the various loans offered
- Discuss reasons consumers may choose a loan or specific credit term
- Outline the various forms of account ownership and titling
- Describe account disclosure and inquiry polices under Regulation DD

Competency

10. Maintain and update customer loan files

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Retrieve customer file
- Put forms in file
- Organize forms in appropriate order
- Note and follow up on any missing information/documentation
- Return customer file to appropriate location
- Maintain and update computer loan files
- Retrieve customer file from computer
- Attach forms to file (e.g., scanned documents, loan information, etc.)
- Note and follow up on any missing information/documentation
- Save changes

Learning Objectives

Describe the documentation needed for different loan types and the loan review process

Competency

1. Assist with promotional efforts

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

- at the worksite and classroom
- while working with a worksite professional

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Study the objectives, promotional policies and needs of organizations to develop public relations strategies that will promote service
- Develop promotional materials such as advertisements, coupons, brochures and web-based designs
- Plan advertising campaigns to sell services
- Determine advertising medium to be used
- Prepare sample advertisements within the selected medium for presentation
- Estimate the cost of advertising space or time
- Purchase advertising materials, space, and time as required to promote service
- Identify networking opportunities and collaborative promotional efforts
- Create promotional message to target various markets
- Identify key information elements to aid in targeting or modifying the service for a specific audience

Learning Objectives

- Discuss the elements of the promotion mix
- Define public relations
- Explain types of advertising media
- Compare advantages and disadvantages of sales promotion methods and advertising media
- Explain how specific types of advertising will help promote services in the most effective way possible
- List methods to announce a new service to the public
- List ways to communicate a new service to current customers
- Compare/contrast different marketing packets/materials
- Detail types of marketing materials for the facility
- Explain the bidding and contract approval process with media agencies
- Describe how to identify new advertising markets and how to serve them
- List options for advertisement artwork
- Identify the parts of a print advertisement
- Identify economic, social, and health/safety factors influencing meeting/event decisions

Competency

2. Close checking account

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Obtain personal identification from customer
- Access customer account on computer
- Verify available account balance and checks outstanding
- Pay off and close overdraft protection if necessary
- Collect ATM/debit cards
- Obtain check from customer for closing amount if necessary
- Count and give currency to customer if appropriate
- Prepare check/draft for customer if appropriate
- Deposit check if account has insufficient funds
- Run transaction on teller terminal
- Provide evidence of closed account to customer if necessary
- Prepare cash-out ticket if appropriate
- Place cash-out ticket and check in work bin when appropriate
- Remind customer to follow up with companies that do direct deposit, automatic withdrawal, etc., from that checking account

Learning Objectives

- Describe how to handle outstanding checks when closing a checking account
- Discuss the criticality of appropriate identification for closing an account
- Explain how to engage the customer as to the reason for closing the account
- Describe how to counter closing an account due to service issues

Competency

3. Assist to open new checking account

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

- at the worksite and classroom
- while working with a worksite professional

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Obtain personal identification from customer
- Collect funds to be deposited
- Have customer fill out new account application if applicable
- Perform and print credit check if applicable
- Check applicant's name for possible match to the OFAC list
- Make judgment based on information (e.g., credit analysis, history, application, etc.) if applicable
- Input type of account Assign an account number to customer
- Enter account number and customer information
- Obtain customer signature on signature card
- Cross-sell other financial institution products
- Deposit funds
- Give customer starter kit or temporary checks, if applicable, along with terms and agreement
- Show customer catalog of types of checks available for purchase and complete check order
- File signature card in appropriate location
- Prepare customer file if required and file in appropriate location

Learning Objectives

- Explain the use credit cards, financial institution cards and debit cards and how they differ
- Describe the forms needed to open and use a checking account
- Explain the credit analysis process

Competency

4. Assist to issue certificate of deposit

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

- at the worksite and classroom
- while working with a worksite professional

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Obtain personal identification from customer
- Retrieve account processor software
- Explain types of time deposits to customer
- Determine account suitable for customer
- Determine account titling/ownership
- Enter time deposit information
- Input customer information
- Print two copies of certificate of deposit
- Hand print amount on certificate of deposit if necessary
- Obtain signature from officer of the financial institution on both copies
- Receive currency or check from customer for amount of certificate of deposit
- Count currency to verify amount if appropriate
- Examine check if appropriate
- Complete timed deposit transaction ticket
- Place time deposit transaction ticket with currency or check in appropriate bin
- Give one copy of certificate of deposit to customer
- File one copy in customer file

Learning Objectives

- Explain how interest rates are determined for CDs
- Compare CDs to regular savings accounts
- List the different terms that financial institutions commonly offer for CDs

Competency

5. Assist to process decedent accounts

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

- at the worksite and classroom
- while working with a worksite professional

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Verify identity and authority of party seeking to act on account
- Obtain copy of death certificate, personal representative papers, consent to transfer form or other legal documentation granting authority to act on account
- Discuss options available with customer
- Process customer's request to withdraw, transfer, change name on account, etc.

Learning Objectives

- List the legal documents required to declare a person deceased
- Describe the documents required to close an account on behalf of a deceased person
- Define Power of Attorney, Legal Representative, Estate Executor
- Explain the implications for a deceased's estate should an account be closed without the proper authorization
- Describe how a closed account's funds are given to the estate or other authorized entity
- Define a trust
- Explain how trusts are used once a person is deceased

Competency

6. Issue US savings bonds

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Obtain order form
- Assist customer with completing form, if necessary
- Assist customer to select appropriate denomination
- Explain information about retention, savings accrual, and redemption
- Obtain information for bond securely
- Verify funds availability for account to be withdrawn if applicable
- Process withdrawal using computer
- Verify cash/coin authenticity for checks paid with cash
- Review check for completeness of information
- Collect any additional fees if applicable
- Post fees to appropriate account if applicable
- Issue US Savings Bond purchase receipt to customer
- Provide any applicable receipts for account withdrawals made
- Send one copy of form to appropriate person/department

Learning Objectives

- Define what a US savings bond is
- Explain why customers purchase US savings bonds
- Describe how US savings bonds are used as savings products
- Discuss why a customer would purchase a savings bond for investment rather than depositing into a savings account
- Describe what the US government does with funds collected from US savings bonds
- Differentiate between the different series of savings bonds issued by the US government
- Describe common types of corporate and government bonds
- Compute average annual yield and rate of yield to maturity

Competency

7. Redeem US savings bonds

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Receive savings bond from customer
- Verify month and series
- Verify value of bond on appropriate chart/program
- Have customer complete back of bond
- Verify identification and social security number
- Stamp front of bond with redemption stamp and complete appropriate information
- Process redemption on computer
- Verify bond amount on computer/calculator
- Count and give currency to customer
- Have customer sign interest earned statement
- Give customer copy of interest earned statement
- Send signed interest earned statement to appropriate department

Learning Objectives

- Explain how US savings bond interest rates are determined
- Define the terms for different series of US savings bonds
- Explain how to determine cash in value when the bond is redeemed
- Describe the tax requirements of redeeming US savings bonds

Competency

8. Issue money orders

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Collect information required for Money Order
- Verify customer identification and funds availability for account to be withdrawn if applicable
- Process withdrawal using computer
- Verify cash/coin authenticity for checks paid with cash
- Review check for completeness of information
- Collect any additional fees as required
- Post fees to appropriate account
- Complete required forms if Money Order exceeds specified limit
- Create Money Order within all legal requirements and limits
- Issue Money Order to customer
- Provide any applicable receipts for account withdrawals made

Learning Objectives

- Explain how a money order differs from a cashier's check and personal check
- Describe when a customer would prefer a money order check over other forms of negotiable items including personal checks

Competency

9. Issue travelers checks

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Verify customer identification
- Verify total amount and denominations required
- Explain rules for use according to issuer company
- Verify funds availability for account to be withdrawn if applicable
- Process withdrawal using computer
- Verify cash/coin authenticity for checks paid with cash
- Review check for completeness of information
- Collect any additional fees as required
- Post fees to appropriate account
- Complete required forms if Traveler's Checks exceed specified limit
- Have customer complete purchase record form
- Give one copy to customer.
- Send one copy to appropriate department
- Issue Traveler's Checks to customer
- Instruct customer to sign appropriate line on each Traveler's Check
- Explain how to store receipts and checks for travel
- Provide any applicable receipts for account withdrawals made

Learning Objectives

- Explain the purpose of travelers checks
- Describe how travelers checks are used when traveling
- Compare the advantages and disadvantages of using travelers checks instead of checks and/or cash
- Describe how money exchange rates impact persons with travelers checks in US dollars
- List the vendor companies that offer travelers checks for resale by financial institutions

Competency

10. Issue foreign currency

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Verify total US amount and foreign denomination requested
- Check daily currency exchange rate for the denomination requested
- Verify funds availability for account to be withdrawn if applicable
- Process withdrawal using computer
- Verify cash/coin authenticity if changing US cash
- Collect any additional fees as required
- Post fees to appropriate account
- Complete required forms if Foreign Currency exchange exceeds specified limit
- Calculate foreign currency amount per exchange rate
- Issue foreign currency to customer
- Provide any applicable receipts for account withdrawals made

Learning Objectives

- Explain the use of foreign currency in today's global economy
- Describe how foreign currency travelers checks can be used for security and ease in a foreign country
- Compare the advantages and disadvantages of using foreign currency instead of travelers checks and/or US cash
- Describe how money exchange rates are impacted daily
- Describe the foreign currency exchange limits and documentation required if exceeded

Competency

11. Compile documentation for loan closing

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Retrieve existing customer application packet
- Retrieve closing documentation
- Prepare required documentation prior to closing
- Prepare internal forms for data entry
- Obtain notarized documents as required
- Obtain or arrange to obtain title (e.g., auto loan, etc.)
- Obtain proof of insurance documents as required
- Assemble documents
- Review documents for errors on interest, principle, payment, and closing costs
- Schedule closing meetings
- Send documents to funding area or appropriate person to determine date funds will be available if applicable

Learning Objectives

- Explain how loan payment information is determined
- Describe the factors that affect loan pricing and methods to calculate profitability
- Calculate loan payoff information
- Describe the documentation needed for different loan closing
- Define basic lending terms
- Discuss how the value of collateral for loan security is determined
- Compare installment loans and open-ended loans

Competency

12. Assist to complete a loan application with a customer

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

- at the worksite and classroom
- while working with a worksite professional

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Obtain customer information for loan securely
- Prepare documents for personal loan request with customer
- Review documents with customer
- Obtain customer signature on documents
- Deliver copies to appropriate person(s) for processing

Learning Objectives

- State the objectives of the loan application process
- Define the lending process beginning with the loan application
- Explain how loan costs and loan to value calculations are determined
- Describe how to read rate sheets to price a loan initially
- Define loan structuring and identify loan structuring options for different loan products
- State how loan pricing decisions are affected by the legal environment, the competitive environment, and general economic conditions

Competency

13. Order credit reports

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Obtain customer application, if necessary, and signed approval for ordering credit report
- Enter information needed for receiving on-line credit reports
- Send request for credit report when appropriate
- Verify information on credit report with information on customer application
- File reports as appropriate

Learning Objectives

- List the main credit bureaus and how they operate to manage credit information
- Explain the use of the credit rating
- Describe credit report codes and their meanings from appropriate charts provided by credit bureau
- Describe loan information sources and the credit verification process
- Explain how credit is evaluated from the credit report
- Discuss the steps in the credit approval process
- List the major criteria used in credit evaluation and approval
- Describe how a borrower's financial information is assessed to determine repayment ability and risk

Competency

14. Assist to collect and recover funds on defaulted loans

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

- at the worksite and classroom
- while working with a worksite professional

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Review customer accounts
- Verify payment schedules
- Verify timeliness of payments and other loan terms
- Prepare reports to send to customers whose accounts are delinquent
- Forward irreconcilable accounts to appropriate person(s) for collection action

Learning Objectives

- Discuss causes for delinquencies
- Identify the objectives and process for collection and recovery functions
- Identify collection stages and remedies
- Explain how judgments, writs, garnishments, composition agreements, foreclosures and/or attachments allow financial institutions to obtain payment on defaulted loans
- Discuss how bankruptcies may allow the discharge of debt

Competency

15. Process documents for consumer loan application

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Retrieve loan package
- Verify application information
- Request additional information when appropriate (e.g., verification of employment and deposit, tax forms, etc.)
- Order credit reports
- Order titles if applicable
- Send contract for purchase with order for appraisal if applicable
- Verify insurance coverage on item if applicable
- Send original package to underwriting to analyze risk of loan

Learning Objectives

- Compare conventional and adjustable rate loans with other forms of consumer financing
- Differentiate between an interest only loan and a compound interest loan
- Read and interpret a basic rate sheet understanding premium, par, and discount loan pricing
- Identify and describe a No cost, No fee loan versus an upfront closing cost loan
- Calculate pre-payment penalties & pro-rations such as taxes, insurance, and interest.
- Define and calculate the Annual Percentage Rate (APR) for loan comparison purposes
- Calculate a Good Faith Estimate (GFE) for both a purchase and a refinance loan
- Identify and describe the primary credit agencies that perform credit-reporting bureau activities
- Read a credit report and interpret the ratings for both A-paper and sub-prime Loans
- Learn how to establish good credit, improve FICO scores, and manage derogatory credit

Competency

16. Assist to Pre-approve consumer loan customer

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

- at the worksite and classroom
- while working with a worksite professional

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Determine purpose of loan
- Obtain signed customer application
- Evaluate credit report
- Calculate debt to income ratio
- Calculate loan to value ratios
- Evaluate collateral if applicable
- Approve/deny application

Learning Objectives

- Define consumer lending and discuss its historical development
- Identify the benefits of consumer lending for financial institutions
- Identify the features and benefits of consumer credit products
- List characteristics of open-end revolving credit products and describe four types of open-end products
- Compare and contrast direct and indirect lending from the perspective of the financial institution and the consumer
- Discuss leasing as an alternative to a consumer loan
- Describe the function of the underwriter in the insurance industry
- Identify types of consumer loan documents and describe their purpose
- Describe how to calculate debt to income and loan to value ratios
- Calculate finance charges, stated rate, and effective rate
- Calculate monthly payments on installment loans
- Calculate interest and principal payments on amortized loans
- Describe the procedures used to secure a consumer loan, including the steps required to perfect the security interest
- Cite specific concerns with regard to establishing a security interest in real property, airplanes, and boats

Competency

17. Process documents for mortgage loan application

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Retrieve loan package
- Verify application information
- Request additional information when appropriate (e.g., verification of employment and deposit, tax forms, etc.)
- Order appraisal and flood determination for property
- Order title of property
- Send contract for purchase with order for appraisal if applicable
- Verify insurance coverage on property
- Send original package to underwriting to analyze risk of loan

Learning Objectives

- Compare conventional and adjustable rate mortgages with other forms of financing such as SAM, Home Equity Loans, and Reverse Mortgages
- Describe fixed rate, adjustable rate, and other alternative mortgage instruments
- Differentiate between an interest only loan and a compound interest loan
- Calculate a complete house payment (PITI, and PMI/MI and/or HOA, if necessary)
- Read and interpret a basic rate sheet understanding premium, par, and discount loan pricing
- Identify and describe a No cost, No point, No fee loan versus an upfront closing cost loan
- Define and calculate PMI and PITI
- Calculate pre-payment penalties & pro-rations such as rent, taxes, insurance, and interest.
- Define and calculate the Annual Percentage Rate (APR) for loan comparison purposes
- Calculate a Good Faith Estimate (GFE) for both a purchase and a refinance loan
- Identify and describe the primary credit agencies that perform credit-reporting bureau activities
- Read a credit report and interpret the ratings for both A-paper and sub-prime Loans
- Learn how to establish good credit, improve FICO scores, and manage derogatory credit

Competency

18. Assist to pre-approve mortgage customer

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

- at the worksite and classroom
- while working with a worksite professional

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Order and evaluate credit report
- Input customer application information into appropriate software if applicable
- Print application if applicable
- Review application thoroughly to check for accuracy
- Receive documentation from customer
- Analyze pay stubs and tax forms
- Assist to determine appropriate program
- Assist to determine limit of loan
- Identify customer needs (e.g., amount and type of loan, length of loan, etc.) based on information provided
- Calculate debt to income ratio
- Calculate loan to value ratios
- Print disclosure forms (e.g., good faith estimate, etc.)
- Package loan
- Send loan package to loan processor

Learning Objectives

- Describe the historical background of Mortgage Brokering and Lending.
- Explain the mortgage approval process: submission, approval, conditions, funding, closing, & servicing.
- Learn about the various types of lenders and lending institutions in the mortgage industry.
- Differentiate between conventional, government, and non-conforming loan programs.
- Become familiar with the lending and underwriting guidelines used in the field.
- Understand the basic borrower interview process
- Describe features of mortgage loans that might meet customer needs
- Describe how to calculate debt to income and loan to value ratios
- Calculate finance charges, stated rate, and effective rate
- Calculate monthly payments on installment loans
- Calculate interest and principal payments on amortized loans
- Evaluate the most important risks inherent in common types of real estate projects

- Determine critical due diligence requirements for various real estate loans, including environmental audits, project feasibility studies, plan and budget reviews and other relevant documentation
- Differentiate the valuation methods and analyze the key elements of a real estate valuation
- Analyze the adequacy of real estate loan repayment sources, including those related to borrower, project and guarantor

Competency

19. Set mortgage loan closing date and time

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Obtain approved loan from underwriter
- Compose and mail approval letter to customer and realtor
- File copy in loan package
- Call customer
- Determine time and date of closing
- Inform customer of items to bring to closing
- Inform customer to bring cashier's check for set amount
- Contact realtor to inform him/her of closing date and time
- Send loan package to closer to process closing documents (e.g., mortgage, note, federal disclosure forms, escrow forms, settlement statements, compliance forms, etc.)

Learning Objectives

- Discuss the role of closing in the mortgage lending process
- Describe the origination, processing, and underwriting concepts that affect the closing process
- List legal issues related to closing
- Discuss the impact of federal laws and regulations on the closing process
- List the documents present or executed at closing
- Explain the purpose and use of title insurance
- Describe how the lender protects its investment the importance of insurance, taxes, and escrow
- Explain what happens to the loan file before, during, and after settlement
- Differentiate between a borrower's recurring and non-recurring closing costs
- Describe the foreclosure process

Competency

20. Process documents for commercial loan application

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

• at the worksite and classroom

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Retrieve loan package
- Verify application information
- Request additional information when appropriate (e.g., verification of business/building ownership, employment, tax forms, etc.)
- Order appraisal and flood determination for property
- Order title of property
- Send contract for purchase with order for appraisal if applicable
- Verify insurance coverage on property
- Order credit reports
- Order titles
- Send original package to underwriting to analyze risk of loan

Learning Objectives

- Compare commercial loans with personal mortgage loans and other loan products
- Compare conventional and adjustable rate loans with other forms of consumer financing
- Differentiate between an interest only loan and a compound interest loan
- Read and interpret a basic rate sheet understanding premium, par, and discount loan pricing
- Identify and describe a No cost, No fee loan versus an upfront closing cost loan
- Calculate pre-payment penalties & pro-rations such as taxes, insurance, and interest.
- Define and calculate the Annual Percentage Rate (APR) for loan comparison purposes
- Calculate a Good Faith Estimate (GFE) for both a purchase and a refinance loan
- Identify and describe the primary credit agencies that perform credit-reporting bureau activities
- Read a credit report and interpret the ratings for both A-paper and sub-prime Loans
- Learn how to establish good credit, improve FICO scores, and manage derogatory credit

Competency

21. Assist to pre-approve commercial loan customer

Performance Standard Condition

Competence will be demonstrated

- at the worksite and classroom
- while working with a worksite professional

Performance Standard Criteria

Performance will be successful when learner:

- Order and evaluate credit report
- Input customer application information into appropriate software if applicable
- Print application if applicable
- Review application thoroughly to check for accuracy
- Receive documentation from customer
- Analyze pay stubs and tax forms
- Assist to determine appropriate program
- Assist to determine limit of loan
- Identify customer needs (e.g., amount and type of loan, length of loan, etc.) based on information provided
- Calculate debt to income ratio
- Calculate loan to value ratios
- Print disclosure forms (e.g., good faith estimate, etc.)
- Package loan
- Send loan package to loan processor

Learning Objectives

- Describe the historical background of Commercial Lending
- Explain the commercial loan approval process
- Differentiate between types of commercial loan programs
- Become familiar with the lending and underwriting guidelines used in the field.
- Understand the basic borrower interview process
- Describe features of commercial loans that might meet customer needs
- Describe how to calculate debt to income and loan to value ratios
- Calculate finance charges, stated rate, and effective rate
- Calculate monthly payments on installment loans
- Calculate interest and principal payments on amortized loans