Course Title	INTRODUCTION TO THE HOSPITALITY INDUSTRY
Course Code	HTL 111
Course Purpose and Objectives	The purpose of this course is to introduce students to the service industries and to develop an appreciation of contemporary developments within the hospitality industry.
	Students will be able to identify the characteristic types of lodging and food and beverage operations and the ways to classifying the rating establishments.
	Consequently, the purpose of this course is to provide students with a basic understanding of the lodging and food service industry and provide a sense of its scope by tracing the industry's growth and development. Therefore, the students will obtain a general knowledge for the many tourist attractions on which travel and tourism depends on.
Learning Outcomes	<ol> <li>Define what the lodging and food service industry is.</li> <li>Identify the industry's growth and development trends.</li> <li>Identify the characteristic types of lodging and Food and Beverage operations and ways to classifying the rating establishments.</li> <li>Identify the major challenges of the hospitality industry.</li> </ol>
Course Content	<ul> <li>The dimensions of the hospitality industry</li> <li>Hospitality foundations</li> <li>Food and beverage perspectives</li> <li>Lodging perspectives</li> <li>Recreation, entertainment and other tourism attractions</li> <li>Hospitality and tourism future</li> </ul>