WEBSITES WITH WordPress

INTRODUCTION

The importance of blogging, or web-logging, cannot be overstated. Whether it is to express your thoughts and opinions, to connect with diverse people, to market your business, or to share information, creating and managing blogs and websites is an essential skill!

Learners begin by revisiting WordPress basics. They then go on to create and manage their own website using WordPress. They also understand the basics of website security.

Learners exit this module with the ability to create, host and manage a website using WordPress.

This module is a part of the "BUILD - A DIGITAL WORLD" series.

MODULE DETAILS

- **Series 4: Build - A Digital World**
- **Module 2: Websites with WordPress**
- **Student Accomplishment Level: 4**

Grade Group : >8   Number of Sessions: 8   Session Duration: 60 min

SESSION EXPERIENCE

1. **Tuning in:** Understand the module structure and goals. Learn the terminology relevant to the module.

2. **Start off with WordPress:** Learn how to download and install WordPress. Create a database for WordPress to use.

3. **WordPress Website 1:** Revisit the basics of WordPress: create posts, add multimedia, use categories and manage comments.

4. **WordPress Website 2:** Explore topics such as installing and customizing WordPress themes, customizing your dashboard and adding banners.

5. **Create your Theme:** Access theme functionality, choose and install themes and learn how to upload a downloaded theme.

6. **Plugins in WordPress:** Understand what plugins are, how to use them and where to find them!

7. **Security and Back:** Explore basic concepts in security and backup.

8. **How did I do?:** Reflect on the learnings from the module: WordPress website basics, creating a WordPress website, managing backup and security.

Learning Objectives:

Learners will:

1. Be able to describe the various functions and uses of WordPress.
2. Be able to create a website and manage it usingn WordPress.
3. Follow instructions, think critically, solve problems and create tangible artifacts.
4. Engage in active collaboration, communication and design thinking.

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