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Accounting provides the framework to evaluate the financial health and success of a business. *Small Business Accounting* is a practical introduction to basic accounting concepts and the primary financial statements. By learning some basic accounting knowledge and skills, small business owners will be better able to evaluate new opportunities, manage current operations, ensure timely and accurate tax compliance and attract new partners or investors. This course provides a foundation for using accounting concepts as an essential tool in managing a small business.

Course Objectives:

Upon completion of this course, the participant should be able to:

1. Understand the basic components of the primary financial statements – balance sheet, income statement, and cash flow statement
2. Understand the interaction between different statements and individual accounting entries
3. Apply these basic accounting concepts to a small business
4. Use the knowledge from this class as a foundation for working with an accounting software package

Required Participant Materials:

- Book - The Accounting Game, Basic Accounting Fresh from the Lemonade Stand (paperback) (will be provided to each class participant)
- Note taking materials
- Pens/pencils

Prior to Class:

Email Instructor a short bio of work experience, education, and expectations for the course