2015-2016 Instructional Material

Universal Design Learning (UDL) Rubric

Bid Number: 2970

Title of Materials: Digital Information Technology, Florida Custom Edition, Edition: 1

Publisher: Pearson Education

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- 1. How are both flexibility and student choices provided for the following **presentation features** in the instructional materials:
 - Fonts:
 - o Type and size.

1- Very Poor/Not Aligned	2-Poor Alignment	3-Fair Alignment	4-Good Alignment	5-Very Good Alignment
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Comment: Zoom only; the ability to change the font type and size without just zooming the whole page benefits many users.

o Colors and background colors can be adjusted.

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Comment: Cannot be adjusted; visual adjustments allow access for many users

• Background: High contrast color settings are available.

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Comment: Cannot be adjusted within the program; high contrast is often needed for users

• Text-to-speech tools

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Comment: Not available; Providing built-in text to speech supports accessing content for users

• All images have alt tags.

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Comment: Images with alt tags provide content information to visually impaired and support for students with learning disabilities

• All videos are captioned.

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• Text, image tags, and captioning sent to refreshable Braille displays.

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- 2. How are the following **navigation features** provided in the instructional materials:
 - Non-text navigation elements (buttons, icons, etc.) can be adjusted in size.

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• All navigation elements and menu items have keyboard shortcuts.

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• All navigation information can be sent to refreshable Braille displays.

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- 3. How are the following **study tools** provided in the instructional materials:
 - Highlighters are provided in the four standard colors (yellow, rose, green, blue).

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• Highlighted text can be automatically extracted into another document.

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• Note taking tools are available for students to write ideas online; as they are processing curriculum content.

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- 4. Which of the following **assistive technology supports**, **by product name**, have you tested for use with the instructional materials:
 - Assistive technology software that can be run in the background. Examples include:
 - 1. Magnification Zoom in/out
 - 2. Text-to-speech no
 - 3. Text-to-American Sign Language no
 - 4. On-screen keyboards no
 - 5. Switch scanning controls no
 - 6. Speech-to-text -no

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