# Microsoft Word®

Getting Started With The Basics





#### What we'll cover...

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- > Documents, Files & Folders
- > Starting a New Document
- > Saving a Document
- Adding Text and Images
- > Styles & Fonts
- > Printing a Document

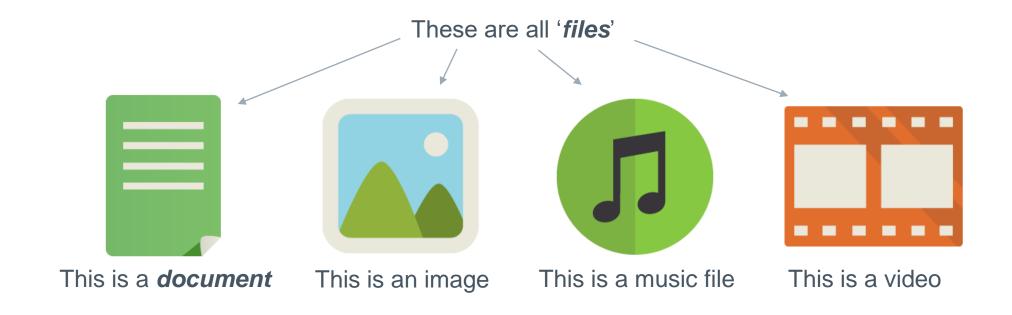


#### What is Microsoft Word®

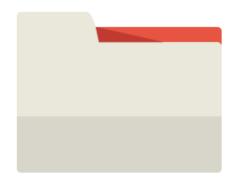
- > Desktop publishing application.
- > Comes with Microsoft Office®
- > Used for creating letters, your resume', etc.
- > Can also be used for mail merge documents.
- > Other similar applications are Google Docs, Open Office.



## Documents, Files & Folders



They are all stored in *folders* on your PC.





## Starting a New Document

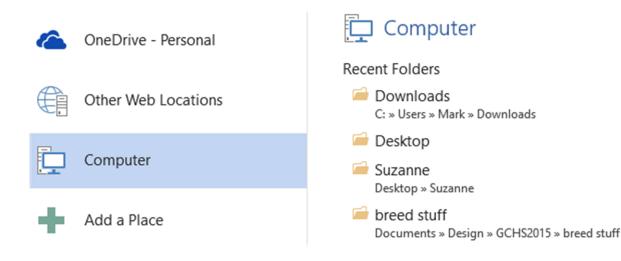
- > Click FILE
- Click New
- Choose the type of document you wish to create.
- You are presented with a blank document in a 8.5 X 11 portrait style.
- > Click in the document field, your cursor will be placed in the top left hand corner of the page.
- Add your text.



## Saving a Document

- > Click FILE
- > Click Save.
- You are presented with options for where to save the document.

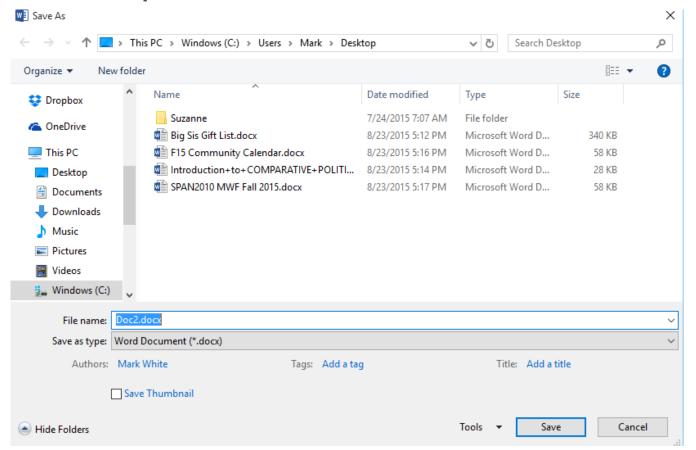
#### Save As





## Saving a Document

- > Choose Computer
- > Choose Desktop





#### Adding Text

- > Begin typing to add text to the document.
- The toolbar consists of areas that control the look of the document. One area is the Font/Paragraph section.

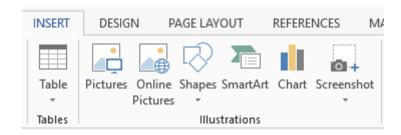
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- The Font section determines the size, type and color of the font.
- The Paragraph section determines the alignment and controls the design of any lists.



### Adding Images

To add an image you will choose the appropriate item from the INSERT>Illustrations menu.



- > Place your cursor where you wish the image to be placed.
- > Choose which type of item you wish to include.
- > Each choice has different options.



### Styles & Fonts

- Changing the look and design of the document can be done by using different fonts.
- Highlight the text you wish to change and choose the font, size and even color.
- Some fonts are grouped together into Styles.



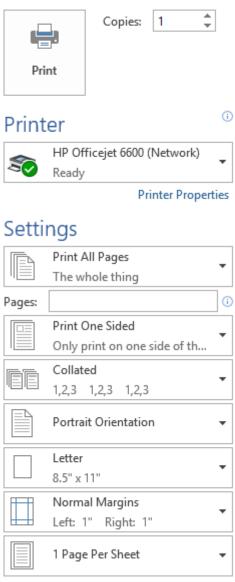
> To use a preset Style, highlight the text you wish to change and choose the appropriate Style from the HOME menu.



#### Printing a Document

- > From the FILE menu, choose Print.
- Choose the Printer from the list presented.
- Change the settings to control the number of copies, orientation, paper size, margins and more.

#### Print



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