PENANG SANGAM HIGH SCHOOL

YEAR 9

OFFICE TECHNOLOGY WORKSHEET 24

LESSON NOTES AND ACTIVITY

STRAND	OT 9.3 Office Administration
SUB-STRAND	OT 9.3.3 Communication.
LEARNING	✓ Identify and explain the five levels of communication.
OUTCOME	✓ Understand the use of different forms of communication medium.

LEVELS AND MEDIUM OF COMMUNICATION

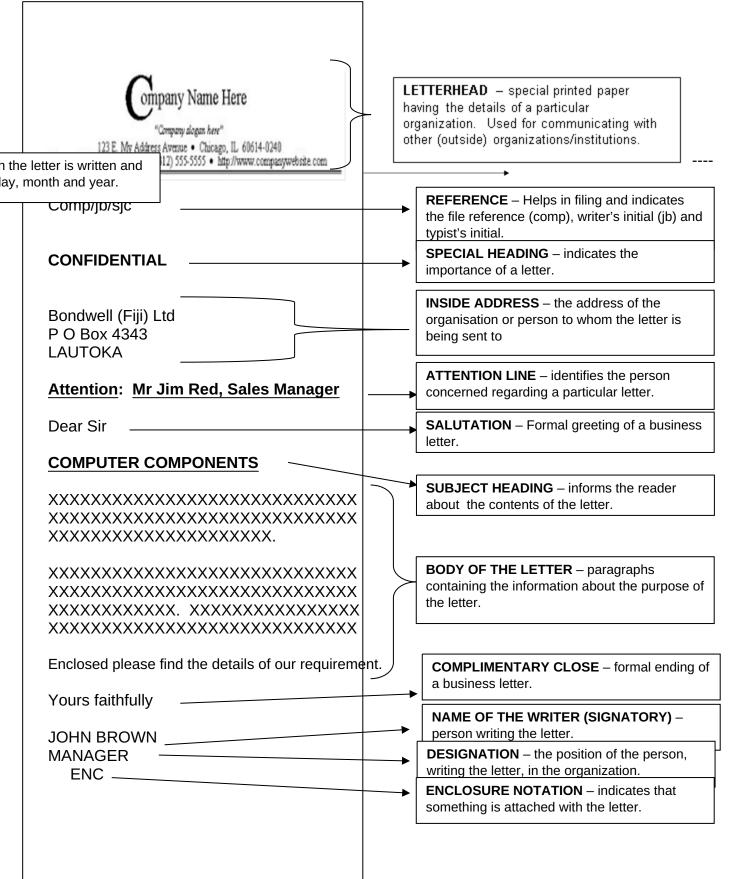
There are five levels of communication:

- 1. **Intrapersonal** occurs within one's self. Eg. Thinking
- 2. **Interpersonal** occurs in conversation and discussions.eg between two or more people.
- 3. **Mediated** when people use the telephones, reports and memos.
- 4. **Person to group** where the speaker communicates to an audience eg, traditional speaker or teacher.
- 5. **Mass communication** reaches a large public, eg print media (newspapers, magazines) or electronic media (television, internet)

The way a message is transmitted is known as the medium. Different mediums include:

- 1. A letter is a medium of formal communication used between organizations and their customers and clients.
- 2. A memo is a medium of formal communication used within the organization.
- 3. A report an account given of a particular matter, especially in the form of an official document.
- 4. A newsletter bulletin used periodically to the members of a society or other organizations.
- 5. A message on the notice board organizations usually display graphs, data, facts and other relevant information on business trends for employees
- 6. A meeting two or more people convened for the purpose of achieving a common goal through verbal interaction, such as sharing information or reaching agreement.
- 7. A fax message transmission of scanned printed material (both text and images), normally to a telephone number connected to a printer or other output device.
- 8. An email is a text message sent or received over a computer network.

Business Letter – this is used for formal communication to clients/customers and other organisation. **Business Letter Format**



Activity

1.	Differentiate between Intrapersonal and Interpersonal communication.
2.	What is mass communication?
3.	List and explain three medium used to transmit the message.
4.	What is the purpose of the business letter?

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