



Adobe Photoshop Introduction

Participants on this 1 day Adobe Photoshop Introduction course will gain an understanding of the fundamental principles of Photoshop, including navigating, working with Images and Layers and exploring Image retouching. You will be given a solid foundation of skills upon which to build.

The course assumes no prior knowledge of Photoshop, however people with limited exposure to the software and those who are self-taught you will also benefit from this course.

Course Details

Skill Level:	Beginner
Duration:	One Day
Time:	9:00am – 4:00pm (approx)
Class Size:	6 students (at Keystroke) 10 students (Your Office)

Course Content

Photoshop User Interface

- Setting Up User Preferences
- Identify User Interface Elements
- Displaying, Hiding & Docking Panels
- Selecting and Creating Workspaces
- Navigate and Zooming

Digital Image Basics

- Creating New Documents
- Understanding Resolution, Dimensions and File Size
- Cropping and Rotating Artwork
- Creating Panorama images
- Changing Image Size
- Making colour mode conversions

Introduction to Layers

- The Layers Panel
- Creating Layers
- Selecting Layers
- Moving Objects on Layers
- Changing a Layer's Opacity

Creating Selections

- Selection Tool Options
- The Marquee Tools
- The Lasso Tools
- The Magic Wand Tool
- The Quick Selection Tool
- Feathering a Selection

Working with Colour

- Understanding Colours
- Foreground and Background Colours
- Mixing Colours
- The Paint Brush tools
- Working with Brush settings
- Eyedropper Tool

Correcting an Image

- Dealing with Adjustment Layers
- Understanding Image Histograms
- Using Levels
- Adjusting Colour Balance
- Editing Hue and Saturation
- Using Exposure and Vibrance
- Using Photo Filter

Retouching Techniques

- The Clone Stamp Tool
- The Spot Healing Brush Tool
- The Healing Brush Tool
- The Patch Tool

Saving and Exporting Images

- Saving Photoshop Files
- Photoshop Export Options
- Save for Web
- Image Compression and Optimisation

“ Training manual and resources excellent, delivered with good understanding of what the group needed. ”

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