

Introduction to Adobe Photoshop

Course Overview

Our 7-week Adobe Photoshop course is a valuable skill. Use it for personal or professional projects. If you know some Photoshop, this course is for you. It will teach you the basics of retouching and montaging photos, using the latest version of Adobe Photoshop. The course aims to help you return to education. It will prepare you for further learning or work in a creative field. It will also build your confidence and support your well-being. This exciting digital creative course is for adults aged 19+.

What you will learn

This Adobe Photoshop introductory course will cover a basic introduction to: - Basic tools and options for each tool, palettes and windows, view menu, and custom palettes. - Resolution for different products, including print and screen. - Colour modes for print and screen. - Basic adjustments, tone, shadows, highlights, and colour. - Basic transformations: scaling, rotating, flipping, perspective. - Retouching, patching, healing, cloning, sharpening, dodging, and burning. - Masking and montaging. You will learn to use the tools above to fix various digital image issues.

Entry Requirements

There are no formal entry requirements for this course but it's advantageous if you have a keen interest in graphics or photography and intend are required to use this type of image editing and graphics software.

How you will be assessed

There is no assessment. You will undertake a series of weekly formative exercises and tasks. These can also be undertaken at home.

Course Progression

This is a basic course for designers, photographers, hobbyists, or enthusiasts. It can lead to an advanced Adobe Photoshop course and also the Adobe Illustrator or Digital Photography courses. On completion of this course, you may also wish to seek advice from one of the College's independent career advisors by booking an appointment.

What Happens Next

Please apply on the College website. You will be contacted to attend an interview if required, or you will be sent a conditional offer according to the entry requirements for the course. You will then be invited in to enrol for your chosen course of study. For enrol and pay courses: Once you have decided to take the course, you need to fill in a short learner details form online and pay the course fee. Once you have done this, you will receive an electronic confirmation of enrolment and payment.

Course Details

Course Code	P00122
Start Date	30/10/2025
Study Hours	Part Time
Duration	7 weeks
Campus	St Margaret's Campus
Level	1

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