



PREREQUISITES

Delegates attending an Photograph Formatting And Manipulation Course should have a good working knowledge of Windows 98 / Windows 2000 / Windows XP / Mac Operating System. The Course will involve the delegate providing photographs that they have taken themselves using a Digital Camera.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

This one day course is designed to give delegates the confidence to use Adobe PhotoShop to format and manipulate their own digital images ready for printing and web usage.

ADOBE PHOTOSHOP PHOTOGRAPH FORMATTING AND MANIPULATION – ONE DAY

Course Content

Introduction To Photoshop

- Description Of The Software
- Quick Tour Of The Screen
- Open / Close / Save Files
- Viewing
- Tool Options Palette

Selection

- Using The Selection Tools
- Marquee
- Magic Wand
- Lasso
- Adding And Subtracting From Selections
- Tool Options
- Inversing A Selection
- Feathering A Selection
- Hiding The Edges Of A Selection
- Grow And Similar Commands

Layers

- Understanding Layers
- Using The Layers Palette
- Adding Objects To New Layers
- Viewing Layers
- Moving, Deleting, Copying Layers
- Blend Modes, Opacity
- Preserve Transparency Option
- Managing A Document With Layers
- Layer Styles

Transforming Your Selection

- Rotating / Scaling
- Shearing
- Distorting
- Applying Perspective
- Flipping

Brushes And Painting

- Defining Your Brush
- Using The Different Tools; Line, Pencil Airbrush, Paintbrush, Rubber Stamp, Eraser, Smudge, Blur, Sharpen, Dodge/Burn/Sponge
- Tool Options Palette
- Using The Paint Bucket Tool
- Creating Gradients
- Blend Modes

Changing The Colour

- Fill
- Hue/Saturation
- Copy And Paste
- Stroking
- Using The Eyedropper Tool
- Foreground And Background Colours

Special Effects

- Layer Masks
- Filters; Blur, Distort, Noise, Pixelate, Render, Stylise
- Liquifying
- Creating Different Artistic Styles

Printing

- Selecting The Correct Resolution
- Cropping
- Brightness/Contrast And Levels