

Adobe Creative Cloud Essentials

1 Day Course

Course Aims

This 1-day session is designed to explain and demonstrate the fundamental differences between Adobe PhotoShop, Illustrator and InDesign, and how the three applications are designed to work together as one. During the session you will gain an understanding of what the applications are capable of, and which application(s) you may then wish to go on and pursue in more depth.

Pre-requisites

Before attending this course you should have a good understanding of using a computer and navigating Windows or MacOS. Previous experience with Adobe Creative Cloud may be useful but is not required.

Morning Session

A Look at Illustrator

- Basic drawing tools
- Bezier drawing (pen tool)
- Shaping with Pathfinder
- Fills & strokes
- Working with text
- Basic layers
- Creating 3D graphics
- Live Paint
- Image trace
- Saving and exporting

A Look at Photoshop

- Cropping to size
- Rotate & resizing
- Colour modes
- File formats
- Enhancing images
- Using the touch-up tools
- Basic layers
- Layer masks

Afternoon Session

What is InDesign?

- Document Setup and Bleed
- Working with text
- Paragraph styles
- Working with columns
- Working with images
- Applying text wrap
- Framing a text box
- Inset spacing
- Working with colour
- Multiple pages
- Master pages
- Page numbering
- Different document layouts
- Errors/links/package/PDF
- Saving as JPEG

Adobe Creative Cloud

- Adobe Creative Cloud Pricing