

Course Title:		Adobe Photoshop for Beginners					
Course Code:		S2038TGS	Centre: Sutton		Tutor: TBA		
Day:	Tue	Start Date:	11/01/11	Length:	12 wks	Time:	10:00-12:00

Course Content/Syllabus

This course will include the following topics:

- Overview of Photoshop and it's uses
- Basics of digital images - how they are made; sizes and resolution
- Introduction to the tool palette
- Overview of the retouching tools and image adjustments
- Making selections
- Working with layers
- Working with text
- Applying filters
- Making montages
- Preparing & outputting for print or digital uses

After completing the course, students should be able to:

- Create digital images from scratch
- Enhance and manipulate scanned and photographed images

Assessment Methods

Continuous informal assessment.

Home Study

Attendance

Regular attendance is expected in order to get the most from your course.

Courses are run using Apple iMacs using Adobe CS3 software. Software is the same on either a MAC or a PC.

Entry Requirements

Computer Literate, familiar with Windows XP or Mac OS X

English, Maths & IT Entry Requirements

Basic English & IT Skills

Exam Fees

N/a

Additional Costs (eg course materials & textbooks)

- A memory stick would be useful to save your work – available from the centre at £11
- If you wish to purchase Adobe software for your own use, you may be entitled to 80% student discount. See tutor for details.

You are advised not to purchase text-books or equipment until the course is confirmed.

For your first session, please bring:

- Notebook and pen
- Folder for handouts
- Memory Stick

Extra Help With Your Learning

For details of additional support, please request the learning support leaflet and indicate your needs on the enrolment form.

Progression/Further Opportunities:

- Adobe Photoshop Intermediate course
- Adobe Illustrator Beginner & Intermediate courses
- Adobe InDesign Beginner & Intermediate courses
- Adobe Flash & Dreamweaver Beginner & Intermediate courses
- AS Level Graphic Design*
- BTEC Art & Design Foundation*
- Various Photography courses
- Digital Design for print & web Level 1*
- Interactive & Digital Design Level 2*

* Subject to other entry requirements

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