

Adobe Illustrator: New User

Category: Graphics & Web Design, Adobe Illustrator

Course Details

Duration: 2 Days Classroom Training or Online

Timings: 09:30 - 16:30

Introduction to Illustrator

- Setting up general preferences
- Document and page set up
- Creating default documents
- Artwork and preview models
- Selection tools
- Magnification and reduction
- Using rulers and guides

Drawing Tools

- Working with the line tools
- Working with the shape tools
- Cutting and editing paths
- Using the Bezier tool
- The transformation tools
- The measurements tool
- Cutting, copying and pasting elements

Working with Colour

- The paints attributers palette

- Creating custom colours
- Working with swatches
- Creating patterns
- Using the paint/colour tools

Working with Text

- Type area and type path tools
- Typography and formatting
- Tab & paragraph palettes
- Text overflow
- Linking/unlinking text
- Text boxes
- Text on a path
- Wrapping text and graphics
- Outlining type

Using Layers

- Working with the layers palette
- Creating/deleting/hiding layers
- Changing layer order
- Locking layers
- Cutting and pasting between layers
- Layer options

Working with Objects

- Duplicating
- Object drag copying
- Multiple selections
- Moving, rotating, scaling elements
- Merging/combining objects
- Using the reshape tool
- Grouping/ungrouping objects
- Working with strokes and fills

- Creating masks
- Creating compound
- Special effects with masks and compounds

Gradients and Blends

- The gradient palette
- Using the gradient vector tool
- Basic gradient mesh
- Creating graduated blends
- Using the blend tool
- Using the blend command

Considerations for Print and Web

- Editable Ai files
- File formats
- Compressing web graphics

BOOKING

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