

Duration: 1 day overview, or 2 days for more hands-on.

This course gives delegates all the essential skills for Illustrator. Ideal if you are new to Illustrator or need to expand on some self-learning. You'll learn skills that include how to build from shapes, understand Bézier curves, use the illustration window, and live paint.

Key Topics

- Understanding what vector graphics are
- Exploring the Illustrator tools
- Working with the workspaces and panels within Illustrator
- How to create documents for print or web
- Understand key parts of the environment such as grids, smart guides, swatches, colour, stroke, and fill
- Managing multiple documents and previews
- Working with art boards
- Creating and manipulating layers
- Understanding colour in Illustrator
- Using objects. How to select, move, group, isolate, distort, rotate, and resize items in your design
- Drawing and working with line art
- Painting with freeform shapes
- Entering and manipulating type
- Working with images imported into Illustrator
- Exporting images for different uses