

JTB PHOTOS Photoshop Classes

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LESSON PLAN

Classes are casual with hands on instruction. Bring your computer and follow along. Students love our classes because as you follow along we help you correct mistakes on the spot. No need to pull out your hair at home alone. Our caring instructors understand your need to feel comfortable with the software.

- **12 student maximum per class means you get the attention you need**

\$200 PER 3 WEEK SESSION

(2 hrs per class- we provide electricity for your laptop)

Class 1 Intro

LESSON 1

- Getting to know the work area
- Learning the tools in Adobe Photoshop
- Using the tool options bar
- Working with palettes
- Undoing actions in Photoshop
- Customizing the workspace
- Using the Help features

LESSON 2

- Basic photo corrections
- Strategy for photo retouching
- Resolution and image sizes
- Straightening and cropping images
- Making automatic adjustments
- Adjusting the tonal range
- Removing a color cast
- Replacing colors in an image
- Adjusting lightness with the Dodge tool
- Using the Sponge tool
- Using the Unsharp Mask filter
- Saving the image for four-color printing

LESSON 3

- Retouching and repairing
- Repairing areas with the Clone Stamp tool
- Using Spot Healing Brush tool
- Using the Healing Brush and Patch tools
- Retouching on a separate layer

Class 2

LESSON 4

- Working with selections
- Learning the selection tools
- Using the Magic Wand
- Working with oval and circular selections
- Selecting with the lasso tools
- Rotating a selection

- Making a quick selection

LESSON 5

- Learning Layer basics
- Using the Layers palette
- Rearranging layers
- Applying a layer style
- Flattening and saving files

Class 3

LESSON 6

- Working with masks and channels
- Creating a quick mask
- Editing a quick mask
- Saving a selection as a mask
- Viewing channels
- Adjusting individual channels
- Loading a mask as a selection
- Applying effects using a gradient mask
- Resizing the canvas
- Moving layers between documents
- Colorizing with and adjustment layer
- Grouping and clipping layers
- Applying a mask from a saved selection
- Using type as a mask

You can test into session 2 with instructors approval.

Session 2 - Intermediate A

Class 1

LESSON 7

- Correcting digital photographs
- Vanishing point perspective
- Correcting image distortion
- Creating a PDF portfolio

LESSON 8

- Typographic design
- Creating a clipping mask from type
- Creating a design element from type
- Using interactive formatting controls
- Warping point type
- Designing a paragraph of type
- Warping a layer

Class 2

LESSON 9

- Advanced layer techniques
- Clipping a layer to a shape
- Setting up a Vanishing Point grid
- Keyboard shortcuts
- Placing imported artwork
- Smart objects
- Adding a layer style

- Adding an adjustment layer
- Working with layer comps
- Managing layers
- Flattening a layered image
- Merging layers and layer groups

Class 3

LESSON 10

- Advanced compositing
- Automating a multi-step task
- Setting up a four-image montage
- Hand-Coloring selections in a layer
- Changing the color balance
- Applying filters
- Moving a selection
- Creating a cutout effect
- Matching color schemes across images

LESSON 11

- Producing and printing color
- Reproducing colors
- Specifying color-management settings
- Proofing an image
- Identifying out-of-gamut colors
- Adjusting an image and printing a proof
- Saving the image separation
- Printing

INTERMEDIATE B

CLASS 1 2 3
RETOUCHING

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LAYERS

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ACTIONS

Classes are held Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday
at our Downtown location 6:30-8:30

Lesson plan and schedule subject to change.

Please call for more information. 404-593-8416