

Adobe DREAMWEAVER CS3 FOR WEB CREATION

2 Day Course

Course Outline

Dreamweaver CS3 is the industry-leading website creation tool, enabling users to efficiently design, develop and maintain websites. Fireworks CS3 enables users to create, edit and optimise graphics and images for the web with precise control. The combination of the two programmes will enable you to design, build and maintain professional websites.

Who should attend?

Graphic/Web designers, or people transitioning into a website related job or taking on website maintenance responsibilities. This Essentials course is aimed at delegates with little or no experience of Dreamweaver and Fireworks. At the end of the course delegates will have created and built a professional working website. (This course is not suitable for those using Dreamweaver CS4).

The course on each day runs from 9.30 am to approximately 4.30pm.

COURSE CONTENT

• How do websites work?

- The 'bigger picture' – the Internet
- Enabling your website to be viewed on the Internet
- Building a user friendly website
- Your target audience
- Accessibility and legal responsibilities

• Dreamweaver CS3 Overview

- Introducing Dreamweaver CS3
- Learning the interface
- Dreamweaver Fireworks workflow

• Fireworks CS3 Overview

- Introducing Fireworks CS3
- Learning the interface
- Fireworks Dreamweaver workflow

• HTML Code

- Understanding HTML code
- Viewing examples of HTML code
- Basic HTML exercises

• Getting Started

- Creating a site folder
- Creating a new local site
- Working with your site files

• Basic Page Creation

- Create a new basic HTML page
- Add and format text content
- Insert graphics and images
- Test and preview the page

• Page Layout with Tables

- Overview of tables

- Designing a page layout with tables
- Creating table structures
- Modifying and nesting tables
- Formatting text, images and data in tables

• Cascading Style Sheets – CSS

- Overview of CSS
- Styling with CSS
- Creating an internal style sheet
- Creating an external style sheet
- Attaching style sheets to multiple pages

• Navigating your site

- Understanding site navigation
- Creating internal site links

- How to quickly and easily design, develop and maintain a professional website
- Effectively use CSS to layout and manage your website
- Create, edit and optimize graphics and images to incorporate into your website design
- How to connect your site to the Internet and how to upload and maintain your site files

What will I learn?

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- Creating external links
- Creating email links
- Creating page anchor links
- Creating image links
- **Working with Graphics and Images**
 - Overview of web-based image creation
 - Sourcing, editing & optimizing images
 - Creating & manipulating graphics
 - Creating slices, rollovers & hotspots
 - Adding Flash content
- **Templates and Libraries**
 - Overview of templates
 - Creating site templates
 - Defining editable regions
 - Applying templates
 - Modify and update templates
 - Create a site library
 - Modify and update library items
- **Adding Interactive Content**
 - Overview of JavaScript Behaviours
 - Create and edit a JavaScript Behaviour
- **Creating Forms**
 - Understanding forms
 - Create a basic form
 - Processing a form
- **Site Testing, Maintenance and Uploading**
 - Testing your site
 - Connecting your site to the Internet
 - Uploading & maintaining your site

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