
Adobe Illustrator Level 1

Course Content

Students will learn to create “drawn” graphics, integrating content from other domains (such as photo-oriented graphics and animation, which belong to Photoshop and Flash).

This course is intended for designers, publishers, pre-press professionals, marketing communications professionals, or people switching to a design job or taking on design responsibilities and who need to use Illustrator to create illustrations, logos, advertisements, or other graphic documents.

Lessons include the following:

- Introduction to Illustrator
 - Evaluate Graphics Scalability
 - Navigate, View, and Measure Graphics
 - Customize the User Interface
- Creating Documents Containing Basic Shapes
 - Create Documents
 - Save Documents
 - Draw Basic Shapes
- Creating Graphics Containing Customized Paths
 - Draw Paths
 - Modify Paths
- Creating Graphics Containing Customized Text
 - Insert Text
 - Flow Text Along a Path
 - Insert Bounded Text
 - Thread Text
 - Apply Text Styles
 - Insert Typographical Characters
- Customizing Objects
 - Import and Link Graphics
 - Alter the Appearance of Objects
- Customizing Basic Shapes
 - Apply Strokes
 - Fill Shapes
 - Apply Gradients
 - Apply Graphic Styles
 - Distort Text with Text Envelopes
- Preparing a Document for Deployment
 - Update Text
 - Wrap Text
 - Hyphenate text
 - Optimize Content for Print
 - Optimize Content for Web
 - Optimize Content for PDF Documents