

## Designing PowerPoint Slides 1 day



### Overview

This 1-day PowerPoint training course will teach you how to design and create clear, engaging PowerPoint slides.

This is a hands-on course. It includes time to try out what you are being taught and for asking questions if you're not clear on anything.

By the time you finish, you'll have a thorough grounding in the basics of designing PowerPoint slides.

- A beginners' PowerPoint design course that covers all of the basics.
- Plenty of one to one attention and time to ask questions.
- Friendly expert trainers, small groups and a comfortable place to learn.
- All the materials and extras that you'll ever need.
- Ongoing support and help with issues you have after the course.

We use version 2016 to train on as all versions are so similar.

### Prerequisites

This course assumes you have the basic knowledge of how to use PowerPoint. You do not need to be an advanced user to join.

### Exercises

This course is instructor led, involving the utilisation of examples and exercises in a workshop environment.

### Topics

#### Communicating with Your Audience

- Different types of presentations
- Core messaging to use in your presentation
- Using visual metaphors consistent with your messaging

#### Storytelling

- The importance of storytelling in communication
- How you can build a strong narrative

#### Using Images and Videos

- Do's and Don'ts of using images and videos
- Where to find suitable, high-quality media

#### The Key Principles of Design

- Balance
- Emphasis
- Contrast
- Repetition
- Proportion
- Form & Space
- Colour

#### Design Best Practise for PowerPoint

- Master slides & visual themes
- Typography and fonts
- Diagrams
- Arranging your text
- Margins, grids and placement
- Should you use animations?
- Presenting