# Graphic Design for Non-Designers Using Canva®

Duration: 2 Days Method: Instructor-Led Training (ILT) | Live Online Training

## **Course Description**

Learn how to effectively use Canva to design graphics for your business. This course will not only teach participants how to use Canva but will help them develop a brand identity for their business or organization.

# **Target Audience**

This course is intended for:

- Beginner Designers
- Digital Marketers
- Freelancers,
- Social Media Managers,
- Visual Content Creators,
- Anyone interested in graphic design,
- Entrepreneurs and small business owners who want to create a strong brand,
- Virtual Assistants who need to create professional graphics & designs for their clients.

# Prerequisites

To attend this course, candidates must have:

• Basic computer knowledge.

# **Course Objectives**

Upon successful completion of this course, attendees will be able to:

- Navigate Canva's interface.
- Apply colour psychology, the colour wheel, and schemes to create emotional responses.
- Differentiate between fonts and typefaces; apply type classification.
- Learn branding essentials and design logos reflecting brand identity.





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## Course Objectives Continued

- Develop brand kits and maintain consistency in materials.
- Design engaging social media graphics for platforms like Facebook, Instagram, YouTube, and Twitter.
- Create animations, and short-form videos for YouTube, TikTok, and social media stories.
- Design professional resumes, presentations, and personal websites.
- Produce digital products like e-books, magazines, and mock-ups.
- Create merchandise mock-ups (e.g., t-shirts, mugs).
- Design business stationery like letterheads, brochures, and flyers.
- Ensure consistency across all branded materials.

# **Course Topics**

#### Module 1: Introduction to Canva

- Account Creation
- Accessing Canva
- Exploring Canva

## Module 2: Colour Theory

- Colour Psychology
- The Colour Wheel
- Colour Schemes

## Module 3: Typography

- Fonts and Typefaces
- Type Classification

## Module 4: Branding

- Branding Basics
- Logos
- Brand Kits and Guidelines

## Module 5: Social Media Graphics

- Facebook Graphics
- Instagram Graphics
- YouTube Graphics
- Twitter Graphics

## Module 6: Videos and GIFs

- Animations
- MP4 vs. GIFs
- YouTube Videos
- TikTok & Story Videos

## Module 7: Personal Branding

- Creating Resumes/CVs
- Creating Presentations
- Publishing Websites

## Module 8: Digital Products

- E-Books & Magazines
- Creating Mock-ups (T-Shirts, Mugs, etc.)

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## Module 9: Business Stationery

- Business Letterheads
- Envelopes
- Brochures
- Flyers

# **EXERCISES INCLUDED**



