

Code: APH310 T5

Title: How to Use Your DSLR Camera

Tutor: Andrew Wilson

Day: Saturday

Time: 09:30 to 16:30

Dates: 27 April

Half-term dates: not applicable

Number of sessions: 1

Venue: Oakham Enterprise Park (OEP)

Cost: £38.50 (concession £19.25 – see below)



Concessions: If you are able to claim state benefits (not Child Tax Credit) or have a gross household income of less than 27,000 per year, you may be entitled to a 50% discount – please enquire.

Who is it for?

Those new to, or with little experience of, using their DSLR or bridge camera who wish to gain confidence and understand the fundamental principles of photography.

Course description

This course will give you a hands-on introduction to the basic principles of using a DSLR camera. You'll learn how to control the camera, how to use the controls effectively and how they affect the pictures you take. You'll also learn what the technical jargon means and how to apply it practically to the pictures you take.

Learning will be via practical, hands-on use of your camera, as well as seeing and understanding simple explanations and examples.

Course outcomes:

By the end of the course, you will be able to:

- Go beyond 'auto' mode
- Control focus, shutter speed and apertures
- Learn about the different modes and settings, what they mean and how to use them
- Understand the technical jargon
- Improve the pictures you take

If you need more information or advice, please call us on 01572 758122 or email adultlearning@rutland.gov.uk

What should I bring?

- Note pad & pen/pencil
- Fully-charged DSLR or bridge camera with SD card
- Camera instruction manual, if possible

What could I do after this? Who delivers it?

This course is delivered by Andrew Wilson, Fellow of the Royal Photographic Society and a RPS Distinctions assessor and advisor with many years' experience.

After the course, you could continue to practice in your own environment or sign up for RALSS' How to Take Better Pictures photography course.

Directions and Map:

From the Oakham Bypass, turn onto the Ashwell Road. After about a mile cross the mini-roundabout and immediately prepare to turn right into Gate 2. The car park is straight on.

Adult Learning Hub,
Unit 16A, Gate 2
Oakham Enterprise Park,
Ashwell Road,
Oakham,
Rutland,
LE15 7TU

Tel: 01572 758122
Email: adultlearning@rutland.gov.uk
Website: www.ralss.org.uk

Buses run from John Street Bus Station in Oakham throughout the day. A bus stop is just outside the entrance to the Enterprise Park.

To see the most up-to-date bus timetables, please visit
<https://www.rutland.gov.uk/my-community/transport/bus-timetables-and-travel-advice/>

