

NEXT STEPS TO DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY

Subject Area
Student Type
Study Mode

Digital
Adults
Part Time

What is the course about?

If you have completed the Introduction course and have a passion for photography, this course will help you build on your existing skills and knowledge. It's also ideal if you've recently upgraded to a DSLR or mirrorless camera and want to explore which features will benefit you most.

If you already own a camera, have some prior knowledge of digital photography, and want to move beyond auto settings to get the best out of your equipment, this course is perfect for you.

Why should I choose the course?

This course is perfect if you want to move beyond the basics and gain more control over your photography. Whether you've recently upgraded your camera or are looking to get more out of the one you already have, you'll build confidence using manual settings and other features to improve your images. You'll also have the chance to experiment with different techniques and equipment, develop your own style, and learn how to present your work professionally, all in a supportive and engaging environment.

What will I learn?

The course will help you unlock the full potential of your camera by showing you how to access and make the most of its individual features and settings. Whether you're using a point-and-shoot camera, DSLR, or mirrorless model, you'll learn how to use the best settings and experiment with other photographic equipment to improve your results.

You will:

- Gain a deeper understanding of photographic terms and how to use photographic equipment and lenses
- Take animal photographs
- Capture HDR images
- Learn how to print and present your pictures, including printer use and basic maintenance
- Work with apertures
- Work with shutter speeds

You will be informally assessed by your tutor and will also self-assess your weekly progress using an individual learning plan.



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What will the course lead on to?

After completing this course, you may progress to another short course.

Whether you're looking to upskill, work toward a promotion, explore a pathway to university, or simply meet new people, there's something for everyone.

Click here to view all of our courses: [Digital courses for adults](#)

What support is available?

We have a team of staff dedicated to providing learning support if it is required and a Wellbeing Team that are on hand to offer guidance, support and help when needed.

Additionally, eligible students can access a wide range of finance and funding support to help them during their time at college. For personalised advice on funding, please contact our Learner Services Team on 01925 494 400 or email learner.services@wvr.ac.uk.

Why should I choose to study the course at Warrington & Vale Royal College?

Warrington & Vale Royal College offers a welcoming learning environment with modern facilities, ample on-site parking, and expert tuition from knowledgeable and supportive staff. Whether you're just starting out or looking to develop new skills, we're here to help you succeed.

What are the entry requirements?

No previous qualifications are needed to enrol on this course, but you must have access to a digital camera (DSLR or mirrorless) for the duration of the course (a smart phone with a camera is not suitable).

This course is for adults 19+.

What are my funding options?

For more information about financial support, please visit: <https://wvr.ac.uk/college-life/financial-support>

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Are there any additional costs associated with the course?

There are no additional costs to the course.



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You are required to bring your own DSLR camera to the course. The course is not suitable for the camera feature on mobile phones.

The college is unable to provide information or help regarding purchasing your own camera.



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