Beginners' Adobe Express for Publicity

Part of our Digital Foundations 60 minute training series



## **Digital Foundations programme**

There are many ways we can help small community organisations make sound choices about the digital tools and technology they use.



#### Communications made easy

Raise your profile using digital tools to engage supporters and fund your future

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#### **Digital basics**

Work and collaborate online using free and affordable digital tools and technology

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#### Websites for communities

Put your website at the heart of your charity or community organisation's story

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#### Find out more about the Digital Foundations programme



# What we will cover today

- 1. Logging in and moving around
- 2. Creating a publicity project
- 3. Basic editing functions
- 4. Sharing and download options
- 5. Other features e.g. templates



# What we won't cover

Every option!
Premium features



### **Demo and Do**

You'll watch me first. Then create or edit afterwards.

3-5 minutes for each activity





## Logging in

- <u>Go to Adobe</u> <u>Express</u>
  Sign in
- Sign In Sign up

lf you haven't already done so, Sign up



When signed in you can go to the 4 square icon top right of screen then Adobe Express



## So that you are in your dashboard







Business cards (140)

You can start with a template or if you simply want the right size with a blank canvas, first choose the category (e.g. Facebook covers), then start from scratch.



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## Let's go Live!







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Your options will pop out. **Click on the x once you have finished** your selection if you need less distraction

If you want to **insert** a shape, text or photos to your canvas, click on your **left toolbar options** 

Toolbars



## Edit an object using its own right hand toolbar



There is also a **right hand toolbar.** This helps you edit the overall layout and size of your design.

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You can't add your brand and save colours across designs in the free version.

However, you can **change individual colours** before you start adding shapes and text to your design.

Add and duplicate pages using the bottom toolbar

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Toolbars

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### Book on training Adobe learning and

#### resources

- <u>Easy social</u>: Content planning, creating and scheduling with Adobe Express
- <u>Adobe Express Tutorials</u> quick videos to learn the basics
- <u>Adobe for nonprofits</u> (1 year free subscription for registered non-profits)

#### Superhighways training

Our full training programme will re-run in the Autumn. Full training programme





### Get the help you need



Book some time with us or <u>sign up for our</u> <u>regular e-news</u> to find out about new opportunities and training.



### What does Superhighways do?

Superhighways helps small charities and community groups gain essential digital and data skills backed by the right tech to achieve their goals.



## Thanks for listening



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