

# Autodesk Inventor Course Frequently Asked Questions



#### What this course aims to do.

Our Autodesk Inventor course is aimed at both business users and private individuals who are new to Inventor or migrating from other CAD software packages and need to be able to start using Inventor as quickly as possible.

At the end of the course all delegates will be able to use the core elements of Inventor that will allow you to be able to produce a Model/Assembly to a reasonable level of detail.

### What to expect

We provide three options for this course covering Parts 1 & 2. They are listed in the order that we would recommend doing the course.

- 1) A four day comprehensive course covering both all the commands, concepts and settings that you are likely to need during the first few years of using Inventor. Includes Parts 1 & 2.
- 2) The same content as option 1 but this option covers parts 1 & 2 as separate attendances. Part 1 will be taught for two days, you return to your office to practice. You will then return for Part 2 for a further two days.
- 3) Part 1 only as a two day course. This might be enough for some people however we do recommend learning Part 2 to get the full benefits of using Inventor.

All the courses come with a 1100+ page Inventor Approved manual, with over 400 illustrations. Practice exercises are used in the course to enhance learning.

We will train you on the latest version of Inventor, or where possible you can use the version that you have in your own office.

We offer a 12-month free post course telephone helpline. The instructor is an Autodesk Certified Instructor and an apprentice trained draughtsman with 30 years of CAD experience and over 35 years draughting experience.

# **Qualifications and Attendance Certificate**

All our courses come with an official Autodesk Authorised e-Certificate. There is an optional exam that you can take at a later stage once you have a couple of months' practice that will enable you to become an official Inventor Certified User.

# Exceptions (what you will not be able to do).

When you have completed this course, you will have a good grasp of how to produce an Inventor Model. However, you will need to practice your new skills on a regular basis. Not all functions are covered in this course.

## Prerequisites / What previous Experience do I need to attend this course?

No Previous CAD Experience is required, but all delegates MUST be computer literate and be able to use Microsoft Windows to an average standard; otherwise they will not be able to complete this course and will hold up any other delegates attending. We would expect all delegates to know how to use basic Windows commands such as new/open/close/print/Undo/Redo etc. and navigate around folders. If you are unsure, please contact us for further guidance or consider a 1 to 1 course

#### **Duration & Dates**

Inventor courses are run on demand and therefore course dates can be arranged at any mutually convenient dates. The duration will depend upon which option you choose in the "what to expect" category above.

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# How many people will there be on the course?

Typically, there are 2-4 people on each course though we cater for a maximum of six attendees. This enables all the delegates to have "quality" time with the instructor should they have trouble with certain aspects of Inventor. We can also offer "One to One" training as well as limiting the number of places for a single company only.

#### Where are the courses held/ where is the course location?

All scheduled courses take place at our offices in Colchester, Essex, just 200M from Colchester Town station. We provide all the facilities, PC's & Software configured and tailored to complement our training courseware. A major benefit of training away from the office is that you do not get continual interruptions and telephone calls from colleagues requesting so called urgent or quick errands. We occasionally run courses at your premises or specially arranged venues, however these do incur surcharges for additional costs to us e.g. room hire and travel.

## What's included in the price?

All our courses include the following

- All materials that you are likely to need, there is no need to bring anything.
- Official Inventor Training Manual that is yours to keep.
- Official Inventor Attendance e-certificate in pdf format that you can e-mail or print.
- 12 months' FREE telephone support.
- Lifetime of e-mail support.
- Refreshments & a buffet lunch ae included within the price
- (Lunch is not provided on our 1/2 day or on-site courses)

# Is there anything I need to do after the course?

At the end of the course you will have been taught how to use all the tools needed to be able to produce, edit and output your Model. You will not however leave the course being able to draw a complicated Model. You will be expected to practice your new skills frequently to gain more experience and start off with simple drawings. If you are not intending to use Inventor daily, we recommend spending a minimum of 5 hours per week practising. We provide extensive practice and project exercises with your manuals to enable you to do this. If you do not practice you will quickly lose your new skills.

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