

# Digital and IT

## First Steps with Computers

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During the course we will cover the very basics of using computers: using a mouse and keyboard, basic Internet searches, finding, opening, and closing files and programs, and following basic instructions to use a computer for a given purpose (such as writing a letter).

The course lasts for two days and students will learn by doing, performing basic computer operations to learn new skills.

### What are the entry requirements?

No formal qualifications are required.

### Need more information?

You can find out more about Northern College and the courses on offer by calling us on 01226 776000 or emailing us [courses@northern.ac.uk](mailto:courses@northern.ac.uk)

## Course description

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This brand new course is intended to provide those who lack confidence using computers to take their first steps in the subject.

## What can this course lead to?

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Students completing this course might then go on to study other digital courses at the college; it is the very first stage of digital learning for people not confident with computers.

## Want to learn more?

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## Location

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On-site

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