

Effective email writing

Course for individuals

Live online





Who is it for?

This course is ideal for everyone who writes emails as part of their working day.

Delivery We deliver this course live online.

Group size

This is small-group remote training, with a maximum of eight delegates per course.

Course length A day of training, plus a year's access to business-writing e-learning.

Cost £495+VAT. Book online or contact us:

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Email is a problem that is hiding in plain sight. We all use email every day. Yet too often email fails to be the effective communication tool it should be.

Emails are more likely than other kinds of work to see spelling and grammar errors creeping in. Poor structure can result in overlong emails that fail to deliver their key message. And poorly worded emails can lead to misunderstandings between colleagues or with clients, causing disrupted workflows and needless stress.

Better email writing

But it doesn't have to be this way. Used well, email gets ideas across quickly and smoothly. Rather than a barrier to action, it can be an invaluable tool for making sure that everything that needs to happen at work, happens.

This course addresses all this and more. The end result is clear, professional emails that get results – and mean you can hit 'send' with confidence every time.



'Really fantastic course – very informative and varied. The course flew by, and it was instantly applicable to my day to day.'

Maddie Gale, Ube

Live online training

We run this course remotely, using the latest web technology. That means you can attend from anywhere. All you need is a computer, a headset and stable internet access.

Learning online is always going to be different from learning in person. So we've carefully designed our remote sessions with these differences in mind, to ensure you still get the same level of interactivity as in our face-to-face training.

Why it works

- O Pre-course writing analysis identifies the areas you need to work on.
- One-to-one coaching shows you where to focus and how to quickly put the right techniques into practice to create rapid improvements.
- Small-group training ensures you get individual attention from the trainer.
- Use of breakout rooms, live polling and activities, shared whiteboards and other tools creates an interactive and collaborative experience.
- Follow-up support includes a year's access to our business-writing helpdesk.
- ⊘ Post-course access to our e-learning programme *The complete business* writer reinforces and builds on what you've learned.

What you'll learn

On this training, you will learn how to:

- ⊘ begin and end emails professionally
- ⊘ set a clear objective for every message
- Structure emails logically
- ⊘ get the reader on-side from the beginning
- ⊘ communicate your messages effectively
- ⊘ avoid making embarrassing errors
- \bigcirc know when email isn't the best solution.

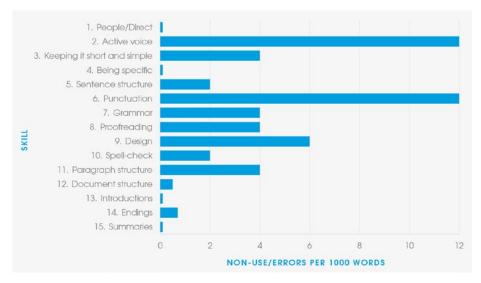




Individual analysis and coaching

Every person has their own unique combination of strengths, weaknesses and blindspots when it comes to their writing. That's why our unique individual writing analysis is such a pivotal part of all our training. It's the final puzzle piece that turns useful techniques into relevant practices that can change how well any person communicates in writing.

Before the live training, we'll request a sample of writing from you. Our expert trainer will analyse your writing sample and we'll produce a graph of the results.



Gap analysis: every participant receives targeted feedback

After the group training, you'll have a one-on-one with the trainer, who'll talk you through your results and answer any questions you have. They'll explain the areas you should focus on and exactly how to put your new skills into practice to make rapid improvements.

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Programme

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9.30	Introduction
	Ourse overview
	Why good writing pays off
	Putting the reader first
	Having a clear objective
10.30	Break
	Planning email and longer documents
	🕑 Why even email needs planning
	 Clarity of thought
	S Assembling the facts
	Making the information flow
	Meeting (all) readers' needs
	Making it logical for them
	Persuasive writing
	Four steps to building a persuasive case
	Getting the reader to take (the right) action
12.00	Lunch
	Improving readability
	Reader-centred writing
	 Make your writing active
	 Writing in plain English
	 Structuring your sentences for easy reading
1.30	Break
	Individual one-to-ones: feedback on writing samples
	Email dos and don'ts
	Confident grammar
	Perfect punctuation
3.15-3.30	Summary and close
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Follow-up support

Comprehensive e-learning

A year's access to our e-learning programme *The complete business writer* to build on and reinforce the learning.

Business-writing helpdesk

We're on hand to help with those quick questions that come up as you put the techniques you've learned into practice.

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