

ONE MONTH FULL TIME OR PART TIME INTENSIVE COURSE SYLLABUS

WEEK 1: TECHNICAL/COMMUNICATION SKILLS

- Survey
- Plans, elevations, sections, furniture layouts
- Perspective sketching
- Sample and concept boards
- Rendering techniques
- Sketching details and window treatments

WEEK 2: DESIGN PROCESS

- Taking the brief, design analysis and processing
- Design psychology
- Concept work
- Colour Psychology
- Concept getting
- Flow and Arrangement

WEEK 3: TECHNICAL UNDERSTANDING

- Introduction to scale, ergonomics and planning (to include kitchens, bathrooms and offices)
- Introduction to lighting
- Lighting and electrical plans
- Planning kitchens and bathrooms
- Wall cladding
- Sanitary Fittings
- Ceilings
- Floor Finishes

WEEK 4: PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE AND ENTREPRENEURIAL CLASS

- Introduction to specifying, ordering, estimating and invoicing
- Estimating quantities
- Proposals
- Sourcing
- Dealing with the trade and use of show rooms
- Opening accounts/ incorporation
- Advice on finding work in the industry
- Entrepreneurial Classes