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1) Editor's Greeting:

Hello everyone, and welcome to our new subscribers!

Here is our August 2006 issue (#28) of our Free monthly Newsletter for EducationOnlineForComputers.com, giving you the most current Free online Microsoft Office and Web Development Software Training and Tutorial Resources that we have recently discovered and researched. This newsletter is free to anyone subscribing ([instructions](#) at bottom, no username/password is needed). To access our member site, however, you do need a user name and password - registering as a member of EducationOnlineForComputers.com costs only \$14 for two months, for more information please see [Become a Member of EducationOnlineForComputers.com](#).

My desire is that these free resources will help you with your computer education and training and will help you advance your career. Our main mission is the training of those less fortunate who are seeking to become computer literate, from a user's perspective.

By means of this email newsletter, you have knowledge of and access to these sites before our web site visitors do. The best of these resources will be added to our Member Training pages and the remainder to our Free Training pages.

***** Current Issue *****

In this issue we are featuring a total of 44 Computer Software Application training, learning and tutorial web sites, with a total of 96 tutorial courses linked. It features many Free Microsoft Office, Flash, Photoshop, Dreamweaver, and Web Development training tutorials for your learning profit and enjoyment.

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[EducationOnlineForComputers.com Blogs:](#)

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[Free Microsoft Office Training Tutorial Resources rss2.xml](#)

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For your convenience, this newsletter is also available to subscribers in HTML format at this special url:

http://www.edcomp.com/current_news.html

If you are looking for free technical or programming training, please visit our sister site:

<http://www.intelligentedu.com>.

Also, please check out our new free computer training search site at

www.edcomp.com.

I wish you the best with your computer studies and learning.

Warm Regards,

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**"Learn New Skills and Increase Your Earning Power
- With Free Online Computer Training!"**

*** [Become a Member of EducationOnlineForComputers.com](http://www.edcomp.com) ***

Our Members' Site contains the web's best Microsoft Office and other software training resources and tutorials. This content is individually linked and presented in a way to expedite and facilitate your computer learning experience. We have done all the web research and presentation work for you so you can concentrate solely on

your computer training. For short [FAQ Answers](#), please see the end of this newsletter.

The total price to join as a member is only \$14 total for 2 months, \$24 for 4 months, \$32 for 6 months, or \$56 for a whole year. The funds generated will assist us to help all those seeking computer education and application end-user training. [Here's the link](#) to see what's available on our member's site and to sign up.

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***** [Get Your Free Microsoft Office Forms and Templates](#) *****

[Click here](#) for tons of Free Office Forms and Templates

2) The Best New Free Microsoft Office Training & Tutorial Sites:

This section of our newsletter contains the best new Free Microsoft Office training and tutorial sites that we have found and researched in the last few weeks.

[TrainingByEmail](#)

Visit [TrainingByEmail](#) to receive **Free Training for Word, Excel, Outlook, C#, ASP.Net, and SQL** via your email every week! We will send out a new training in the topic of your choosing every week. You can then save this, print it out, or delete it all at your convenience. And you can't beat the price, FREE!

[Microsoft Office XP and 2003 eLearning Library of Free Training](#)

The Instruction Technology Group at the University of Nebraska at Lincoln provides the following free Microsoft Office training modules in their [Microsoft eLearning Library](#). These interactive Office application training modules and tutorials were created by Microsoft. Note that to view the main training tutorials, you must be using Windows and Internet Explorer, however, you can use any platform/browser to view the Tutorial How-to Steps for each Lesson in each blog post below.

[Free Training for Excel 2003, Outlook 2003, PowerPoint 2003, and Word 2003](#)

[Free Training for Advanced Excel 2003, Advanced Outlook 2003, and Advanced Word 2003](#)

[Free Training for Access 2003, FrontPage 2003, and Project 2003](#)

[Free Training for OneNote 2003 and Visio Standard 2003](#)

[Free Training for Access XP, Excel XP, Outlook XP, PowerPoint XP, and Word XP](#)

[Free Training for Advanced Excel XP, Advanced Outlook XP, and Advanced Word XP](#)

[Free Training for FrontPage 2002, Project 2002, and Visio 2002](#)

[Free Training for Office XP](#)

[2 Free Training Courses for SharePoint](#)

[4 Freely available Ebooks on Microsoft Word](#)

Here are 4 freely available ebooks on Microsoft Word. These provide many details and instructions on how to use the features and functions of this popular word processing applicaiton.

- [Guide to Word 2003](#) - pdf, 18.7 mb
- [Word 2003 Bible](#) - pdf, 13.6 mb
- [Dreamboat on Word](#) - chm, 2.9 mb
- [Word Annoyances](#) - chm, 67 mb

[24 Freely available Excel Ebooks](#)

Here are 24 freely available ebooks covering all of the many features of Microsoft Excel. These ebooks provide many details and instructions on how to use Excel's features and functions. They are in either pdf or chm format.

- [Guide to Excel 2003](#) - pdf, 11.9 mb
- [Excel Workbook For Dummies](#) - pdf, 5.2 mb

- [Beginning Excel What If Data Analysis Tools](#) - pdf, 2.7 mb
- [Microsoft Excel VBA Programming for the Absolute Beginner Second Edition](#) - pdf, 8.5 mb
- [Excel The Missing Manual](#) - chm, 14.5 mb
- [Excel Programming Weekend Crash Course](#) - pdf, 5.2 mb
- [Mastering Excel 2003 Programming with VBA](#) - pdf, 13.5 mb
- [Excel Timesaving Techniques For Dummies](#) - pdf, 10.9 mb
- [Managing Data with Excel](#) - chm, 15.1 mb
- [Microsoft Office Excel 2003 Fast and Easy](#) - chm, 12.8 mb
- [Microsoft Excel 2003 Programming Inside Out](#) - chm, 18.5 mb
- [Accessing and Analyzing Data with Microsoft Excel](#) - chm, 16.9 mb
- [Excel Pivot Tables and Charts](#) - pdf, 7.9 mb
- [Excel Scientific and Engineering Coombook](#) - chm, 9.9 mb
- [Analyzing Business Data with Excel](#) - chm, 6.6 mb
- [Visual Maran Illustrated Microsoft Excel 2003](#) - pdf, 196.4 mb
- [Excel for Starters The Missing Manual](#) - chm, 4.1 mb
- [Integrating Excel and Access](#) - chm, 4.0 mb
- [Formulas and Functions With Microsoft Excel 2003 Business Solutions](#) - pdf, 15.3 mb
- [Introduction to Statistics Through Resampling Methods and Microsoft Office Excel](#) - pdf, 2.7 mb
- [Your Money and Investments with Microsoft Excel](#) - chm, 69.9 mb
- [Professional Excel Development](#) - chm, 29.8 mb
- [Excel Advanced Report Development](#) - pdf, 9.5 mb
- [Visual Studio Tools for Office Using C Sharp with Excel Word Outlook and InfoPath](#) - chm, 12.1 mb

[More Free Ebooks for Microsoft Word and Excel](#)

Here are five free ebooks, one for Microsoft Word 2003, and four covering Excel 2003 and 2002, two of which teach you how to code using VBA (Visual Basic for Applications) with Excel.

[Using Microsoft Word 2003 \(chm\)](#) 20M

[Teach Yourself Microsoft Excel 2003 \(chm\)](#) 9M

[Using Microsoft Excel 2003 \(chm\)](#) 25M

[Excel 2003 VBA Programming \(zip\)](#) 13M

[Excel 2002 VBA Programming \(pdf\)](#) 8M

[6 Freely available Ebooks on Microsoft Access 2003 and 2002 \(XP\)](#)

Here are 6 freely available ebooks on Microsoft Access 2003 and 2002 (XP). Access is the database application for the Microsoft Office application suite. These Access ebooks provide many details and instructions on how to use the features and functions of this database applicaiton.

[Access 2002 Bible \(pdf\)](#) 16mb

[Easy Microsoft Access 2003 \(chm\)](#) 7mb

[Teach Yourself Access 2003 \(chm\)](#) 11mb

[Access Cookbook \(chm\)](#) 7mb

[Using Microsoft Access 2003 \(chm\)](#) 39mb

[Beginning Access 2002 vba \(chm\)](#) 25mb

[3 Free Microsoft Outlook 2003 Ebooks](#)

Here are 3 freely available ebooks on Microsoft Outlook 2003. Outlook is the client

email application for the Microsoft Office application suite. These Outlook ebooks provide many details and instructions on how to use the features and functions of this email, calendaring, and scheduling application.

[Easy Microsoft Outlook 2003 \(chm\)](#)

(6mb)

[Managing Your Business with Outlook 2003](#)

(pdf, 6824 kb)

[Useful Tips, Tricks and Hacks for Microsoft Outlook 2003](#)

(chm, 14468 kb)

[5 Free Ebooks for PowerPoint 2003](#)

The following are 5 freely available ebooks on Microsoft PowerPoint 2003. PowerPoint is the text, graphical, and multi-media presentation application for the Microsoft Office application suite. These PowerPoint ebooks provide many details and instructions on how to use the features and functions of this presentation applicaiton.

[Easy Microsoft Office powerpoint 2003 \(chm\)](#)

(7mb)

[Teach yourself powerpoint 11 in 24 hours \(chm\)](#)

(13mb)

[Powerpoint 2003 Just The Steps For Dummies](#)

(pdf, 6774 kb)

[Microsoft Office PowerPoint 2003](#)

(chm, 8582 kb)

[Guide to PowerPoint 2003](#)

(pdf, 10950 kb)

3) The Best New Free Training Sites for Flash, Photoshop, Dreamweaver, FrontPage, and other Adobe and Macromedia Applications

[22 Illustrated Photoshop Tutorials](#)

80four hosts 22 free, nicely illustrated, step-by-step Adobe Photoshop tutorials. These will help you learn this important graphics editing and manipulation program.

[3D Text](#)

[Funky, simple text effect.](#)

[Chrome Text](#)

[Great text effect, quite a long process though.](#)

[Chunky Bevel](#)

[Real good for titles or headings.](#)

[Crescent](#)

[Useful shape for logo's and titles.](#)

[Dreaming](#)

[An effect to make images seem dream like, soft and over exposed.](#)

[Duotone](#)

[An effect to tone an image using only two colours.](#)

[Eroded Text](#)

[Another classic text effect.](#)

[Gel Button](#)

[Funky button effect using layer styles, great for navigation images.](#)

Gel Text

Funky text effect using layer styles.

Ice Text

Create a great and unique Frozen Icy Text effect.

Light Burst

Simple light burst effect, using only Photoshop filters.

Metal Texture

Good texture technique, every tutorial site has to have this one

Perforated Ball

A nice, useful technique for buttons or other images.

Pixel Stretch

Trendy effect, good for title images.

Reflection

Nice effect that can add depth to any text.

Scratched Text

Simple, yet effective text effect.

Shattered Text

A quick and easy way to make a great effect.

Stencil Text

An effect to make text seem like its been spray painted.

Stroked Text

Good text effect including shadow

Tools

An quick listing of the photoshop toolbar.

Tunnel Effect

Create a flaring light effect.

Water Texture

Another good texture technique, every tutorial site has to also have this one

[3 Freely available Ebooks for Photoshop CS and Photoshop 7](#)

Here are 3 freely available ebooks covering Adobe Photoshop CS and Photoshop 7. These Photoshop ebooks provide many details and instructions on how to use the features and functions of this graphics and photo editing application.

[Photoshop CS All-in-one Desk Reference \(pdf\)](#) 26mb

[Adobe Photoshop CS in 10 Simple Steps or Less \(pdf\)](#) 14mb

[How to Use Adobe Photoshop 7 \(chm\)](#) 14mb

[Photoshop Tutorials from Inside Graphics](#)

Inside Graphics offers the following well written step-by-step Photoshop Tutorials. These cover many areas and features of Photoshop, and help you use this tool in a variety of tasks, including Text Effects, Filters, Tools, Image Effects, Channels, Blending Modes, Blending, Textures, Photo Retouching, Artistic Effects, Lines and Grids, Frames, Web Buttons, and Black and White.

[Free Photoshop Elements Ebook](#)

Here is a blog post about a freely available ebook for Photoshop Elements 4. It demonstrates how to fix up your images and organize all your photos by date, event,

place, or subject for easy viewing, and then turn them into projects.

This Photoshop ebook shows you how to do the following:

- Improve photos: remove red-eye, adjust colors, and highlight the subject of your photo
- Merge multiple photos to make artistic compositions
- Construct your own Web galleries
- Put your own artwork on T-shirts, magnets, or tattoos
- Create custom party hats and banners
- Make original labels for both music CDs and photo archive disks
- Print wallet-sized photos to share with friends and family
- “Stitch” several images together to create a panorama
- Create custom slideshows with sound, calendars, and recipe books

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[6 Freely available Ebooks for Macromedia Flash](#)

Here are 6 freely available ebooks for Macromedia Flash. These cover Flash 5, Flash MX 2004, Flash Actionscript, Flash Tips and Tools, Flash Remoting, and Flash Communication Server MX.

[Flash 5 Bible \(pdf\)](#) 5mb

[Flash Actionscript Cookbook \(chm\)](#) 1mb

[Flash Hacks - 100 Industrial-strength Tips & Tools \(chm\)](#) 5mb

[Flash Remoting \(chm\)](#) 2mb

[Macromedia Flash MX 2004 Actionscript \(chm\)](#) 11mb

[Macromedia Flash Communication Server MX \(chm\)](#) 7mb

[2 Top Flash MX 2004 Professional Tutorials](#)

This is a pdf document that details how to set-up and code 2 professional features in Flash MX 2004.

Flash Tutorial #1:

Create a Video Slideshow with Cue Points in 13 steps.

Using Flash MX 2004, you can quite easily create a slide presentation with cue points.

Flash Tutorial #2:

How to code a script to Play FLV (Flash Video) Files

[Free Macromedia Dreamweaver 8 Ebook](#)

Here is a blog post about a freely available ebook that covers advanced features and functions of Dreamweaver 8. This book takes a visual, task-based approach and guides you through the topics, which include the following: step-by-step tutorials and instructions on working with servers, setting up database connections, using SQL, building dynamic pages, how to build dynamic forms and dynamic tables, create a search page for your site, and control access to your site with a user log-in and password. This ebook also works as a reference book, where you can look up the topic you need and start learning about it immediately.

To access the download link on rapidshare.de, click on the Free button on the right, near the bottom of the page, wait about 30 seconds, then enter the 3 character code and click on the download button. To uncompress .rar files you can use [7-Zip](#).

[10 Free Ebooks on Dreamweaver MX and Dreamweaver MX 2004](#)

Here are 10 freely available ebooks on Macromedia Dreamweaver MX and Dreamweaver MX 2004. Dreamweaver is a popular web site programming and development tool that let's developers see the web pages as they are written, in wysiwyg mode. These Dreamweaver ebooks provide many details and instructions on how to use the features and functions of this important web development application.

[Beginners Dreamweaver and Fireworks Tutorials](#)

DW-FW-Beginners.com hosts a series of tutorials excerpted from two Dreamweaver and Fireworks books which will get you started using Dreamweaver and Fireworks.. These include 2 tutorials on integrating Dreamweaver and Fireworks.

Dreamweaver Tutorials

[Tutorial #1 Planning your first web site](#)

Covers the fundamental questions that everyone must consider when developing their first web site. Includes a handy planning guide for focusing on how your site should be structured to reach your intended audience. This is the essential first step that everyone should use before they begin building any web site.

[Tutorial #2 Creating a site structure](#)

This tutorial, excerpted from Module 2, explores how an initial site plan is translated into a rock-solid site structure using Dreamweaver's Site window. Important tips about the steps you'll need to use *before* you ever build your first web page are covered in this informative lesson.

[Tutorial #3 The Printed Word—Working with Text](#)

From Module 5, this tutorial leads you through the process of inserting and formatting text in an HTML document. Considerations you need to keep in mind when working with text, why HTML limits the types of fonts you can use, and how text can be formatted for an improved viewer experience are just a few of the topics

covered in this informative lesson.

[Tutorial #4 Designing with Dreamweaver Templates](#)

Excerpted from Module 9, this quick tutorial steps you through the process of designing a template and defining editable regions—allowing you to create a consistent look for your site that can be repeated over and over again.

[Tutorial #5 Applying a Simple Swap Image Behavior](#)

Ever want to pull off one of those neat little tricks that allow a link to display an image in another part of a page? It's easy with Dreamweaver behaviors as this quick tutorial will show.

Fireworks Tutorials

[Tutorial #1 Creating a new Fireworks document](#)

In this introductory tutorial to the Fireworks interface you'll learn how to create a new document, set canvas size and color, and open existing documents. A quick overview of many of the fundamentals you'll need to know to begin working with Fireworks.

[Tutorial #2 Using bitmap selection tools](#)

[Tutorial #3 Beginner's Guide to Fireworks Animations](#)

In addition to the many ways that Fireworks can be used for editing and optimizing graphics for the web, it is also the premier tool for creating animated GIFs. Learn the basics of how animations are created using frame-by-frame techniques as well as some of the ways that creating animations can be automated.

[Tutorial #4 Creating a Transparency Mask](#)

One of the most requested techniques at the Fireworks newsgroup. Masking allows you to create an effect that fades an image from opaque to transparent. Easy and fun!

[Tutorial # 5 Disjoint Rollovers](#)

With the tools provided by Fireworks you can create some fabulous effects through the magic of disjoint rollovers. Learn how to create an effect where rolling over one object on the page causes another object to appear.

Integrating Dreamweaver and Fireworks

[Beginner's Guide to Pop-Up Menus](#)

Pop-up menus are all the rage, and a great new feature found in Fireworks 4. But if they're so wonderful, why do so many people have problems with them? Learn the essential steps you need to take to insure that your pop-ups work every time—from properly structuring your site to creating, exporting, and employing these great site navigation objects.

[Creating Seamless Backgrounds](#)

Page and table backgrounds are a great way to add visual interest to a web page, but how to create the background so that it tiles seamlessly? This tutorial leads you through the process of creating seamless backgrounds for a horizontal graphic in Fireworks and demonstrates how the background can be employed in Dreamweaver.

[Free Training for Microsoft FrontPage XP and 2003](#)

Here are free Microsoft FrontPage training courses for [FrontPage XP/2002](#) and [FrontPage 2003](#), hosted by the Instruction Technology Group at the University of Nebraska at Lincoln as part of their [Microsoft eLearning Library](#). These interactive training modules were created by Microsoft. Note that to view the main training tutorials, you must be using Windows and Internet Explorer, however, you can use any platform/browser to view the Tutorial How-to Steps for each Lesson.

[11 Free Ebooks for Maya, 3DS Max, and Lightwave](#)

Here are 11 freely available ebooks covering Maya, 3DS Max, and Lightwave. These are in either pdf or chm (help) formats.

Maya is a high-end [3D computer graphics](#) and [3D modelling](#) software package, originally by [Alias Systems Corporation](#) but now owned by [Autodesk](#) under its Media and Entertainment division. Maya is often used in the [film](#) and [TV industry](#), as well as for [computer and video games](#).

- [Maya 5 Fundamentals \(chm\)](#) 12mb
- [Maya 4.5 savvy \(chm\)](#) 15mb
- [Maya - Secrets of the Pros \(pdf\)](#) 40mb

3DS Max is a [3D modeler](#) developed by [Autodesk Media & Entertainment](#). 3ds Max is one of the most widely-used [off the shelf](#) 3D animation programs. It has strong modeling capabilities, a ubiquitous [plugin](#) architecture and a long heritage on the [Microsoft Windows](#) platform. It is mostly used by [video game developers](#) but can also be used for pre-rendered productions such as movies, special effects and architectural presentations.

- [Advanced 3DS Max 5 Modeling and Animating \(chm\)](#) 112mb
- [3DS Max 6 Bible \(zip\)](#) 39mb
- [3DS Max 7 Bible \(pdf\)](#) 26mb
- [3DS Max Lighting \(pdf\)](#) 26mb

Lightwave is (or, more properly, LightWave 3D) is a [computer graphics](#) program for [3D modeling](#), rendering, and animation. Lightwave has long been known for its excellent [rendering](#) abilities and unusual [user interface](#). Like many other [3D](#) packages Lightwave is composed of two parts, an object modelling environment where 3d models or meshes are created and an [animation](#) environment where models are arranged and animated for [render](#).

- [Lightwave 3D 8 Lighting \(pdf\)](#) 13mb
 - [Lightwave 3D 8 Texturing \(pdf\)](#) 20mb
 - [Lightwave 3D 8 1001 Tips & Tricks \(zip\)](#) 10mb
 - [Lightwave 3D Character Animation \(pdf\)](#) 21mb
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4) The Best New Free Web Development Training Sites

[HTML, CSS, PHP, and Perl Tutorials from DevelopingWebs.Net](#)

DevelopingWebs.Net is a great place for learning about for web site development. Here aspiring web developers and those needing to brush up their skills can spend some time learning web programming, specifically HTML, CSS, PHP, and Perl. This site is also a web developers' community where webmasters communicate, tutor and get help.

[Basic and Advanced HTML Tutorials and Lessons](#)

HTML Lessons:

1. [Basic page](#)
2. [Font, Size, Breaks and Alignment](#)
3. [Bold, Italics, Underline](#)
4. [Inserting Images and Backgrounds](#)
5. [Image Attributes](#)
6. [Hypertext, Linking and Hyperlinks](#)
7. [Embedding Sound on your page](#)
8. [Ordered and unordered Lists: \(Bullets and numbered lists\)](#)
9. [Internal Targets or Bookmarks](#)
10. [Horizontal Rules and Email Links](#)

Basic HTML Tutorials

- [Target Attribute of the Link Anchor](#)
- [Using a Note Pad to write code.](#)
- [Tables 1](#)
- [Tables 2 intermediate](#)
- [Hyper Linking Text and Images](#)
- [Sound- midi and wav](#)
- [Adding Streaming MP3](#)
- [Disabling The IE 6 MyImage Tool Bar](#)
- [Fixed Background Using HTML](#)

Advanced HTML Tutorials

- [Constructing an HTML Template 1](#)
- [Creating Framesets](#)
- [Flash Detection](#)
- [Adding a Mouse Over ImageMenu to your page.](#)
- [Creating a Drop Down Menu](#)
- [Creating a Mailto Form](#)
- [Getting page ready for the Search engines](#)

Cascading Style Sheet (CSS) Tutorials

Using External files:

- [Setting up a style sheet](#)
- [Controlling Background Styles](#)
- [Changing Document Margins](#)
- [Setting the heading tag styles Styles](#)
- [Activity: Identifying Styles](#)
- [Paragraphs](#)
- [Box Outlines and Borders](#)
- [Link control](#)
- [Scrollbar Colors](#)
- [Using Image Ready to create your CSS Template](#)

Inline and page styles:

- [Inline styles](#)
- [Setting up Page styles](#)
- [Static background image](#)
- [Hover effects](#)
- [Internal scripts for page formatting](#)
- [Specifying margin styles for a page](#)

PHP Tutorials

- [Writing a PHP Form](#)
- [Basic Order processing PHP results](#)
- [Chapter notes](#)
- [Creating an online quiz!](#)

- [Dynamic Copyright code](#)
- [Form Calculations](#)
- [Hit Counter](#)
- [Included content and templates](#)
- [Lab 1 Jan 22, 2003](#)
- [MadLibs tutorial: Lab](#)
- [Sound or image a day: lab](#)
- [Email Form Processing](#)

[Perl Tutorials](#)

- [Perl Introduction](#)
- [How to work with perl on your home computer](#)
- [First Perl Script : Hello World!](#)
- [Three Data Types: Scalar, Array, Hash](#)
- [Scalars in perl](#)
- [Arrays in Perl](#)
- [Hashes in Perl](#)
- [Perl Counter](#)
- [CGI Introduction](#)
- [Loops part 1](#)
- [Regex operations](#)
- [File Handling](#)

[Web Design and Development Tips and Tricks](#)

The **web design and development tips and tricks** section of Webdevelopersnotes.com contains these essential articles for web developers. These tips and tricks cover several aspects of web design and development and have been classified into 3 categories: [HTML tips](#), [JavaScript tips](#), and [Web Design tips](#).

[.35 JavaScript Tutorials](#)

JavaScript is a client-side scripting language and adds interactivity and user involvement to web pages. JavaScript enables browsers to take decisions and process information. JavaScript is based on Object Oriented Programming and its syntax is quite similar to C, C++ and Java. However, it is much easier to learn and implement. These 35 online Javascript tutorial lessons, from Webdevelopersnotes.com, were written for those having no programming experience. The Javascript tutorials start with JavaScript methods and event handlers and then take you through variables, loops, functions etc. In the following tutorial lessons, you will learn how to detect browsers, print current date and time on a web page, change images on mouse-over, display statements in the browser Status Bar and several other nifty things.

This site also offers excellent [Beginning and Advanced Flash Tutorials](#) to help you learn this important interactive web site creation tool.

[Top 20 AJAX Tutorials for Beginners](#)

AJAX uses a combination of Javascript and XML to allow web pages to be updated with new data from the server, without forcing the user to wait for a page refresh. Web applications can do a page update without refresh using Javascript, PHP and XML's XMLHttpRequest object (also known as 'remote scripting'). As a developer, using AJAX allows you to build web applications having user interfaces like those of desktop applications, thus offering the user better experiences.

I have researched the web for the 20 best tutorials to help those new to AJAX get started in this important web development technology. These will hopefully help you to start coding web applications using AJAX and get you up to speed quickly. Some of these will also be helpful for more advanced AJAX developers.

[Free Web Design Ebook](#)

Here is a blog post about a freely available Web Design Ebook that explains and demonstrates the latest Web-building techniques, how to redesign a site for optimum usability, how to limit user bandwidth needs, how to keep user experience consistent with CSS, and manage content.

This ebook covers the following web development and design topics: full-site makeovers (user speed, color themes, improved accessibility), page makeovers (page sizing, working with tables), text makeovers (font selection, graphic alternatives), image makeovers (incorporating text with images, file sizing), navigation makeovers (improving navigation bars, menu additions), content makeovers (better Web writing, enhancing the home page message), and an extreme makeover (combining several smaller makeovers into a major site overhaul)

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[Web Developer's Handbook](#)

Web Developer's Handbook is an well maintained linked list of essential free training tutorial web resources for learning about many important web design and development topics. This directory makes the life of web developers easier. It is compiled and updated by Vitaly Friedman.

[Complete CSS Guide from WestCiv](#)

This is WestCiv's Complete CSS Guide, a comprehensive tutorial and reference to

every aspect of Cascading Style Sheets (CSS). If you [need help learning CSS](#) or if you're looking for info about [selectors](#), [properties](#) and all the other aspects of cascading style sheets, this is the place to visit and learn CSS. The following are their CSS Tutorials.

5) The Best New Free Windows, Linux, Hardware and General Computer Training Sites

[Free Training for Windows XP Professional Service Pack 2](#)

Here are free training courses for **Windows XP Professional Service Pack 2** offered by the Instruction Technology Group at the University of Nebraska at Lincoln as part of their [Microsoft eLearning Library](#). These interactive Office application training modules and tutorials were created by Microsoft. Note that to view the main training tutorials, you must be using Windows and Internet Explorer, however, you can use any platform/browser to view the Tutorial How-to Steps for each Lesson.

Core Training for Microsoft Windows XP Professional Service Pack 2

- [What's New in Microsoft Windows XP Professional Service Pack 2](#)
- [Tutorial How-to Steps for each Lesson in Windows XP Pro SP2](#)
 - [Getting Started](#)
 - [Getting Help](#)
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 - [Adding Printers and Printing Files](#)
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 - Protecting Data
 - Taking Care of Your Computer
 - Post Assessment
 - Quick Reference
 - Glossary
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14 Free Ebooks on Windows XP, Networking, and PC Hardware

- [Microsoft Windows XP Visual Quickstart Guide.chm](#) 22M
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- [Absolute Beginner's Guide to Upgrading and Fixing your PC.chm](#) 2M
 - [Absolute Beginner's Guide to Wi-Fi Wireless Networking.chm](#) 10M
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6) Software, Office and Computer Sites and Downloads Worth Mentioning

2 Free Windows Registry Cleaners

[EasyCleaner](#)

EasyCleaner is a small program which searches the Windows registry for entries that are pointing nowhere. EasyCleaner also lets you delete all kinds of unnecessary files such as temps and backups. You can search for duplicate files and you can view some interesting info about your disk space usage! You are also able to manage startup programs, invalid shortcuts and add/remove software list.

[RegCleaner](#)

Easily get rid of those old and obsolete registry entries created by software that you have destroyed ages ago. Key Features: - Remove file types - Remove entries of old software - Uninstall and remove Software from the Add/Remove list - Remove unused DLL files - Remove unused Shared DLLs (Automatically detected) - Automatic backup feature.

[Wink](#)

Wink is a free tutorial and presentation creation software, primarily aimed at creating tutorials on how to use software (like a tutor for MS-Word/Excel etc). Using Wink you

can capture screenshots, add eXPlanations boxes, buttons, titles etc and generate a highly effective tutorial for your users.

2 Free Firewalls

[ZoneAlarm](#)

Prevents spyware and other malicious programs from sending your personal information across the Internet. Automatically makes your computer invisible to anyone on the Internet. Protects your programs from malware.

[Jetico Personal Firewall](#)

Protect your computer against hackers and malicious software when networked or connected to the internet. Choose and edit a pre-defined Security Policy or create your own. Monitor running applications that access the network. Monitor selected or all network packets as well as selected network events.

4 Free Digital Image Editors

[GIMP - The GNU Image Manipulation Program](#)

The GIMP is suitable for a variety of image manipulation tasks, including photo retouching, image composition, and image construction. It can be used as a simple paint program, an expert quality photo retouching program, an online batch processing system, a mass production image renderer, an image format converter, etc.

[GIMPShop](#)

GIMPShop is a free Open Source image editor that is similar to the popular Adobe Photoshop. Specifically GIMPShop is a version of the GIMP that has been edited to be more user-friendly for Photoshop users.

[Paint.NET](#)

Paint.NET is image and photo manipulation software that supports layers, unlimited

undo, special effects, and a wide variety of useful and powerful tools. It has grown into a powerful yet simple tool for photo and image editing.

[PhotoPlus 6 - Image and Photo Editing Software](#)

PhotoPlus 6 is incredible image editing software that enables you to create, manipulate and enhance photographs, bitmap graphics and web animations.

7) Question of the Month about Software Training:

Each month Scott Turton will answer a current or important question that we have received about computer and software training.

August 2006 Question of the Month:

I have some files on my computer which are not associated with any program and I don't know which program they belong to. Can you help me research and find out which programs are associated with specific file formats?

Answer:

A [filename extension](#) is an extra set of alphanumeric characters that is appended to the end of a [filename](#) to allow computer users, and software on the computer system, to quickly determine the type of data stored in the file. It is one of several popular methods for distinguishing between [file formats](#). The following are three excellent web resources that will help you find out which program is associated with a given file extension.

[FILExt](#) is a database of file extensions and the various programs that use them. Simply enter the file extension you want to learn about into their search box on the left and click on the Search button. Many of the file extensions are linked to the programs that created the files. FILExt now has a Google Desktop Gadget that allows you to search their database, and you can also use the "Tell Us About an Extension" link on the menu bar and submit details about a file extension that they don't have.

[Whatis.techtarget's File Extension](#) list contains a list of file extension names or suffixes that indicate the format or usage of a file and a brief description of that file extension.

[File Extension Archives](#) is a free and open public service, offering more than 190,000 descriptive file extensions. Its mission is to offer Internet users the opportunity to research and learn more about specific file extensions. It is one of the best and most comprehensive resources for file extensions on the web.

I hope this helps you.

Scott Turton

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