

Make Better Holiday Movies – Course Profile

AIMS OF THE COURSE

- ▶ To provide students with the skills necessary to shoot an entertaining holiday movie.

PRE-REQUISITES

- ▶ The course is designed for the new user who has perhaps just purchased his/her first camcorder especially for use on an important holiday.
- ▶ Students are expected to bring their own camcorders with spare tape and charged batteries.

TEACHING STYLE

- ▶ Students are guided through a series of lessons and practical exercises. Each lesson is targeted on specific learning points fully supported by comprehensive notes.
- ▶ Delivery of the course (**London or On-site**) can be on a small group basis or delivered on a one-to-one basis to meet your own specific needs.

SUPPORT AFTER THE COURSE

- ▶ We hope that our comprehensive course manual will provide you with first class support after the course.
- ▶ However, should you have a problem with any of the course content, you have personal tutor support for up to three months following the course.
- ▶ We pride ourselves on our friendly and efficient support and, indeed, we rely upon that to encourage students to return for further training.

TOPICS COVERED

- ▶ Checking Equipment
- ▶ Planning Ahead
- ▶ Golden Rules for Filming
- ▶ Common Mistakes and How to Avoid Them
- ▶ Useful Tips
- ▶ Pan Technique
- ▶ Zoom Technique – when and when not to zoom
- ▶ Recording Sound
- ▶ Light and Colour