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PHOTOS MADE EASY



OBJECTIVES:

1. *BECOME COMFORTABLE IN THE CAMERA APP*
2. *NAVIGATING THE PHOTOS APP*
3. *FUN PHOTOS TIPS AND EXPLORING FEATURES*

CLASS STRUCTURE

INTRO AND OBJECTIVES.....10 MIN

DEMO ONE.....30 MIN

DEMO TWO.....30 MIN

DEMO THREE.....30 MIN

REVIEW AND QUESTIONS.....10 MIN

TOTAL.....1 HOUR 50 MIN

DEMO ONE

Demo 1: *BECOMING MORE COMFORTABLE IN THE CAMERA APP*

Step-by-Step Instructions:

1. At the bottom of the screen, **swipe back and forth** on the “Video / Photo” button to change the function of the camera; also **swipe** on main screen, it’s so much easier!
2. **Tap** on the Photo button at the bottom of the screen to pull up the Flash, Live, Timer and other tools; you can also access them by **tapping** on the six dots icon top right of the screen.
3. **Tap and Hold** on the zoom numbers (.5,1x,2,4,8) and then **slide** your finger on the glass to use the Zoom wheel.
4. The little Moon icon at top right is for adjusting the length of time the camera shutter stays open when taking photos at night
5. The JPEG 24 icon at top left, when you **Tap** on it, allows you to change the file type and resolution of the photos you’re taking
6. Go to Settings/Camera and turn on “**Grid**” and “**Level**” to overlay the yellow lines on the screen, very handy when taking photos!
7. If you have AirPods Pro 2 or AirPods 4: put them on, open the Camera App, **Press and hold** the AirPods stem:
Quick press + hold → take photo. Keep holding → start recording video. Press and hold again → stop video.
8. If you have an Apple Watch: Open the Camera Remote App on your Apple Watch and use it to snap a photo of you and your friend when no one else is around to take your photo!

My Notes:

DEMO TWO

Demo 2: NAVIGATING THE PHOTOS APP

Step-by-Step Instructions: Open the Photos app

1. Open the Photos App on your iPhone
2. Note that at the bottom of the app there are only three buttons: ***Library, Collections and Search*** (the Magnifying Glass).
3. **Tap** on ***Library***, and as you begin to scroll upwards, notice that you will now have ***Years, Months and All*** as options.
4. **Tap** on ***Years***, and scroll back to the year 2021. Now notice that you can then scroll through the year by ***Month***. **Scroll** through the months and select one-notice how easily you can navigate!
5. **Tap** on the ***Library*** button, and then click on ***Collections***. Note that the little triangle to the right of headings like “Albums,” “Media Types,” “Pinned,” or “Wallpapers” allows you to show or hide the contents within each of these sections. So handy for navigating things easily!
6. **Scroll** to the very bottom of ***Collections***. There you will see ***“Reorder.”*** If you **Tap** on ***“Reorder,”*** you can then use the three grey lines (the “Cheeseburger”) to drag the sections into the order that you like. Make sure to hit the checkmark to save!
7. In the bottom right corner of the Photos App, **Tap** on the Magnifying Glass icon and Search for ***“Dogs,” or “California,” or “Mountains.”*** Play with the options to explore the possibilities!

My Notes:

DEMO THREE

Demo 3: FUN PHOTOS TIPS AND EXPLORING FEATURES

Step-by-Step Instructions:

1. Helpful tip: On your iPhone, go to Settings / Camera / Indicators, and if you flip the switch to “On” for **Flash** and **Live Photo**, you will now have icons for those permanently in the Camera App, top right.
2. **Tap and Hold** on any photo in your library and select **“Hide”** from the menu. Hide embarrassing photos from prying eyes!
3. Open the Photos App on your iPhone, and then select **Collections** from the bottom. **Tap** on the “Utilities” section and marvel at all of the choices there-**Receipts, Handwriting, Illustrations, etc** - it’s incredible what’s there! This is also where *Hidden Photos* go, and they are protected from prying eyes with your FaceID!
4. Quick Success Tip: **Tap** on your subject, then **slide up or down** to the right of the yellow box to change focus and exposure. *A must!*
5. Create a Spatial Photo: **Tap** on a photo in your Library, and if you see the TINY little Hexagonal icon near the top right corner, it will make a spatial photo version of that photo. Great for landscapes!
6. Always use the Volume up or down buttons to snap a picture, easy!
7. **Tap and Hold** on the subject until you see **“AE / AF Lock,”** this will lock the focus and the exposure if you move your iPhone. *Handy!*
8. Make your subject look a little slimmer: take two or three steps back from your subject, then zoom in and take your picture. *Viola!*
9. Checklist for Success: Keep the lens clean; **Tap** the subject, then adjust brightness; Step back and Zoom; Align with the Grid (once you’ve enabled it by going to Settings/Camera/Grid) and viola!

My Notes:

OTHER HELPFUL RESOURCES:

In macOS Tahoe, the Tips App has everything you need, literally manuals for all devices, apps and software. The most incredible resource there is!

The App icon looks like this:



Don't forget that there is a website dedicated just to this class, with downloadable versions of these files. I will also post tutorial videos of the class based on your feedback!

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