

# Jay Sprout

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## Student Comments on My Teaching Style

- Jay was able to keep even the class interesting no matter what your experience level might be.
- Jay is a very good instructor and he is very knowledgeable about the subjects that he teaches. I have had him several times and he is one of the best.
- Knowledgeable and entertaining; Better than last instructor I had.
- Jay was friendly and retained my interest.
- Jay is one of the best instructors that I have had here at New Horizons.
- Jay is great. I would take every one of his classes. Very conscientious of the level of each students abilities.
- Jay is always a joy to have as an instructor.
- Very personable and responsive.
- Great presentation skills. Thanks for adapting to our needs.
- Did and EXCELLENT job! Keep up the good work! Thank you!
- Jay was extremely concerned that everyone grasped the material & his sense of humor made it enjoyable.
- Jay was great ... kept it interesting.
- Very knowledgeable instructor - gave good real examples of stuff we were learning. Answered questions very well. Tied up subjects nicely and moved onto other topics with ease.
- Environment very conducive to learning.
- Jay is great. Best class so far and this is my fourth class with him.
- Jay was professional, knowledgeable, and patient. I learned even more than I could have hoped!
- I have Jay for at least four of my classes and I enjoy his method of teaching and I am very pleased with his patience because I always need his assistance.
- Jay was extremely knowledgeable and he was very patient with those in the class that were a bit slow or made mistakes. At the same time, those who were faster were also given extra challenges.
- Jay is a lively instructor.
- Great instructor - would like to have again in another class. Very knowledgeable and examples were pertinent.
- Course was interesting and informative. I learned some new things and found the instructor pleasant and knowledgeable.
- Great Instructor
- I was very impressed with the instructor and course-- this was my first new horizons course and I am excited about returning for additional classes. Jay had very good examples. From his descriptions and hints, it is obvious that he uses this program on a regular basis. Jay was more than happy to fill in the blanks on a couple of questions I had. Thank you for a great learning experience.
- I really enjoyed the class and would love to take other courses instructed by you.

- Best instructor I have had with New Horizons. Thorough knowledge of subject material. Willing and excited to answer more advanced questions. Would highly recommend this instructor.
- Jay is a lively instructor and very much enjoys his subject. He is also well versed in PDF matters.
- I learned a lot more this time than I did the first time I took this class [with another instructor].
- He is very patient and has a great way of teaching.
- Jay was a very good teacher - very knowledgeable and very patient!
- very enthusiastic, knowledgeable
- very knowledgeable ... I really appreciated this style as it helped to retain better.
- Jay is a great teacher. He is very knowledgeable about the subject and taught in a way that was friendly, enthusiastic and interesting. I wish the class were longer.
- Jay was very patient and encouraging, an excellent instructor.
- I liked him. Good use of white board. Good enthusiasm & energy level.
- Jay is an excellent presenter and instructor. He makes sure everyone understands regardless of their experience. His teaching style encourages learning.
- By far this has been one of the best learning experiences in my career.
- Originally I felt intimidated because of very limited experience with PhotoShop but, I soon realized the environment and teaching style was at everyone's level.
- Very knowledgeable and helpful - organized - always in control.
- Funny, very helpful, good examples, helpful to slower students.
- Best So Far!
- As in the previous classes Jay did a nice job. Learned what the students needed to know and formatted the teaching around those needs.
- Very knowledgeable and had a great lecturing voice, very articulate. He was very helpful.
- well spoken, clear and coherent --- enthusiastic as well
- Class was even better than anticipated. I learned a lot, and the instructor was great.
- Jay was a great instructor. He added humor and encouraged group participation.
- He is knowledgeable, and was able to answer questions completely and accurately.
- Very thorough, knowledgeable, patient. Treated each person's question seriously.
- He was excellent at helping me out in each jam and explaining how I got there, and how I get out.
- I appreciated that he wanted to be sure that we had a clear understanding of what he taught us. Also, Jay was very patient and always immediately available to answer questions.
- The class was the best I've taken at New Horizons.
- I think Jay is a very informative instructor and I will try to get in his courses in the future.
- He's a great teacher -- full of energy and humor!
- patience of a saint, good sense of humor, good presentation and personal skills,
- excellent understand of course material.

- Superior New Horizons Instructor - showed integrated knowledge.
- He was one of the better instructors I've had - pace was good, he was great.
- Jay did an excellent job, as always. He's very easy to understand and makes everything very applicable in day-to-day functioning of the software.
- Jay was excellent - one of the best instructors I've had.
- Jay is an excellent presenter and instructor. He makes sure everyone understands regardless of their experience. His teaching style encourages learning.
- Great Instructor - kept the class interested.
- Jay did a great job of explaining. I thought the thorough explanation of concept was very important because it helped me understand what the specific tools did.
- Jay was very thorough and covered everything Adobe PhotoShop can do. Overall, I think Jay's an excellent teacher and knows the materials very well.
- He's actually an excellent teacher – probably the best I have had at New Horizons.
- "J" is the best teacher I have had in a long time. I hope to have him for another class in the future.
- I would highly recommend Jay to all students. Very good explanations and keeps the energy level going. Great job!
- One of the best classes I've taken in years
- Great sense of humor. Very pleasant class.
- Very thorough and passionate.
- very fun, friendly, helpful.

I've been told I write just like I speak – that you can practically hear my voice as you read. Even David Pogue said he could tell from my writing that I “really know how to teach.”