
New in Photoshop as of about September 2026

Basic adjustments

In Photoshop Lesson 1 we opened the Lightroom Filter to accomplish basic adjustments (remember the baboon image). Now, within Photoshop proper, new filters include Light, Color and Vibrance, and Clarity and Dehaze — so no need to go into Lightroom (unless you are processing a RAW file).

See Photoshop Lesson 1, section 3. Basic adjustments.

New (novel) AI Assisted workspace

Now many manipulations can be done directly using AI.

See Photoshop Lesson 2, section 1 bis. Same or similar manipulation but with AI.

See Photoshop Lesson 2, section 2 bis. Another example of selecting, but with AI.

See Photoshop Lesson 2, section 3 bis. Selection by rubbing out using AI instead.

See Photoshop Lesson 2, section 4 bis. Straightening an image using AI.

Lots of miscellaneous stuff

See Photoshop Lesson 3, section 8, Photoshop 2026 — major AI enhancements.