



### Directions to our Oxford Venue

*The course takes place within a beautiful 250 acre ancient woodland nestling on the banks of the river Thames, just 6 miles south west of Oxford. The nearest village is Appleton.*

***We would ask you to arrive at the woodland 15 minutes prior to the course start time to enable us to make a prompt start.***

*Please note access to the wood is via a gate which will be unlocked 15 minutes prior to the start of your course. Please do not wander into the woods as there may be shooting taking place.*

*For those navigating with Sat Nav the woodland does not have a post code, however the nearest building which is opposite the woodland entrance has a post code of OX13 5QN.*

***We would respectfully request that you allow plenty of time for your journey to allow for traffic congestion on the Motorways and around the city of Oxford. Due to the rural location and the safety considerations of the course late arrivals may mean that we cannot wait for you at the meeting point and you may not be able to take part in the course. If you are delayed at all please contact us at the earliest possible moment on 07843064114 to allow us to try and plan logistically getting an instructor back to the meeting point, however please note this may not be possible and in these situations late arrivals will be considered a cancelation on behalf of the client.***

### Directions

#### **Public Transport**

The nearest train station is at Oxford, approximately a 10-15 minute taxi drive to the woodlands, you can expect to pay between £15-£20 for a taxi. If you ask the driver to take you to Hills Nurseries on Netherton Road, Appleton, our woodland is just opposite.

#### **By Private Transport**

Course participants travel from all areas of the UK to attend our courses and it is impractical to post directions from every area. If you aim to get your vehicle on to the A420 running between Oxford and Swindon and then follow the directions as outlined

below. The A420 can be accessed by the following major routes and is well signposted:

**North-** via the M40, leaving at junction 9, follow the A34 until you reach the A420.

**East-** via the M40, leaving at junction 9 (from North East) or (8 from South East), Follow signs for the A34 or ring road until you reach the A420. (Choose this route from **London** also)

**South-** via M4, leaving at junction 15 onto the A419 and then onto the A420. (If heading from **London** then you may wish to choose the route outlined from the East, as this is quicker)

**West-** via M4, leaving at junction 15 onto the A419 and then onto the A420.

*Please consult a map before undertaking your journey.*

### **Heading South West on the A420 from Oxford towards Swindon.**

1. Upon leaving Oxford you travel along the dual carriageway, passing through Cumnor.
2. Upon exiting Cumnor the road turns into a single carriageway. 1 Mile down the road Besselsleigh is signposted on the right where you will also see the Grey Hound pub.
3. Continue past the Grey Hound Pub until you reach a roundabout, cross straight over this roundabout.
4. Approximately 400 metres past the roundabout there is a turning on the right signposted Appleton, take this turning.
5. Drive until you reach a T Junction (Just over 1 km) and take a left.
6. Drive out of the village, continue for c. 2 minutes until you see Hills Nurseries on the left hand side, the entrance to the wood is about 100 metres further along the road on the right via the gate.
7. **Please pull into the gate and park on the grass either to the left or the right, an instructor will be there 15 minutes prior to the course commencing.**

### **Heading North East on the A420 from Swindon towards Oxford.**

1. Upon leaving Swindon continue on the A420, passing Kingston Bagpuize after c.18 miles.
2. Following Kingston Bagpuize the road turns into a single carriageway and you pass a left turn for Fyfield, continue on the A420
3. The road then turns back to a dual carriageway, and there is a left turning signposted Appleton, take this left turning.
4. Drive until you reach a T Junction (Just over 1000 m) and take a left.
5. Drive out of the village, continue for c. 2 minutes until you see Hills Nurseries on the left hand side, the entrance to the wood is about 100 metres further along the road on the right via the gate.
6. **Please pull into the gate and park on the grass either to the left or the right, an instructor will be there 15 minutes prior to the course commencing.**