

# Letter Portrait of your Name Project

Your TASK: Create a Letter Portrait of your name in Adobe Photoshop.



## Project Objective -

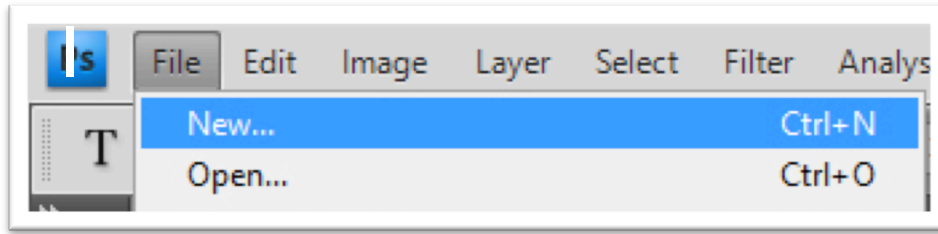
Show me what you know about [Photoshop Selection Tools/Skills](#) (a youtube video) & [Refine Edge Tools](#) (an informational guide) to create an original cut and paste Letter Portrait of your first name.

## Letter Portrait Examples:

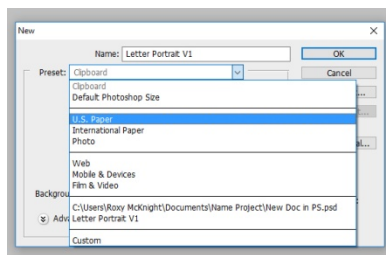


## How to get started on your Project Checklist:

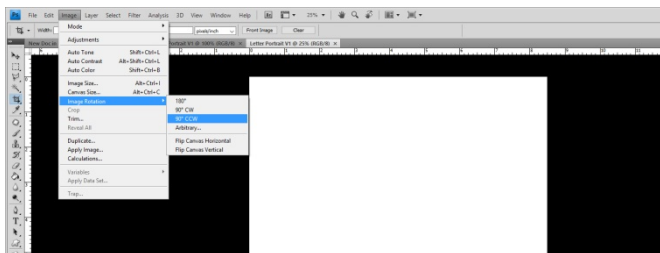
- ☐ 1. Create a new Photoshop Document (correct size stated below) \_\_\_\_\_



- \_\_\_\_\_ ○ PRESET should be set to **US PAPER (8.5 X 11 inches @ 300 res)**

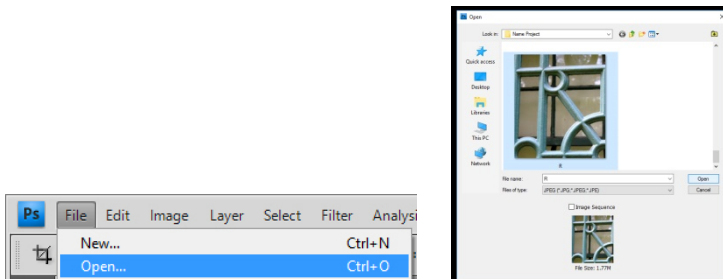


- \_\_\_\_\_ ○ ROTATE this New Document 90' CCW so that it is now a **Horizontal Document**

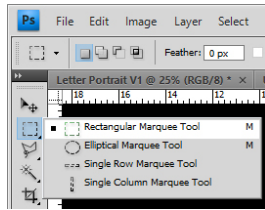


- ☐ 2. Steps on how to **OPEN and USE the photos you took** to spell out your name on this **New Document** in Adobe Photoshop:

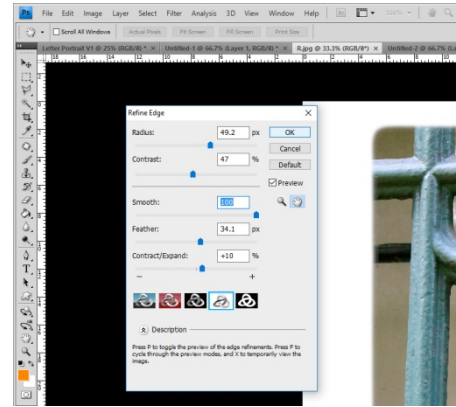
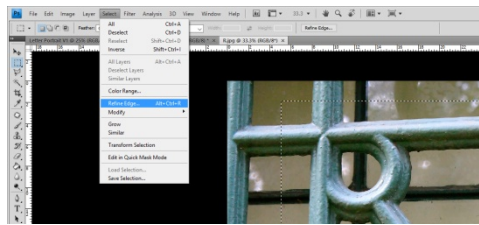
- \_\_\_\_\_ ○ In Photoshop, open all the photos from your "Name Project" folder on the **Network Server**.



- Make a **selection** of the letter. (Use any selection tool you want, yet make your selections unified)

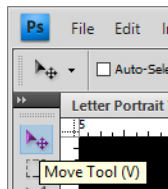


- Refine Edge the letter.

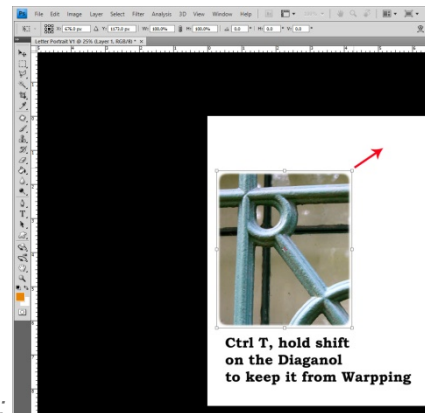


- Copy** (Ctrl C) and **Paste** (Ctrl V) the letter onto the NEW Photoshop document you just created.
- Move** and **Transform** (Ctrl T) the letters to spell out your name onto the 11 X 8.5 US PAPER Photoshop Document.

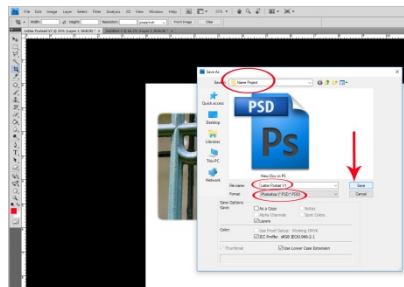
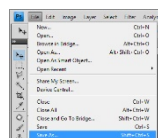
to move an image:



to transform:



- Save As** "Letter Portrait V1" and then **save** (Ctrl S) your work often while you work so you avoid losing your work.



**Questions to Consider at this stage before thinking “I am finished with this project”**

- \_\_\_\_\_ • Have you thought about adding a background layer? Possibly an image or a color?
- \_\_\_\_\_ • Are your copied & pasted edges *refined*? Do the edges enhance your project?

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3. DONE?

Final steps to take when you are satisfied with your refined project:

- \_\_\_\_\_ ○ **FILE > Save As** "Name Project Final" (**PSD format and JPEG**) to your "Name Project" folder project on your **Google Drive File Stream**
- \_\_\_\_\_ ○ Show me your finished project (**psd & jpeg formats**) in your "Name Project" folder in your **Google Drive File Stream**
- \_\_\_\_\_ ○ **Print, Sign it, Trim, and Hang** it in the Hallway as directed

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4. Finally, as with every project in this class and core classes at AHS, **upload** your final project (**JPEG format**) to your “Digital Art Foundations” page on your AHS Digital Portfolio

- \_\_\_\_\_ ○ *\*as soon as we create the DP’s we will complete step 4, the digital portfolio project update requirement.*