

Alphabet Photography

Step 1:

Got to File > New

Step 2:

Change pixels to inches.

For 5 letter words:

Width: 11.5

Height: 4

Resolution: 150

For 6 letter words:

Width: 13.5

Height: 4

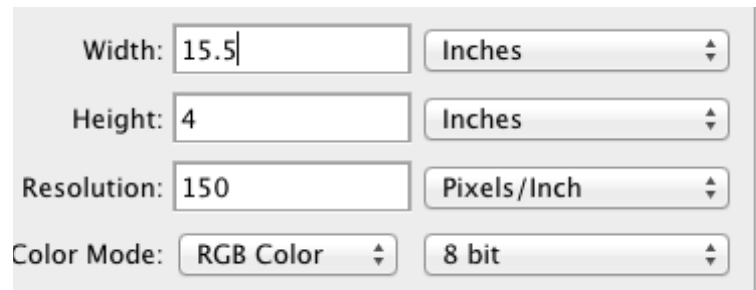
Resolution: 150

For 7 letter words:

Width: 15.5

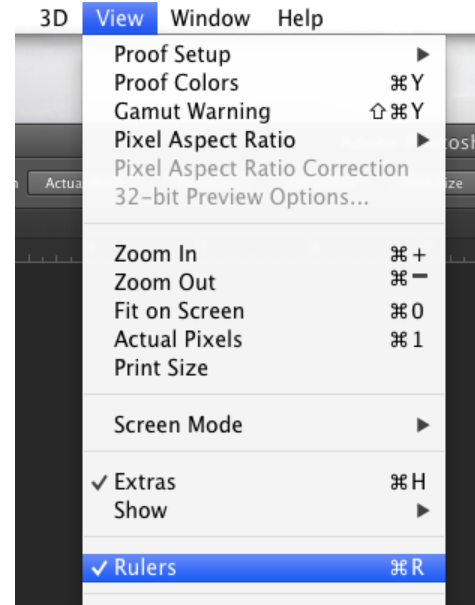
Height: 4

Resolution: 150



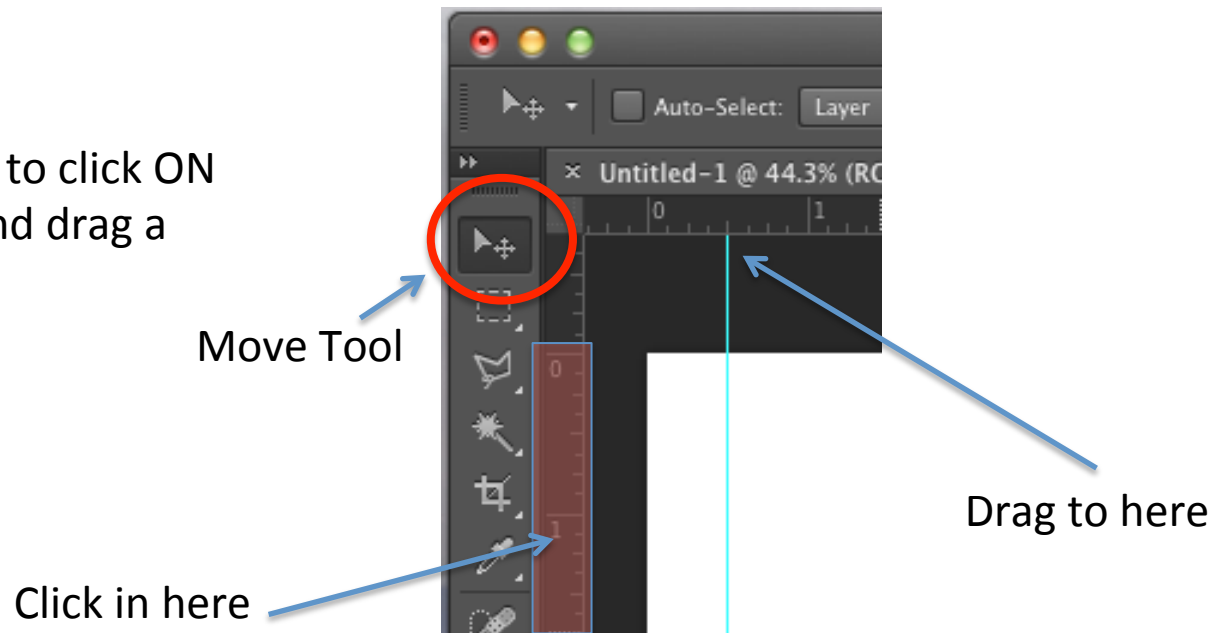
Step 3:

Go to View > Rulers if you do not see rulers in your document.



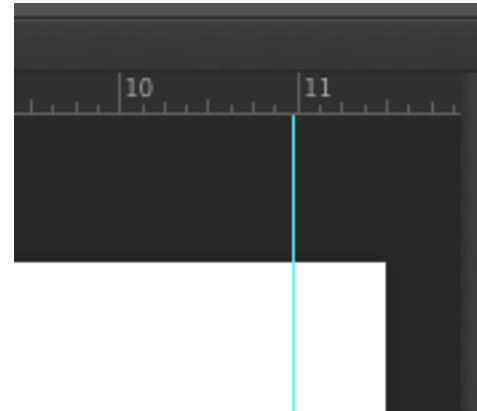
Step 4:

Use the Move Tool to click ON the vertical ruler and drag a guide to .5 inches.



Step 5:

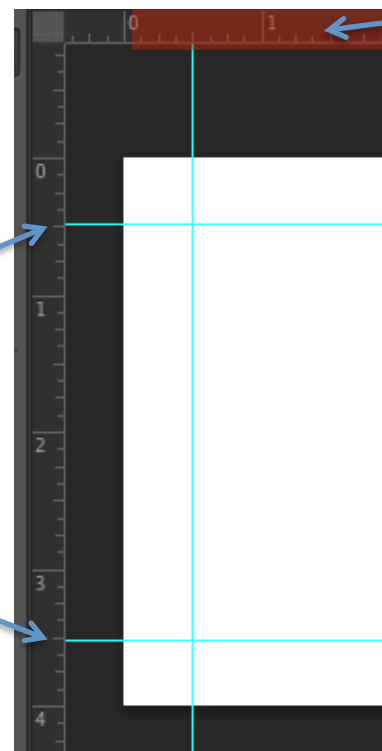
Click and drag from the ruler to make another guide line at 11 inches (or 13 inches, or 15 inches).



Step 6:

Click and drag from the horizontal ruler to make guide lines at the .5 inch and 3.5 inch marks.

Drag to .5
inch and 3.5
inch marks.

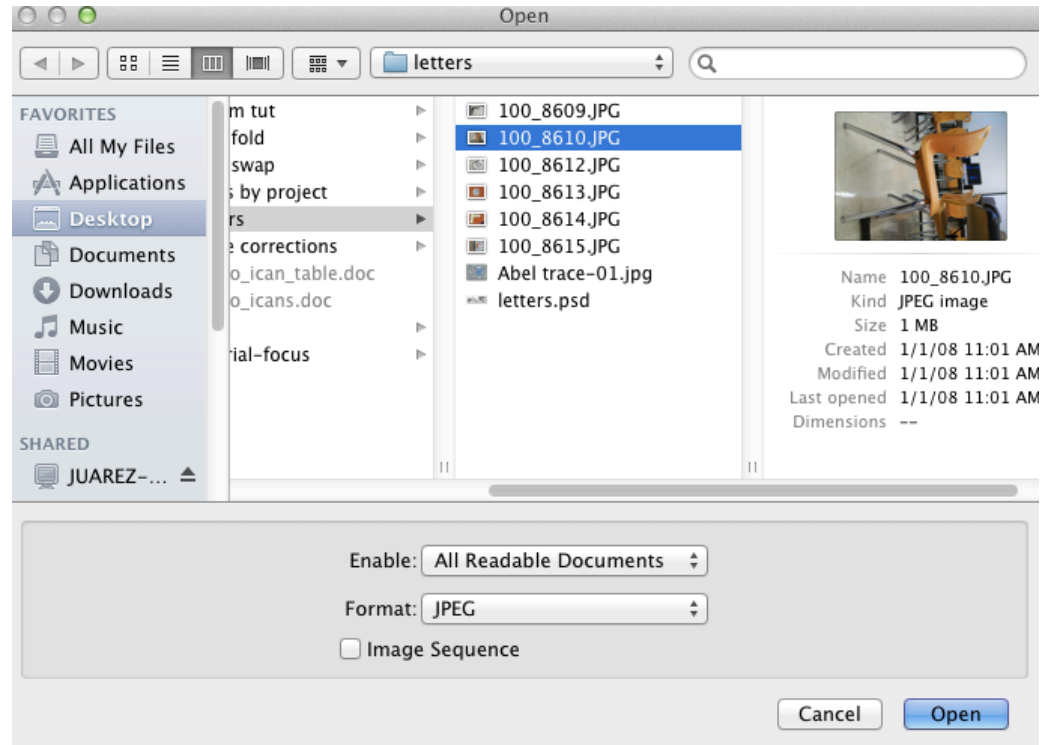


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Step 7:

Go to File > Open

Choose your first letter.

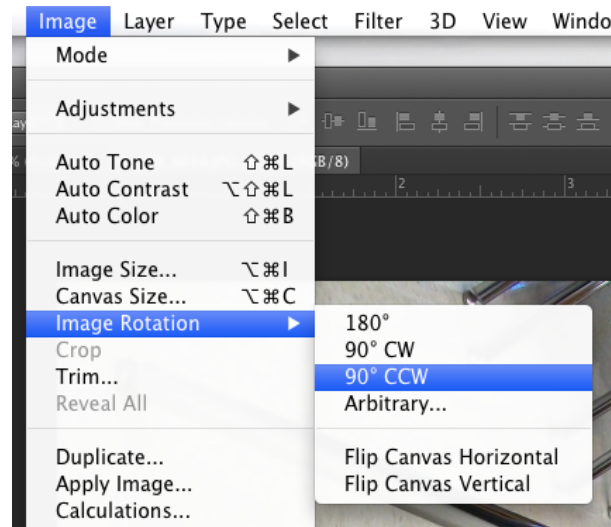


Step 8:

Go to Image >

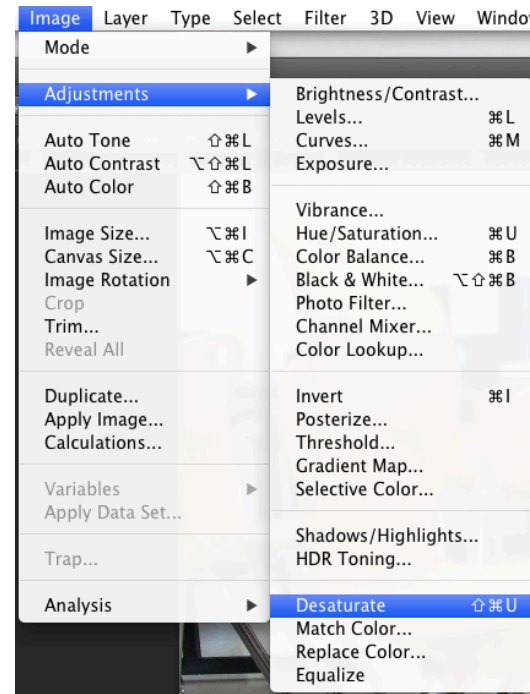
Image Rotation >

and choose 90 CW or
90 CCW, depending on
which way you need to
rotate your image.



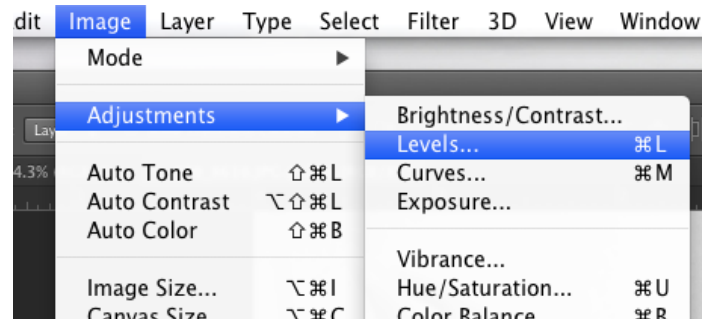
Step 9:

Go to Image > Adjustments > Desaturate



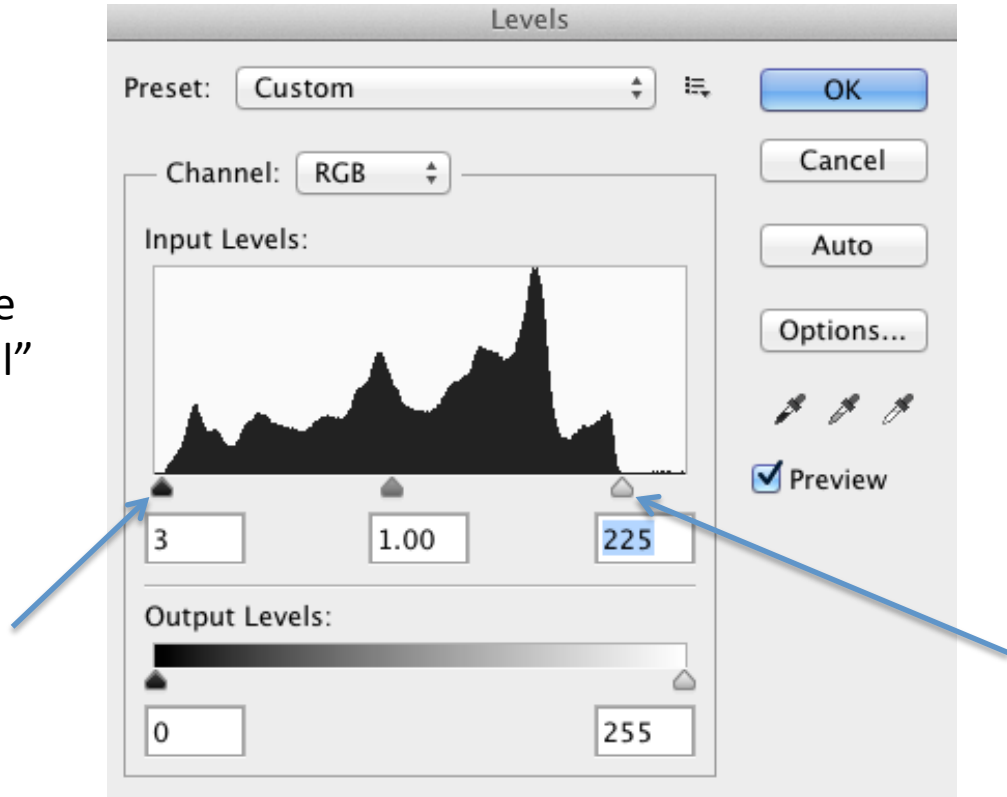
Step 10:

Go to Image > Adjustments > Levels



Step 11:

Move the black arrow slider to the beginning of the black value “hill”, and the white arrow to the beginning of the white value “hill”



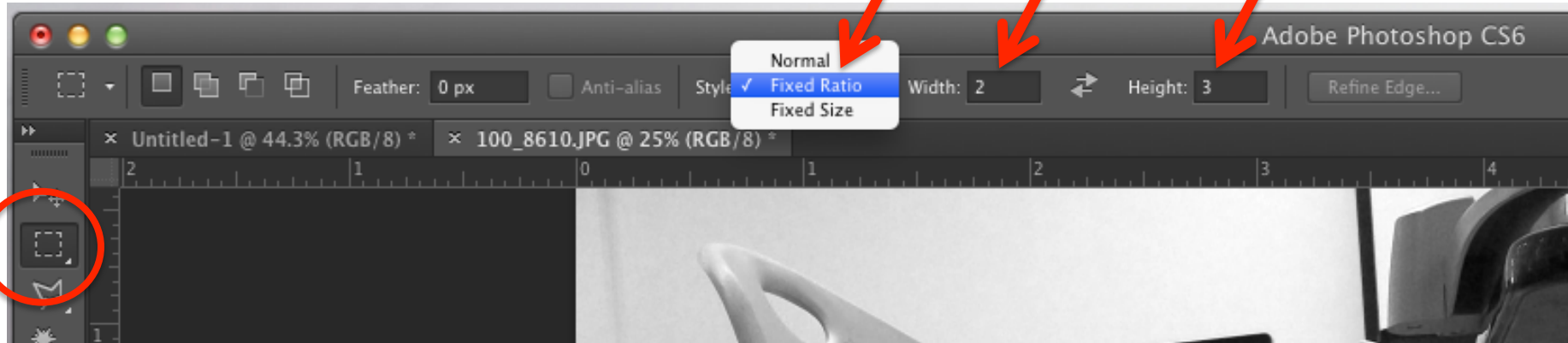
Step 12:

Choose the rectangular marquee.

Set the style to Fixed Ratio

Set the Width to 2

Set the Height to 3



Step 13:

Click and drag to select.

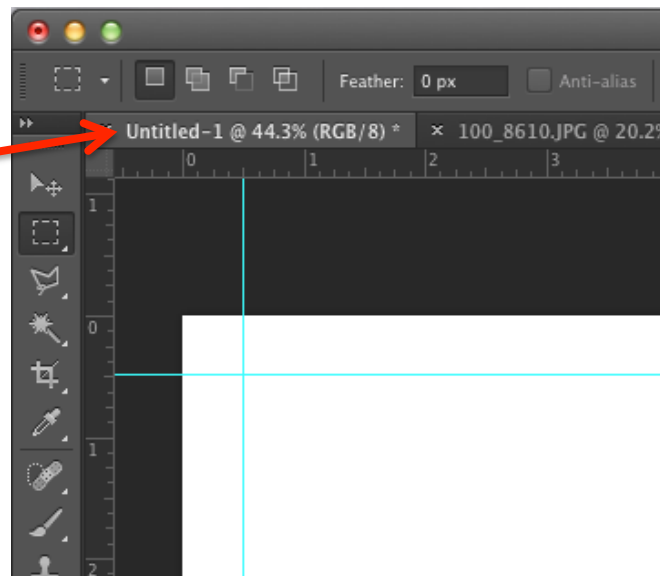


Step 14:

Go to Edit > Copy

Step 15:

Click in the tab that is the blank document we created.



Step 16:

Go to Edit > Paste

NOTE:

Your picture will be HUGE.
That is okay.

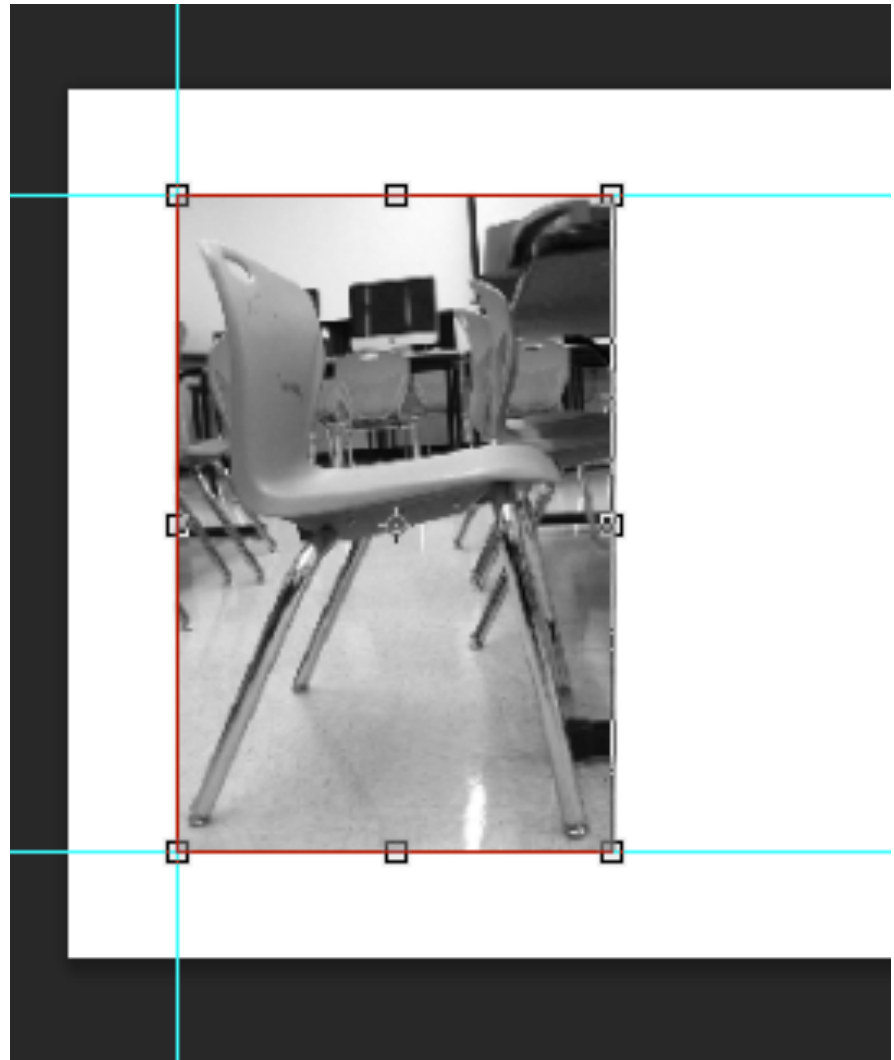
Step 17:

Go to Edit > Free Transform

Step 18:

HOLD THE SHIFT KEY and pull
from the CORNERS ONLY to
resize.

Line up the image with the
guides.



Step 19:

Press Return on the keyboard to set the transformation.

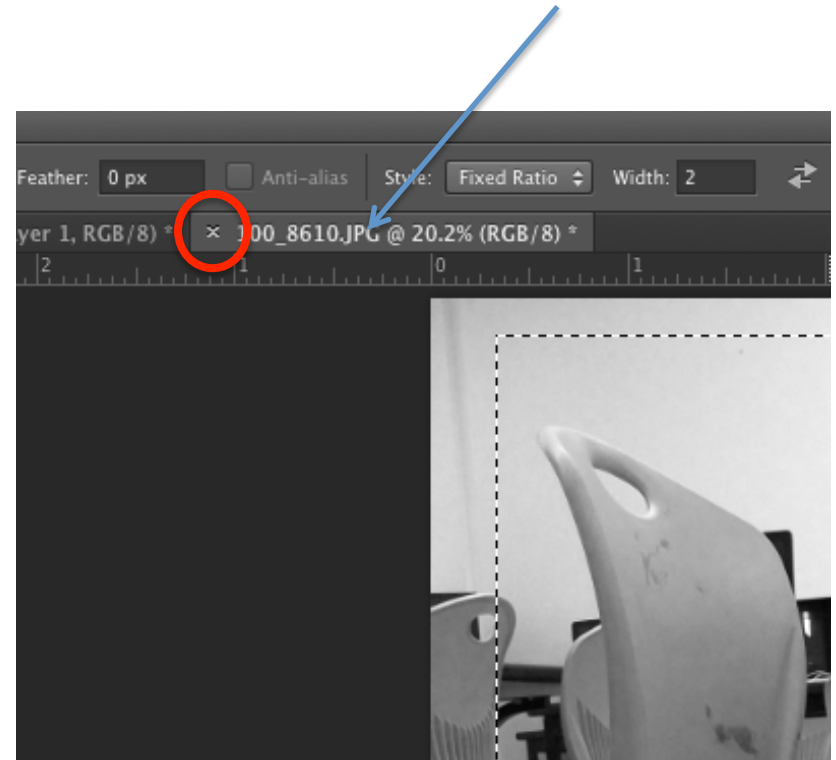
Step 20:

Click on the tab with your first letter picture.

Step 21:

Close the document
(click on the “X” or go to File > Close)

Choose Don't Save



Step 22:

Repeat Steps 7 through 21 to finish adding your photographic letters to the final Photoshop document.

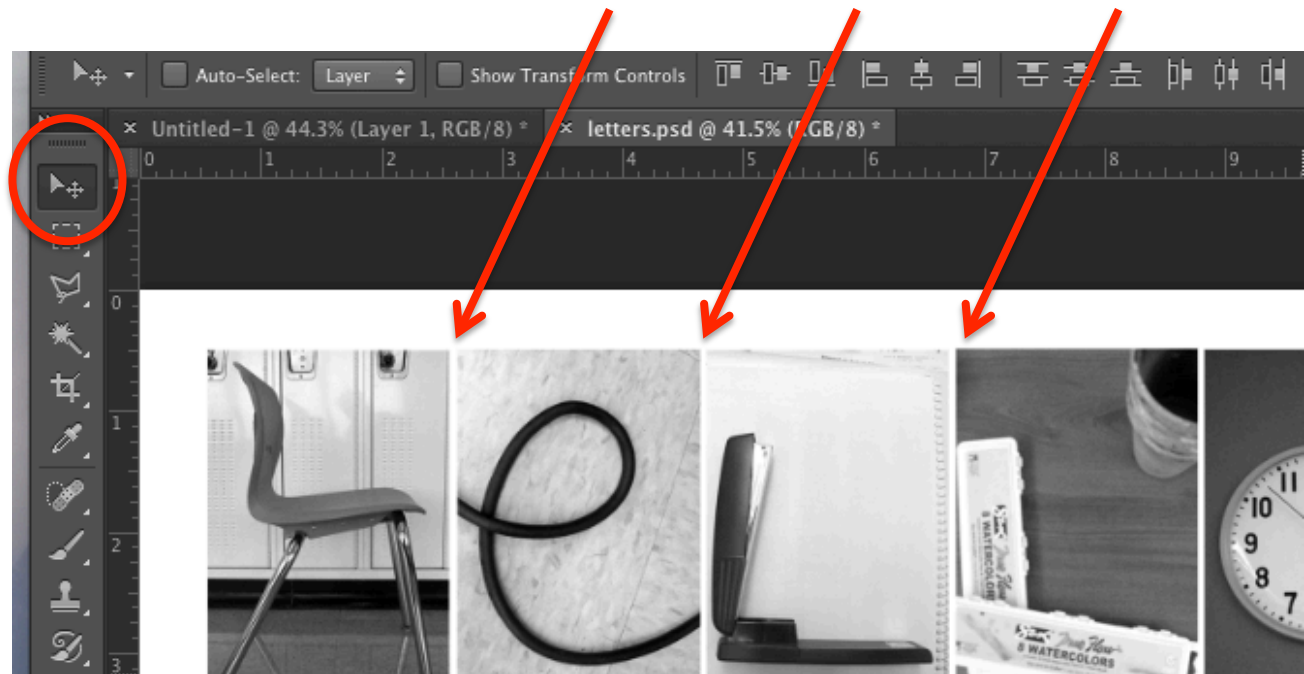
Make sure there is equal amounts of white space between the letters.

Maintain a .5 inch margin on the left, right, top and bottom sides.

Step 23:

Use the move tool to evenly space your letters.

REMEMBER:
You must have the right layer highlighted to move a letter



Step 24:

Save as a jpg and post to weebly.