**Photoshop Thankful Wallpaper Project**

You will design an “I’m Thankful for…” computer wallpaper in this project. Concepts used will include:

* Creative fonts and typography (use of one downloaded handwriting font)
* Text on a path or warped text
* At least three Photoshop brushes (as stamps; download/load a brush)
* Photoshop pattern fill (download/load a pattern)
* Blending modes/use of transparency

Watch the accompanying video first and then begin creating your design. It is located on the Z drive and online here

🡪 <http://screencast-o-matic.com/watch/cIXr2mV9RM>

Website for brushes/pattern downloads🡪 <http://fbrushes.com/> (unzip first; abr are brush files; pat are patterns)

**PAGE SETUP:** Set up your document in LANDSCAPE format as **1024x768 pixels, 150 resolution**. Be sure to create new layers for brush stamps so you can transform them. You are to use only text, patterns, shapes, and brushes—no images!

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| ***Requirements*** | ***Pts Possible*** | ***Deductions*** |
| Background includes pattern fill and is not too distracting from text | **5** |  |
| Custom brushes (ABR) files loaded to embellish/as artwork to enhance wallpaper (good quality and appropriate brushes used) –at least three required | 10 |  |
| Warped text or text on a path utilized; works into flow appropriately | 5 |  |
| Handwriting font downloaded and used on the pieceList font here🡪 | 5 |  |
| Appropriate selection of fonts to depict tone (variety of fonts used to communicate emotion and tone) | 5 |  |
| Suitable application of design techniques including use of opacity or blending modes as needed and addition of layer styles (shadows, glows, etc.) for readability or emotion | 5 |  |
| Overall professional appearance, readability of text on background, completeness; balance, neatness, sincerity; use of only text, patterns, shapes, and brushes (no images); add your initials as VERTICAL text in one of the lower corners | 10 |  |
| **TOTAL** | **45** |  |

PRINT in color and attach to this sheet!

\*\*Be sure to also **Save to Web** in your Portfolio folder and upload to your portfolio.

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