Photoshop Practicum

Objective: Students will demonstrate their understanding of Photoshop and Photoshop tools by assembling a complex composite image from supplied files within a specified timeframe.

Directions:

- 1. Copy the four images from the class website at *http://cgd.mistermarmolejo.com* to a folder on your computer.
- 2. Open the **Main-Image.jpg** in Photoshop. Apply adjustment layers to adjust the brightness, contrast and color levels. Use any of the techniques demonstrated in class to remove the white background from the Main Image.
- 3. Open **YellowRoses.jpg** in Photoshop. Scale the Yellow Roses image and arrange the layers so the cloudy blue sky shows behind the main image. You should not be able to see the actual yellow flowers.
- 4. Open the **Alex.jpg** picture in Photoshop. Using any of the selection methods we studied in class, remove the white background from the little boy, and move him to the Main Image window. Place him so he appears to be in the foreground of the image, and name his layer "Alex".
- 5. Open the **Pumpkins.jpg** file. Using any of the methods we studied in class, remove the dark wood background and flowers. Move the modified image to the Main Image window. Scale the pumpkins down so they are smaller than the one in Alex's hands. Use a Hue/Saturation Adjustment Layer to change the pumpkins to a green color.
- 6. Save your final result as a Photoshop .psd file and upload it to the Google Classroom assignment posting by end of day on Wednesday, November 1st.

NOTE: You will have to move the layers into different positions to get the final image to look correct.

