

Using Pixlr.com to Create Acrimboldo Inspired Food Faces



1. Sketch out an idea of what you want your food face to look like. Brain storm about using different foods (ANY kind of food is okay!) and make a list of these foods.
2. Use google.com to search for food images with WHITE backgrounds (this makes your life much easier!!). Save your images to your flash drive or your student drive.
3. Go to pixlr.com
4. Click on "open photo editor"
5. Click on "create a new image"
6. Keep the presets listed; click "ok"
7. Click on "File" then "Open new image"
8. Find your food images (start from actual face shape food and work forward for details like eyes) and click "ok"
9. Double click on the padlock next to the food image on the layers (it should disappear)
10. Click on the Magic Wand Tool and click on the white background (marching ants will appear)
11. Click on "ctrl x" and the white background should disappear and a the "clear" checkerboard will appear
12. Draw a box around your food with the Square Marquee Tool (marching ants will appear)
13. Click on the Move Tool and drag your food to the blank image you created in Step 6
14. Click on "Edit" and scroll to "Free Transform" a box will appear around your food
15. Drag the corners of the box until you like the shape
16. Use the Move Tool to place your food where you want it
17. Repeat steps 7-16 until you finish placing all of your food items
18. Click on "File" and scroll to "Save" and then click "Ok"
19. Find the file you want to save your image to and click "Save"