



Art Virtual Learning

High School Advanced Photography

Photo Challenge

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Lesson: Photo Challenge

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Objective/Learning Target:

To show an understanding of creative composition with 4-5 randomly selected subject matter, as well as picture taking and editing skills on Bazaar app.

Photo Challenge:

Day 1 Introduction/Inquiry

Bell Ringer: What comes to mind when you hear “photo challenge”



Here is a photo challenge from a professional photo magazine:

READERS' CHALLENGE Upload your images to photoshopcreative.co.uk

Challenge entries
The best entries and overall challenge winner

1 Corine Spring
Freaky Cut Out
This image was created with four pictures blended, with the girl being used as the main focus of the piece. The composition was inspired by Maggy Studio's work.

2 Andre van Graan
The Model
I blended the model onto a new background. I used a couple of adjustment layers, retouched her one eye that was a bit smudgy in the original and finished it with a bokeh effect.

3 Pamela Woerst
The Clear Picture
Filters were vital in creating this composition. Blurs were used to give focus to the bubble, and Liquify was used to distort the shape of the marble.

4 Trevor Budd
Fragile World
The concept was a fragile world and the responsibility we all have to look after our home planet. Only the four images were used – except for the addition of elephant feet!

We challenged you with these
In Issue 151, we challenged you to get creative with these four images. You were allowed to use any or all of the pictures, and whatever other resources you chose. Here's what you created.

THE PRIZE... WORTH £99!
Macphun Aurora HDR 2017
This issue, the winner of the Readers' Challenge will receive the amazing Aurora HDR 2017 software from Macphun. With sliders, presets and powerful editing capabilities, Aurora HDR is a fantastic program for transforming boring shots into cinematic, vibrant images in a matter of minutes, and is a superb companion to Photoshop.

RUNNERS'-UP PRIZE... WORTH £52.99!
Macphun Tonality
Three lucky runners-up will receive a copy of Macphun Tonality this issue! The Tonality software will help you create stunning monochrome shots with ease, using Macphun's trademark sliders and features. It's perfect for adding drama and mood to your images.

This issue's challenge
Think you can do better? Prove it!

Get creative with the supplied images and you could win a prize! Use as many of the images as you like (from previous issues too) and include your own photos if you wish. Head to www.photoshopcreative.co.uk and simply hit the Challenge link. Closing date: 20 July 2017.

Task #1: Read the above article and view what has been accomplished.

Task #2: Ask yourself, what constitutes a random image? Do you think you could combine several random images to make an interesting composition like the above? Think you can do it without Photoshop?

Task #3: Go to your cellphone app store and search and download the free app Bazaar Photo Editing (if your parents say ok) Ultimate Photo Mixer would be ok too, but this lesson will be used with Bazaar. You will use this app to make your composition.

