Photoshop Fun #IC-2
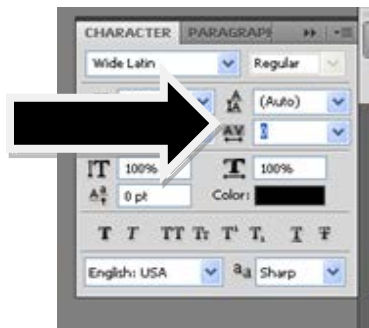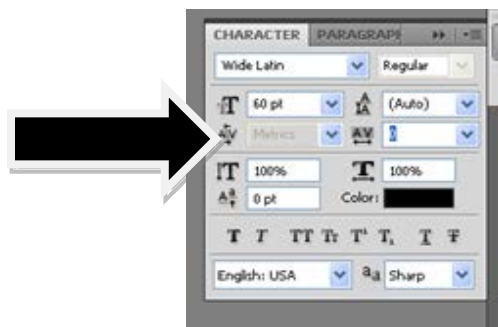

(1) Open **Forest.tif**. Select *Image/Adjustments* and choose one of your choice (play around with the different options available to improve the color balance)
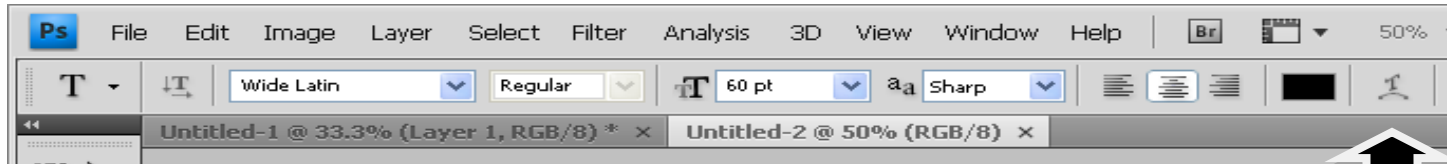> *Shortcut: CTRL+Shift+L!*

(2) Set the default foreground and background colors to black and white respectively, then select the Type tool and click anywhere on the image. Set the font to Wide Latin with a size of 60. Type the word "IDAHO." Highlight the word and set the Tracking to 40. Select *Window* on the Menu bar then *Character.* The Character palette will appear where you can select the tracking.

(3) Select *Edit* on the Menu bar *Transform/Scale* and approximately double the height of the text. Double click inside the frame when you are finished scaling.

(4) Center the text horizontally. Vertically, place the middle of the text at the water line.

(5) Select the text tool and place the cursor between the letters "I" and "D" in IDAHO. Kern the letters of the text closer together by using the Kern feature in the Character Palette.

(6) In the Text Palette on the *Options bar Warp* the text to *Fish* Style. Adjust the settings to your liking.

(7) Make sure to rasterize this layer by selecting on the Menu bar *Layer/Rasterize.* Rasterize makes it into a graphic. With "IDAHO" layer still active, select on the Menu bar *Image/Adjustments/Hue/Saturation.* Click in and check the Colorize Box and experiment the settings until you find something you like. A Hue of 144, a Saturation of 79, and a Lightness of 72 yield a nice teal green, for instance.

(8) To add a quick 3D look to the text, add a Bevel & Emboss to the text. Select on the Menu bar *Layer/Layer Style/ Bevel and Emboss.*

(9) For the rasterized text layer, change the Opacity setting to 55 in the Layers palette. Also, change the Layer Mode option to Screen.

(10) Experiment with different layer options in the Layers palette, such as Color, Screen, Overlay, Hard Light, etc. and different opacity settings.

(11) Choose on the Menu bar *File/Save As* IC2_First_Last.psd.

(12) Make sure to have your instructor check your assignment off your screen.