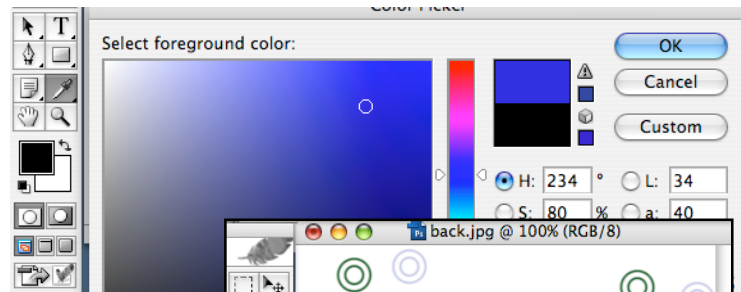
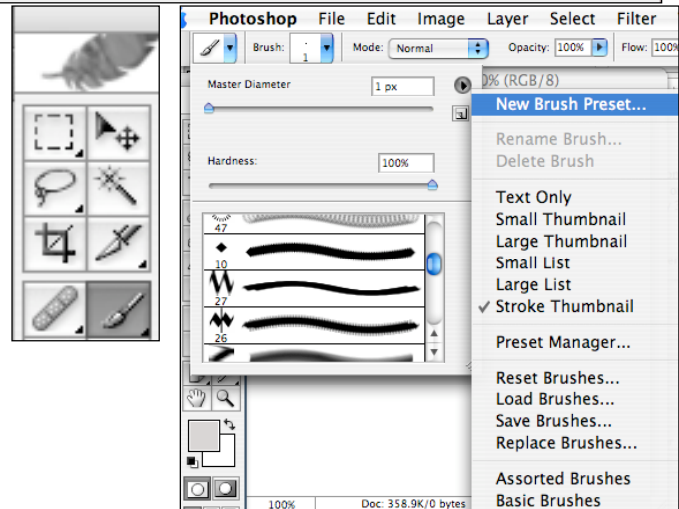
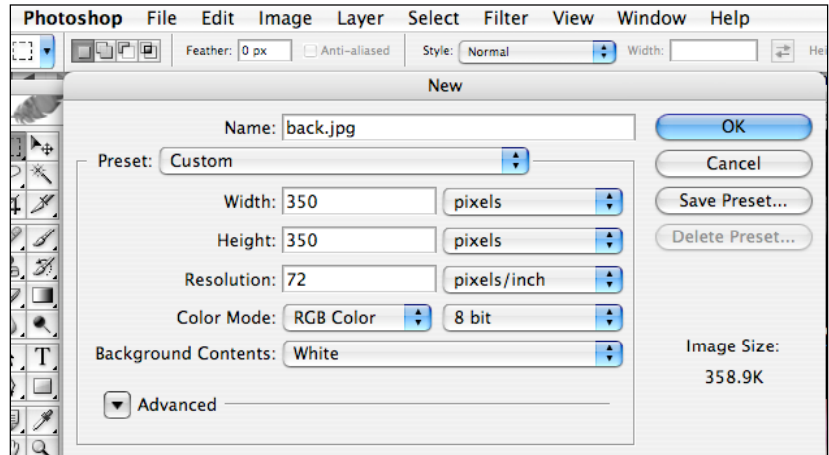


Create a Background Image with Photoshop

(background images repeat in on back layer of your web page)

Part I. Photoshop

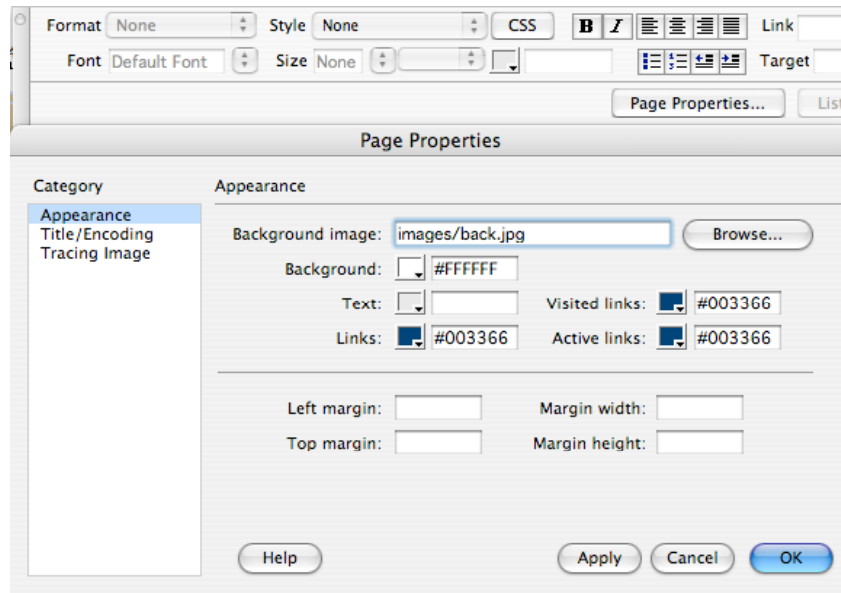
1. Open Photoshop
2. Create a new file
3. Complete the dialogue box. Recommended settings:
 - a. Name – all lowercase all one word. I recommend back.jpg or back2.jpg
 - b. Width – try 350 pixels by 350 pixels (see width and height)
 - c. Set resolution to 72
 - d. click OK
4. Your new document will open.
 - a. Choose the brush tool. Select a brush.
 - b. Select a color.
5. *Optional Step* – fade your background
 - a. Image>Adjustments>Brightness/Contrast
6. Save
7. Location, location, location: be sure back.jpg is saved in your web folder along with your web pages.



Part II – Tell Your Web Page About the Background You Just Made

6. Now add the background image you made as an element of your your web page:

- a. Open your Dreamweaver page
- b. Click on Page Properties
- c. Find the Background Image: entry bar.
- d. Click on “Browse” button



- e. Navigate to your back.jpg file.
- f. Click OK.
- g. Save.
- h. Your page now has your new background.