Photoshop Superhero Assignment

In this assignment you are going to make your own superhero and put them in a unique location and situation. Assignment basics:

- Male heads on Male superheroes and Female heads on Female superheroes. Do not use anyone in our school, this must be a celebrity or famous person.
- Put your superhero in a unique situation and location. For example:
 - o Your hero: Superman with Lebron's face
 - o Situation: fighting an alien
 - o Location: In the middle of Las Vegas.
- Save every 15 minutes to your desktop

Steps to complete the project:

- 1. Take out the background and clothing, leave only the head and neck of the person you want to make a superhero
- 2. Find a picture of a Superhero (use a live action image, not a cartoon).
 - a. Use Google Images to find your own picture, it must be school appropriate
- 3. Merge the two pictures
- 4. Once you have combined the two pictures and are satisfied it looks good, save as a .psd file, so I can see what steps and layers you used. Save this as: SuperheroMashup.
- 5. Now, put the superhero mashup in a unique situation and location. For example, battling an alien in the middle of Las Vegas.
 - a. You would need a picture of the location (in its own layer)
 - b. The picture of the superhero you created (in its own layer)
 - c. You would need a picture of his nemesis (in its own layer)
 - d. Add some sort of text like SuperLeBron vs. OcotoAlien (3D, Textured Text, etc..)
- 6. Once you have your scene set, you would clean the picture up to make it look like everything belongs together using techniques from the Tutorials and Tools from the Toolbar.
 - a. You must use at least 6 techniques from the Tutorials:
 - Face Mashup, 3D Text, Blur, Comic Book Effect, Combing Pics, Mapping a Texture on an Image, Content Aware, Antique or Vintage the Photo, Faded Pixels, Alienize, Selective Coloring, Blend Textures, Image in Text, Metal Text, Overlap Text.
 - b. You must use at least 10 Tools from the Toolbar
 - c. You must use Liquify somewhere
 - d. You must use at least 2 adjustments from the Adjustment panel
 - e. You must use at least 1 type of filter somewhere on the photo
- 7. Save your Scene as a psd file and name it PhotoshopProjectFinal
- 8. In MS Word, You must use the Photoshop Tools Sheet to describe what you used and how you used them in your assignment.
- 9. Finally, Fill out the Photoshop Grade Rubric
- 10. Save the MS Word document (Document is attached, but download from blog to fill in)
- 11. Save all work to desktop
- 12. What you will upload to Google Drive When Finished
 - a. SuperheroMashup.psd (Daily Grade)
 - b. PhotoshopProject.psd (Test Grade Use the attached Rubric to make sure you get full credit)
 - c. Photoshop Tool Sheet & Rubric (Daily Grade)

Photoshop Tools Sheet

This sheet is where you will explain what you did in your project and how you used different techniques and tools)

Describe 6 Techniques you used and describe what you did, if you used more than 6 techniques, chose the 6 ones you think look the best:

Technique Used:	Where did you use it?	Briefly describe what you did?
Example: Face Mashup	When I mashed up LeBron and Superman	I took LeBron's Face and imposed it over Superman's Face. I used multiple tools to make it look like LeBron was Superman

Describe 10 Tools from the Toolbar you used and describe what you did, if you used more than 10 Tools, chose the 10 you think look the best:

Tool Used:	Where did you use it?	Briefly describe what you did?
Example: Blur Tool	When I mashed up LeBron and Superman	I took used the blur tool to soften the edges of LeBron's face to blend into the Superman picture
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When did you use the Liquefy Tool

Where did you use it?	Briefly describe what you did?	
Example: When I created the Alien to battle LeBron	I took another player in the League and used the Liquefy tool to morph his head and eyes to mimic an alien head.	

Describe 2 Adjustments you used from the Adjustment Panel you used and describe what you did, if you used more than 10 Tools, chose the 10 you think look the best:

Adjustment Used:	Where did you use it?	Briefly describe what you did?
Example: Color Balance	When I mashed up LeBron and	I took used Color Balance to match
	Superman	Superman's skin tone to LeBron's

What filter did you use?

Filter Used	Where did you use it?	Briefly describe what you did?
Example: Sharpen	I used it on the Alien Picture	The Alien picture was a little blurry so I used the Sharpen Filter on the Alien Layer to clean up the picture to make it look clearer.

Photoshop Grade Rubric

Student Name:

Your hero:	
Situation:	Location:

	Excellent/ Proficient (A) 5 pts Proficient Knowledge	Good / Fairly Proficient (B) 4 pts Good Knowledge	Average (C) 3 pts Basic Knowledge	Below Average (D) 1 pts Not Really Understanding Course Assignment	Unsatisfactory (F) 0 pts Did not implement the required actions or elements.
Use of time & Effort	Excellent/ Proficient (A) Student shows effort and strive for his best while working on their Photoshop assignments. Assignment shows efficient use of classroom lab time and additional work outside of classroom.	Good / Fairly Proficient (B) Student shows some effort while working on their Photoshop assignments. Assignment shows efficient use of classroom lab time and minimal work outside of classroom.	Average (C) Student shows little effort while working on their Photoshop assignments. Assignment was worked on during classroom lab time, but shows little or no work outside of classroom.	Below Average (D) Assignment shows little or no work during classroom lab or outside of class time.	Unsatisfactory (F) No signs of effort during class assignments.
Use of New Tools & Techniques	Excellent/ Proficient (A) Has an advanced & knowledgeable understanding of Current Tool & Can navigate the software.	Good / Fairly Proficient (B) Good Understanding of software & tools required for assignment.	Average (C) Has a basic understanding of software & tools required for assignment.	Below Average (D) Needs Better understanding of software & tools required for assignment.	Unsatisfactory (F) Did not implement the required actions or elements.
Skills & Improvement	Excellent/ Proficient (A) Student shows extensive knowledge of Photoshop and/or is showing extreme improvement from previous assignments.	Good / Fairly Proficient (B) Student has updated their skills in Photoshop and/or is showing some improvement from previous assignments.	Average (C) Student has maintained skills in Photoshop and final result lacks precision.	Below Average (D) N/A	Unsatisfactory (F) No signs of Improvement or No applying learned skills
Creativity	Excellent/ Proficient (A) Several of the graphic elements and/or images used in the Project reflect an exceptional degree of student creativity in their assignment.	Good / Fairly Proficient (B) One or two of the graphic elements and/or images used in the Project reflect student creativity in their assignment.	Average (C) One or two graphic elements and/or images used in the Project were made or customized by the student, but the ideas were typical rather than creative (.e.g, apply the emboss filter to a drawing in Photoshop).	Below Average (D) The student did not really make or customize any of the items in the Project. Elements were too basic.	Unsatisfactory (F) Did not implement the required actions or elements.