

Adobe Digital Kids Club: Join The Digital Revolution

Connected Classroom
Conference



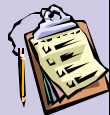
Conference Resources

- <http://twi.classroom.com/workshops/lskelly>



Today's Session

- Digital Photography: Integration Tips
- Beginning the Integration Process
- Management Tips
- Getting to Know Digital Kids Club
- DKC Support in Integration
- DKC Support for Adobe Products



Digital Photography: Integration Tips

- ☑ Practice using the camera
 - Relating to the activity/project
- ☑ Go through the process
 - Review the steps
- ☑ Set reasonable goals
- ☑ Create a schedule for each procedure
 - Usage, downloading and editing
- ☑ Make resources readily available
 - Via desktop
 - Via the Web

Beginning The Integration Process

- ☑ Start slowly
 - One activity...not a project
- ☑ Keep it simple
 - Ex. Pasting images into a document
- ☑ Limit number of participants (in large classes)
- ☑ Become familiar with procedures and class management issues
 - Teacher
 - Students

Management Tips

- ☑ Set up a tech squad
 - Deal with tech issues
 - Downloading
 - Camera issues
- ☑ Provide a schedule
 - Camera usage
 - Downloading
 - Editing
 - DP integration
- ☑ Set reasonable goals



What is Digital Kids Club?

- a special online site created for teachers, students, and parents
 - Digital photography resources
- URL: <http://www.adobe.com/education/digkids/main.html>
- Resources include:
 - Tips
 - Tutorials
 - Lessons and activities
 - Software updates

Adobe Digital Kids Club

Getting Around Your Online Resource



Getting To Know Adobe Digital Kids Club

- [What's the Buzz?](#)
- [Going Digital](#)
- [Digital photo tips](#)
- [Lesson and activities](#)
- [Adobe Education Network](#)
- [Digital imaging products](#)
- [Product training](#)
- [Photo gallery](#)
- [Showcase](#)

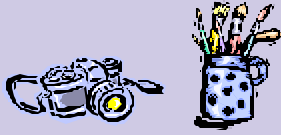


Digital Kids Club: Promoting Online Learning

- Tutorials

- Examples

- Animate layers
 - Masking
 - Fixing pictures



- URL: <http://www.adobe.com/education/digkids/training/psetutorials.html>

- Online course (PhotoShop Elements)

- Introductory course

- http://www.adobe.com/education/digkids/training/bse_course.html

Digital Kids Club: Classroom Integration

- Step-by-step Lessons

- URL:

- <http://www.adobe.com/education/digkids/lessons/main.html>

- Topics

- Create photo artwork
 - Create slideshows
 - Take pictures of your pet
 - Turn your photos into art
 - Take great field trip photos
 - Photoshop Elements 2.0 lessons



How Does Digital Kids Club Support Adobe Products?

- Adobe PhotoShop Elements

- Adobe PhotoShop Album



What is Adobe PhotoShop Elements?

- Easy-to-use image editing software for **print**, **e-mail**, and the **Web**
- **Based on Adobe Photoshop** and designed with an innovative set of unique features, Photoshop Elements' interface is organized for **quick** and **easy access** to all its tools and palettes.
- Photoshop Elements is the natural companion to digital photographs, whether they're generated by digital cameras, scanners, or any other source.
 - It provides powerful tools for quickly and easily **correcting flaws** in photographs, **editing** them creatively, and **using** them effectively in a wide variety of ways.

Key Features

- Inspirational **Recipes** spark imagination by providing step-by-step instructions for performing complex editing techniques. Switching tools or selecting menu commands is automatic.
 - Just click the "Do it for me" buttons in the Recipes, and the program takes care of these tasks for you.
- **Batch Processing** (in the File Menu) makes one or more changes simultaneously to several photos with just a few clicks.
 - Users can instantly change confusing digital camera file names into meaningful names
 - resize a group of images for posting to the Web
 - change the file format of a collection of photos – all with a single click.

Key Features

- Add artistic touches to images with redesigned **Brushes** that emulate real-world art media. These include options such as oil, watercolor, charcoal, pastels, and different canvas textures.
- **Layers** and the **Layers Palette** give users freedom to explore image collaging and composition, while maintaining control and editability over all components.
 - Any text, image or object that is pasted into a composition can be kept separate from the rest of the collage.
- Use **Layer Styles** (in the Palette Well or in the Window Menu) to apply a wide range of dazzling effects to a selected Layer.

Understand Your Image Editor

- General operations
- Strengths and weaknesses
 - Resizing
 - Cropping
 - Effects
- Know image formats
 - Jpg, gif and png
- Set up procedures
 - Usage
 - Saving
 - Printing



Let's Take a Peek!

- Key tools and features
- Effects and filters
- Guidance features



PhotoShop Elements Resources

- Main Site
 - <http://www.adobe.com/products/photoshopel/overview.htm>
- Product overview
 - <http://www.adobe.com/products/photoshopel/overview.htm>
- Adobe Photoshop Elements in depth
 - <http://www.adobe.com/products/photoshopel/indepth.htm>

PhotoShop Elements Resources

- Tutorials
 - <http://www.adobe.com/products/tips/photoshopel.html>
- Training Resources
 - <http://www.adobe.com/products/photoshopel/training.html>

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