

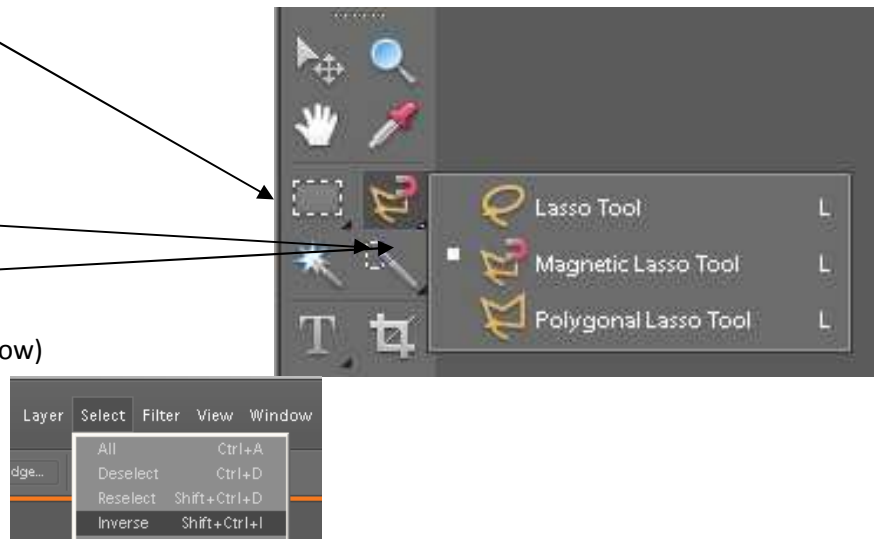
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LESSON 2: REMOVING AREAS, LAYERS, TEXT AND SAVING YOUR FILES

Resources: Photoshop Elements 7: In Easy Steps package...Use the package to find instructions for each method.

There are many ways to select an area in your image.

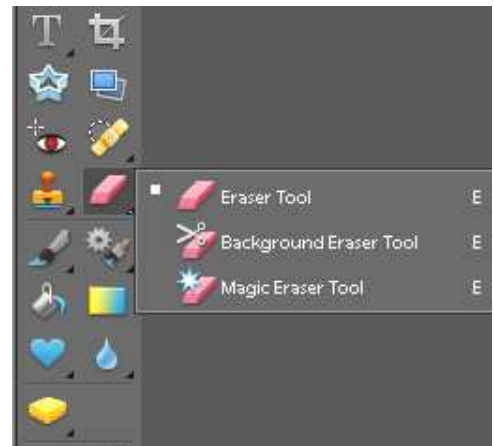
- Marquee tools
- Lasso Tools
- Magic Wand Tool
- Selection Brush Tool
- Quick Selection tool
- Smart Brush tool (see below)
- Inverting tool



TIP: use escape button on your keyboard to get rid of the selection

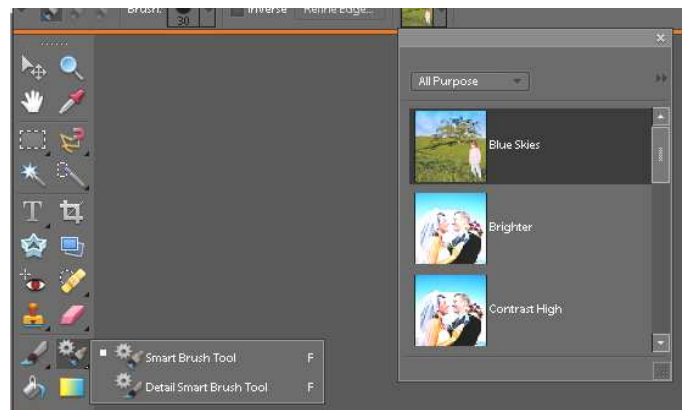
There are many ways to remove areas of your image.

- Eraser tool
- Background Eraser tool
- Magic Eraser tool
- Delete on your keyboard



TIP: Zoom into certain areas to make sure what you are removing.

Smart Brush tools



Lesson Instructions:

1. Start Photoshop on your computer.
2. Open the file *Photoshop 4* – the file is in the O drive or the class website (Projects-Photoshop).
3. Using the tools mentioned above, remove the sky and water.
4. Try many of the tools finding the one you prefer. Zoom into certain areas to make sure what you are removing.
5. Once complete, Open Photoshop 5 in the O drive (or website).
6. Go back to Photoshop 4 file and select the empty background. Choose Select>Inverse on the Menu bar.
7. Select the *Move tool* and slide it onto the Photoshop 5 file of dark sky. Make adjustments.
8. Go to Layers on Menu Bar and select Flatten Image. Resize or move the layer around if necessary.
9. Now save as *YourName 4.jpg*
10. Place in the *Photoshop 4-5* folder in the hand in drive:|>thibault>grade 10>PHOTOSHOP



Your image should look like something like this... composition can be a little different.

