

Watercolor Text Tutorial



1. Create a New document in Photoshop. File > New
 - a. 11" Width 8.5" Height
 - b. Background Contents - White
 - c. 300 Resolution
2. Double click on Background Layer in Layers Panel to unlock
3. Layer > Layer Style > Blending Options
 - a. Pattern Overlay
 - b. Click the gear and select Artist Surfaces
 - c. Wax Crayon on Vellum (Hover your cursor over each icon to view the name)
 - d. Opacity 10%
 - e. Scale 50%
4. Layer > New > Layer
 - a. Name this layer Text
5. Text Tool
 - a. Type any word and use a fairly large font size
6. Layer > New > Layer
 - a. Name this layer Paint
7. Brush Tool
 - a. Window > Brushes
 - b. Texture > Wax Crayon
 - c. Wet Edges
8. Options Bar
 - a. Opacity 20%
 - b. Flow 50%
9. Activate your Text Layer in the Layers Panel

- a. Select Text by using the Magic Wand and holding shift, click on the text
 - b. Remove visibility of Text Layer in Layers Panel
10. Activate Paint Layer in Layers Panel
- a. Using Brush Tool, swipe over text selection with multiple colors
 - b. Experiment with color combinations