

Alphabet Soup

Specs:

Image Size: 8" x 10" (students may use alternative formats)

File Format: Illustrator (.ai)

(Note: To avoid problems with missing fonts, select all and create outlines of all typography.)

Description:

Students will focus on the typographic capabilities of Adobe Illustrator to create a composition made only of the twenty-six letters of the alphabet. Multiple type faces, outlined text variations, path and area type are all available for use, but no color is permitted (composition may contain varieties of gray including gradients). Emphasis will be on organizing complex elements through use of selection tools, arrangement commands, layers and other organizational systems. Scale variation, the use of positive and negative space and creative shape making will all be used to enhance the composition.

Project Due Date:

Projects should be posted on the blog with the appropriate categories prior to crit on **Mon. April 14**

For the blog post, Illustrator files can be saved as jpg by using the File > Export As menu.

Screenshots may be posted as well.

