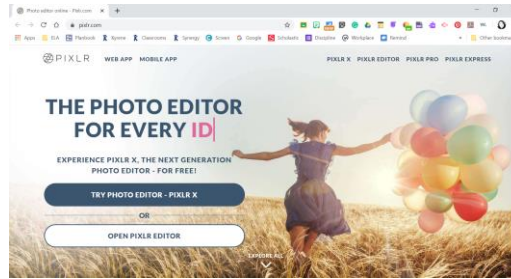


Lesson 4 – Resizing Images



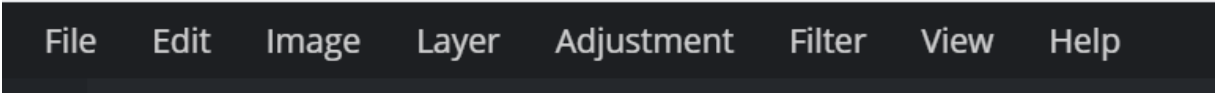
There may be times that you want to resize your image for printing. It's an important skill to learn if you're going to continue with photography beyond amateur level.

First:

1. Go to your Google Photos and choose the image you want to work with – choose any image.
2. Follow the steps from Lesson 3 for downloading the jpg file. (Double click the image, use the three dots, download, open in folder.)
3. Open Pixlr.com, follow the steps from Lesson 3 to open your image.

Method 1

1. Choose IMAGE from the black bar at the top of the screen. Choose IMAGE SIZE.



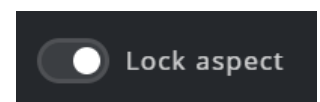
File Edit Image Layer Adjustment Filter View Help

2. A Pop-up will show you the current width and height in pixels. **Keeping the “Constrain proportions” slider to the right will cause the program to automatically choose the correct width/height to go along with the number that you type into one of the boxes.
3. Type a number into the WIDTH box that is approximately 3x the original number (multiply by 3). Notice that the height automatically goes up, too.
4. File>Save and add *_Method1 Resize Image* to the file name. Save it into the folder PIXLR IMAGES.

**Try it with the “Constrain proportions” slider to the left. What do you notice?

Method 2

1. File>Open your original image again
2. Choose EDIT from the black bar at the top of the screen. Choose FREE TRANSFORM.
3. Use the blue handles to make the image change size. NOTICE: If the “Lock Aspect” is turned on (slider to the right) your image will maintain its ratio. If it is to the left, your image can become distorted.



4. File>Save and add *_Method2 Resize Image* to the file name. Save it into the folder PIXLR IMAGES.

Practice Lesson #4:

1. Once you've completed the steps for Method 1 and Method 2, open *Practice Lesson #4* and add both images to the slide there. Answer the question.