How'd You do That???

MISSION IMPOSSIBLE

Objective

- Create a believable, but impossible situation, using pictures that you have taken and then manipulated in Photoshop.

Keep in Mind...

- Use only photos you have taken yourself.

- It's better if you take all of your photos with the same camera so that the resolutions will be the same.

- NO photos from the Internet!
  - Breaking Copyright Laws
  - They won't have a good resolution

Plan the Impossible...

- How do your characters need to pose?
  - Pose against a blank wall so that it is easier to use the selection tools.
- What kind of setting or scenery do you need for the background?
- You'll need 3 or more photos.

Lighting

- Keep lighting in mind when you take your photographs.

- If the light in your background or "setting" is coming from the right, but the posed photo of you has the light coming from the left, you cannot make the image believable.

Consider

- Is the idea creative and original?
- Are the photos trimmed correctly or do they look like you need new scissors?
- Have the color and lighting been adjusted between the images that are being assembled so they match?
- Is the image created believable but the situation impossible?
- Do people ask "How'd you do that?"

Remember

- All of the photographs must be set to the same resolution before they are merged together. Image > Image Size

- All of the components of the final "photo" must have similar lighting and color tone.

- White space is not believable. There must be a photographic background or "setting."