

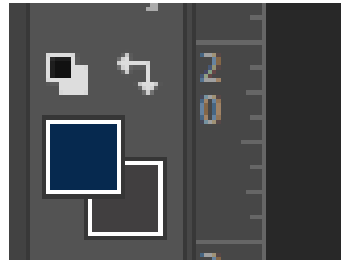
Color Sampling Tools

Mendocino College - Digital Image Manipulation with
Photoshop



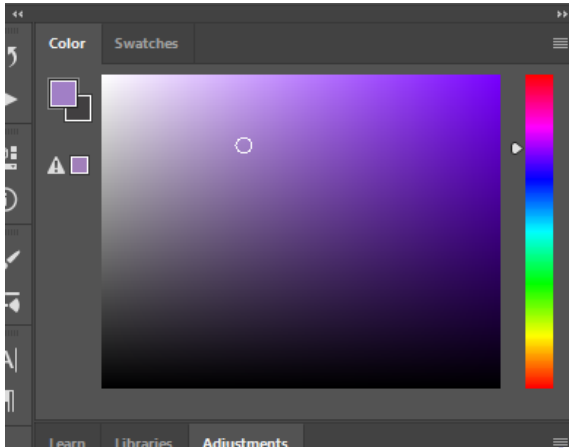
Foreground & Background Colors

- Near the bottom of the tool bar on the left hand side.
- The top color is the foreground, behind it is the background color.
- The foreground color is the active color you are using.
- Click the arrow to switch between them.



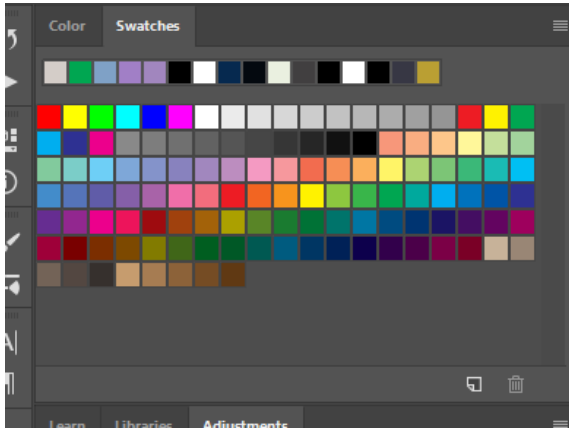
Color Panel

- Panel in the top right corner.
- Allows you to visually adjust the color and darkness.



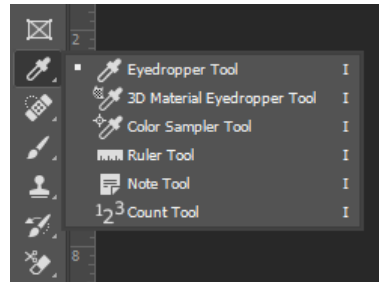
Swatches Panel

- Panel in the top right corner.
- Keeps track of the colours you have used.
- Allows you to save colours and resuse them in the future.



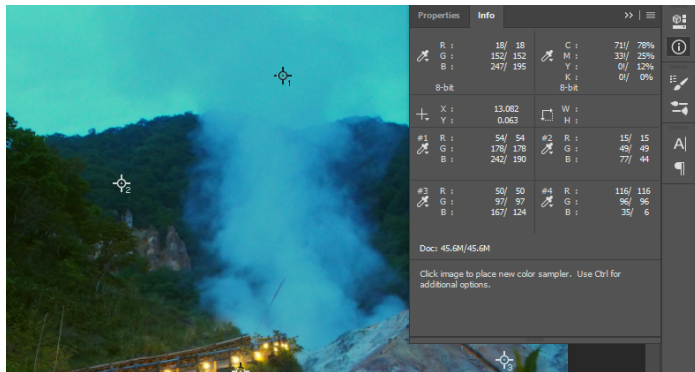
Eye Dropper Tool

- In the tools menu on the left-hand side.
- Changes the foreground colour to whatever you click on.
- The colour is also added to the swatches panel.



Color Sampler Tool

- Used to measure and view the color values in an image.
- Stores the RGB values for each point you choose.
- Points can be viewed in the Info panel.



Color Picker

- Double-click the Foreground color.
- This will open the Color Picker window.
- Here you have everything in one place:
 - the Color panel
 - Eye dropper tool
 - Add to Swatches
 - RGB/CMYK values
 - Hex code

