**SHORTCUTS**

move tool: v

marquee tool: m (copying everything that is visible: Shift-Cmd-c)

eyedropper tool: i

text tool: t

**Exporting images from PSD so that they’ll have a transparent background:**

v (=move tool)

Click on image

Right-click the layer in the layer pane

Duplicate the layer **as a new file**

Select all (Ctrl-a or Cmd-a)

Copy merged (Shift-Ctrl-c or Shift-Cmd-c)

New file (Ctrl-n or Cmd-n) + at **Background Contents choose Transparent**

Enter to confirm

Paste (Ctrl-v or Cmd-v)

Save for web (Ctrl-alt-shift-s or Cmd-alt-shift-s)

Chose PNG-24 and make sure the transparency checkbox is checked below it

**Using the eyedropper tool**

The eyedropper tool is used to obtain a color from the document and store it in one of the two color chips located at the bottom of the toolbar. Clicking will change the color saved in the foreground color and holding alt or option while clicking will change the background color.

**preferences in Photoshop:** cmd + k (**here’s where you can change pt to px for fonts**)