

## Activity 13: Type Placement Practice

**Time:** Twenty Minutes

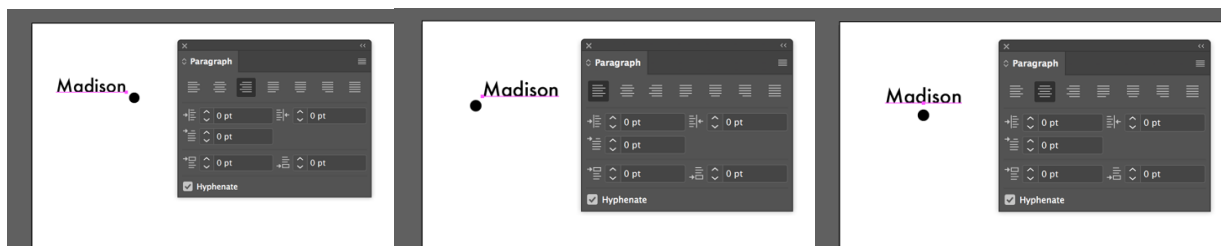
**Goal:** Practice placing type for point, line, and area features!

**Activity:** In this Mapping Activity, you'll practice placing type for point, line, and area features!

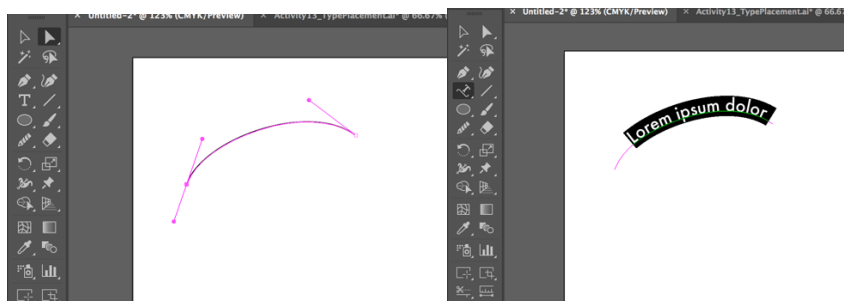
1. Download Activity13\_TypePlacement.ai from Canvas and open.
2. Download the Type Placement Review Sheet from Canvas under Resources.
3. Following cartographic conventions, place your point, line, and area labels.
4. Save a (.pdf) version of your map edits.

### Tips and Tricks:

**Points:** Make sure you justify the label to the point using the Paragraph Panel (Window > Type > Paragraph).



**Lines:** Using the pen tool, create a generalized curved line that follows the trajectory of the rivers or line features. Use the Type on Path tool to place the label on the line. Try to use only two vertices.



**Polygons:** Center within the area (if space allows). Mimic the shape of the area feature and use a curve line (pen) tool if needed.

**Submit:** Save a (.pdf) version of your map edits and submit to Canvas.