## Inspiration Board

***What is an Inspiration Board?***

……a collection of pictures that serve as an inspiration for a project.

Here are two great online references explaining the term more clearly, along with several links for how to prepare your board:

<http://analoguechic.com/2011/02/how-to-create-an-inspiration-board/>

<http://www.ikeafans.com/home/design-board/>

Another link that is not listed where you can make a board: <http://bighugelabs.com/mosaic.php>



Here is the simplest way to make a board:

Step 1. Choose **File > New** to create a new blank page  
  
Step 2: Insert your first image onto the blank page. I usually have my images saved onto my computer, but you can also use images from the internet.  
  
You can make the image bigger or smaller by clicking on the image and dragging the corners to the size you want. Move the image around on the page until you find a position that you like

Step 3: Repeat step 2 until you have all of the images you want.  
  
Step 4: Click **edit**. Then click **Arrange**. This will lock all of the images together so that you can upload it or move it to another folder without the images moving around, and so on.  
  
Step 5: Stand back and admire your work! Your inspiration board is complete.

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