

Flash Dump Truck

Use Flash to create the same dump truck but with color and shading.

Start by:

Creating four layers.

- Wheel (make just one wheel and drag another instance of the symbol on)
- Body
- Bed
- Hydro

Use gradients and the gradient transform tool and other techniques you have learned so far to make a great looking truck.

Convert each part to a symbol.

Step One: Make the wheel

Save the file as lastname_truck and turn the flash (.fla) file into the drop box.

Object Drawing Mode Tutorial (9:29)

http://www.mountsihighschool.com/directory/_dockeryj/flash/objectdrawingmode/objectdrawingmode.html

Don't forget to turn Object drawing mode off for the rest of the truck.

Gradient and Symbol Tutorial (13:29)

http://www.mountsihighschool.com/directory/_dockeryj/flash/gradients/gradients.html

Hand Drawn Dump Truck:

In the "Dump Truck" assignment you will start by filling an 8.5 " by 11" sheet of paper with a sketch of the dump truck from "I Can Draw - Cars and Trucks" book. You can get a photocopy from your teacher. Don't erase any of your lines. Instead try to draw lightly so you can see the steps you go through in the process of using basic shapes to create this vehicle. Make sure to fill the page with your drawing. Then you will be given a fine point sharpie pen to draw an outline of the truck. Make sure to put your name on your drawing. Turn it into the wooden box.

Images

I have posted the required image on this site in case you are sick at home. If you are in class ask for the handout. I have other classes using these handouts so please take care with them and return them to the instructor.

I have also posted an extra credit image if you want to have more practice at this technique. There are a bunch of "How to Draw" books on my book shelf if you want to try a different subject.