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HOW TO: EDIT BLACK & WHITE



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How to Edit Photos to Black and White

Photoshop Elements

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Learn my favorite ways to make a photo black and white in Photoshop Elements.

Prepare the Workspace

- Open the photo (File > Open) that needs to be edited before using it on a scrapbook page.
- Make sure you are in the Advanced/Expert Mode of Photoshop Elements.



Edit the Photo to Black and White, First Method

- In the Menu Bar, choose Enhance, Convert to Black and White.
- In the dialog box, select one of the styles on the bottom left. If you like how it looks, click OK. Just try to avoid too dark darks and too bright lights.
- For this photo, I'll select Scenic Landscape and then click OK.



Edit the Photo to Black and White, Second Method

- In the Layers panel, click on the Create a New Fill or Adjustment Layer icon and choose Hue/ Saturation.
- Ensure that the Channel is set to Master.
- In the dialog box, click and drag the Saturation slider all the way to the left for a value of -100.
- Close the dialog box.



Edit the Photo with a Sepia Tint

- In the Layers panel, click on the Create a New Fill or Adjustment Layer icon and choose Hue/Saturation.
- In the dialog box, click to check the Colorize option.
- Click and drag the Hue slider until it's around 30.
- Click and drag the Saturation slider until it's around 10.
- Close the dialog box.

