CD Cover - selective colour

This is about picking out individual areas of colour

- 1. Open **PhotoPaint** press **Alt** + **S** to get rid of the pop up
- 2. Click File > Open > find the image you want to use and open it
- 3. **IMPORTANT:** make sure you square crop your image first
- On the <u>right panel</u>, make sure you are clicked on **Objects** If you lose the right panel, click **Window > Dockers > Objects** to get it back

Picking out colour areas

5. At the top, click Object > Create > New Lens > Grayscale > OK > OK



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‡ Normal

§ 25

⊝ 200 🗘

6. On the <u>left toolbar</u>, switch to the **Brush Tool** – the single brush underneath the Text Tool

7. At the **top**, change the size of the brush:

• start by changing the **brush**type to Round 100 – this brush has a hard edge – that's what we want

Custom Art Brush

- at the <u>top</u>, change the size up to 200 to start with (it's quicker to type it)
- At the <u>bottom</u> of the <u>left toolbar</u> is a colour selector. Make sure Black is on top

IMPORTANT: if white is on top, use the **double headed arrow** to switch to black. You can **double click** to pick a colour as well

VERY IMPORTANT: you only use black and white brushes for this task

 Now, on the Grayscale layer, start painting over the top of the image. This will reveal the colour beneath

Don't worry too much about the edges – we can correct those afterwards

Correcting mistakes

- 10. Switch the **brush colour** to **white** use the **double headed arrow** at the **bottom** of the **left toolbar**
- 11. Make the brush **smaller** (try 50). **Zooming in** might help here as well
- 12. Paint over the mistakes the white brush conceals the colour

Once you're done, make sure to save your work before adding text

