



Simple Icon Tutorial (Paint Shop Pro)

This tutorial will show you how to make a simple icon with a border in Paint Shop Pro.

This is what we will be making:



- Load Paint Shop Pro and create a new image measuring 100x100 pixels and set the resolution to 72 pixels per Inch.
- Open the image you want to use on your icon.
- Flood fill the icon with a colour of your choice by clicking on the paint can.
- On the picture that you're going to use select the area of the picture you want by using the selection tool. For this tutorial we used freehand selection and set the feather to 8. You can use the edge seeker if you want and also adjust the feather to suit your taste.
- Once you have got the marching ants around your picture copy it (Edit, Copy)
- Now go to the icon and paste as a new layer (Edit, Paste, as a new layer)
- As your picture will probably be too big, you need to resize it. To do that click on Raster deform and adjust the image to suit using the black squares.

- To add the frame go to Image, Picture Frame and select your frame. We have used Edge Brush 05

- Save it and you're done.

If you have any questions about this tutorial please do not hesitate to email us at designers@coldwatermorninggraphics.com.