

Creating a Personal Collage

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Photoshop

A large image of four tall riding boots. From left to right: a brown leather boot with a gold cross-shaped buckle, a black leather boot with a gold buckle, a tan leather boot, and a black leather boot. The image is part of a search results interface.

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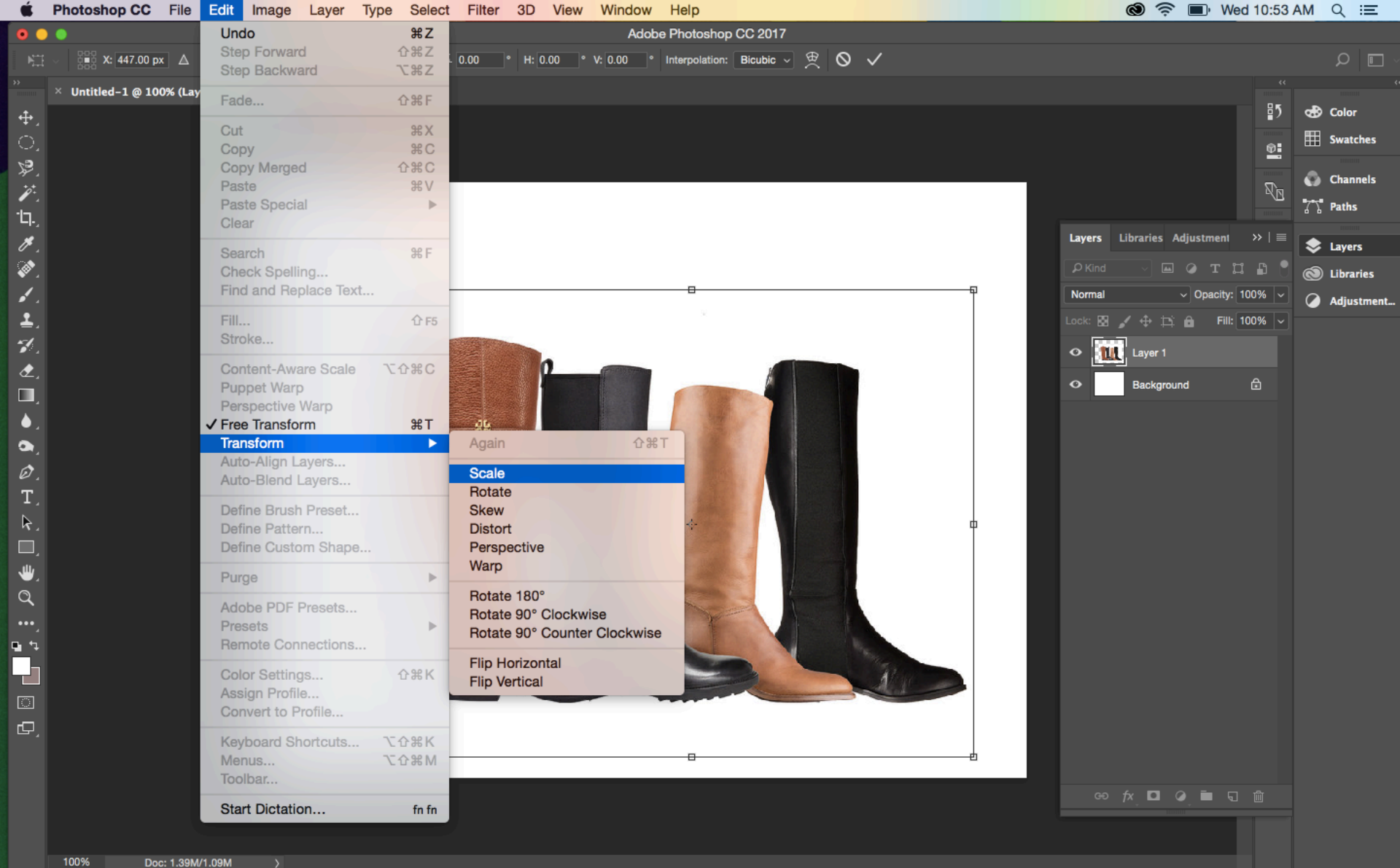
A grid of related images showing various styles of boots. The grid includes several small images of different boot styles and a 'View more' button.

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Go online and search for images that you feel describe you. For my collage, I am making it about my personal style. For your collage, you need to choose 8 images that you feel best describe you and who you are. The possibilities are endless.

Right click and Copy the image.

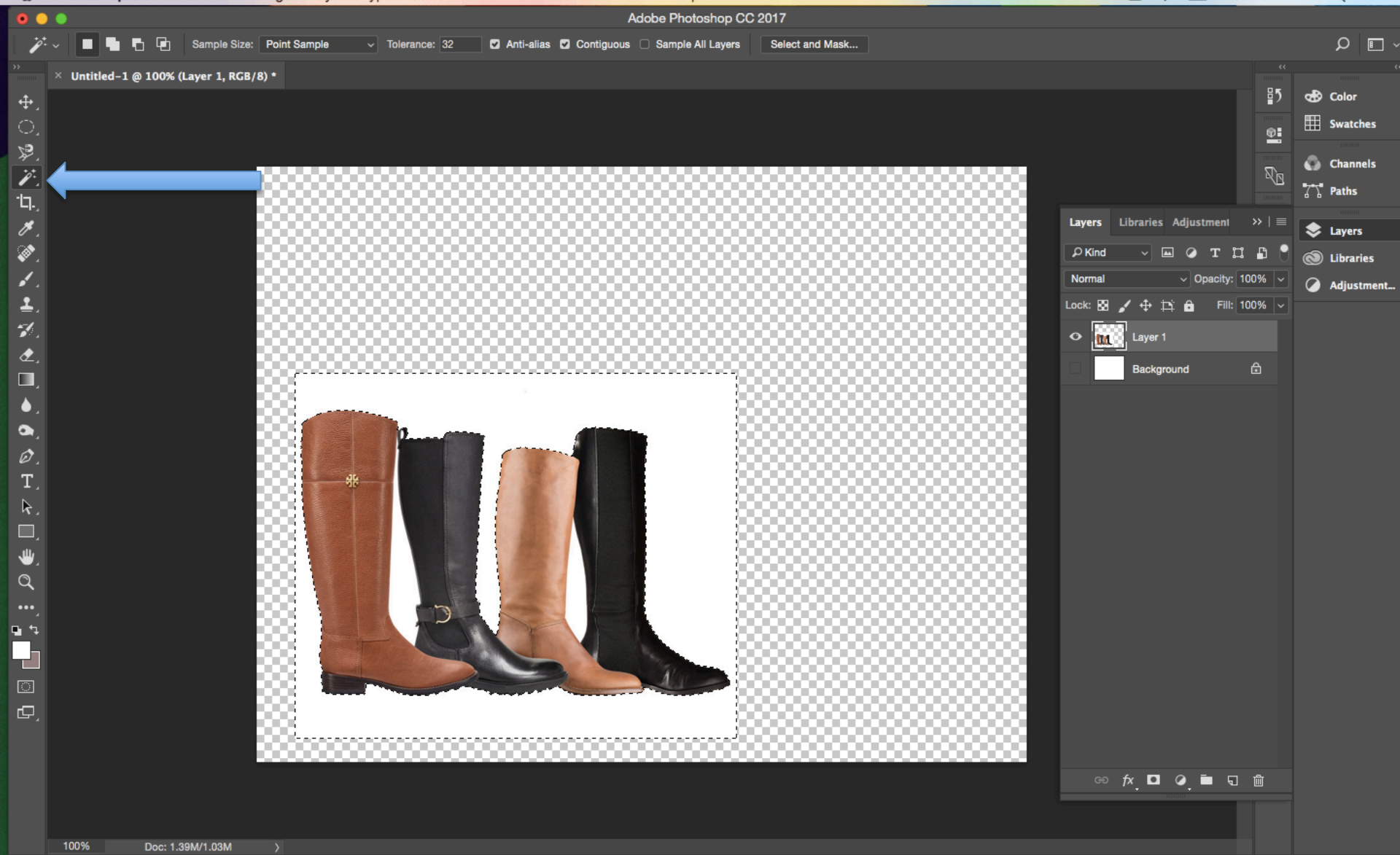


Open a new Adobe Photoshop file, (Ps) and make it 11 x 8.5 inches.

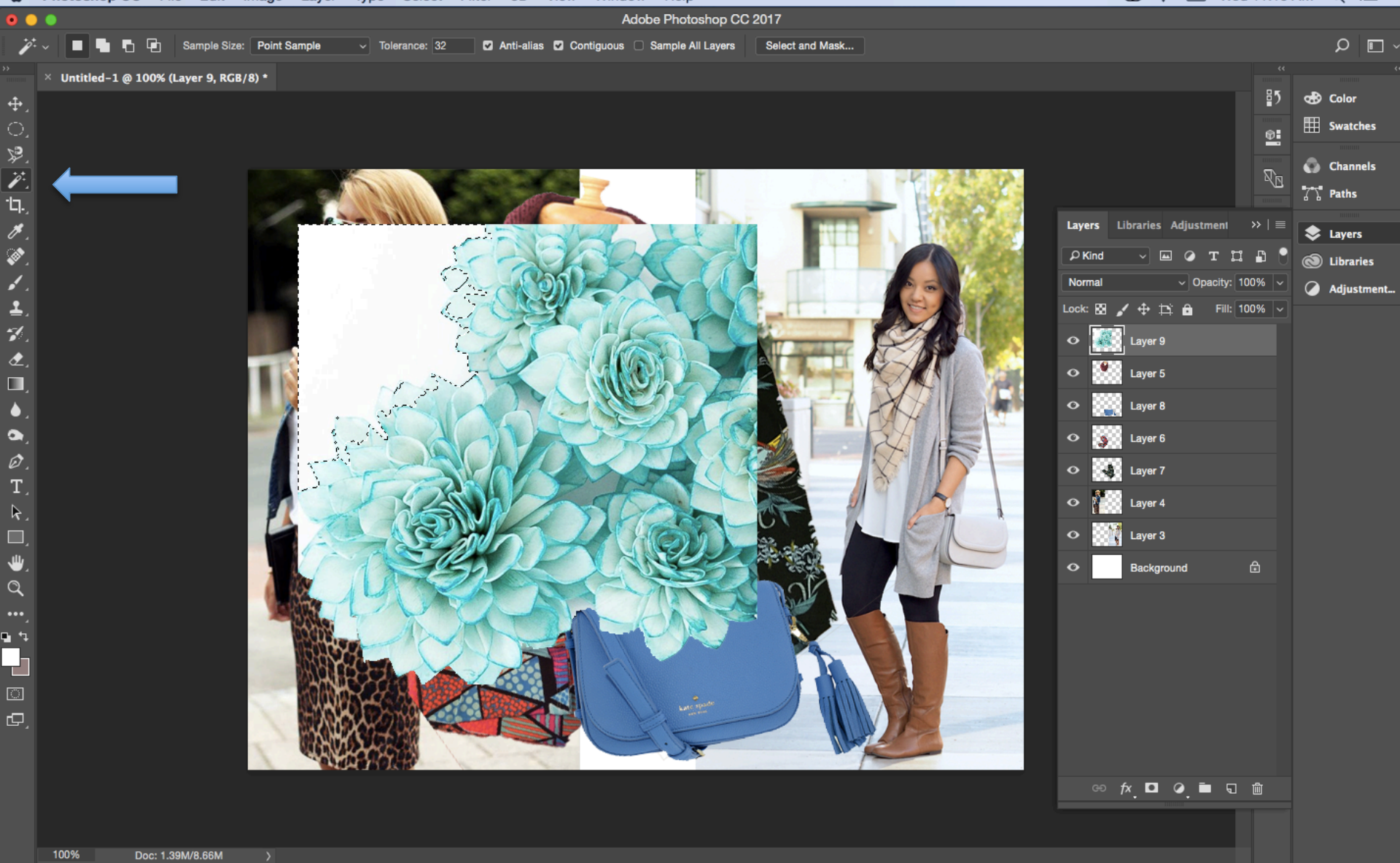
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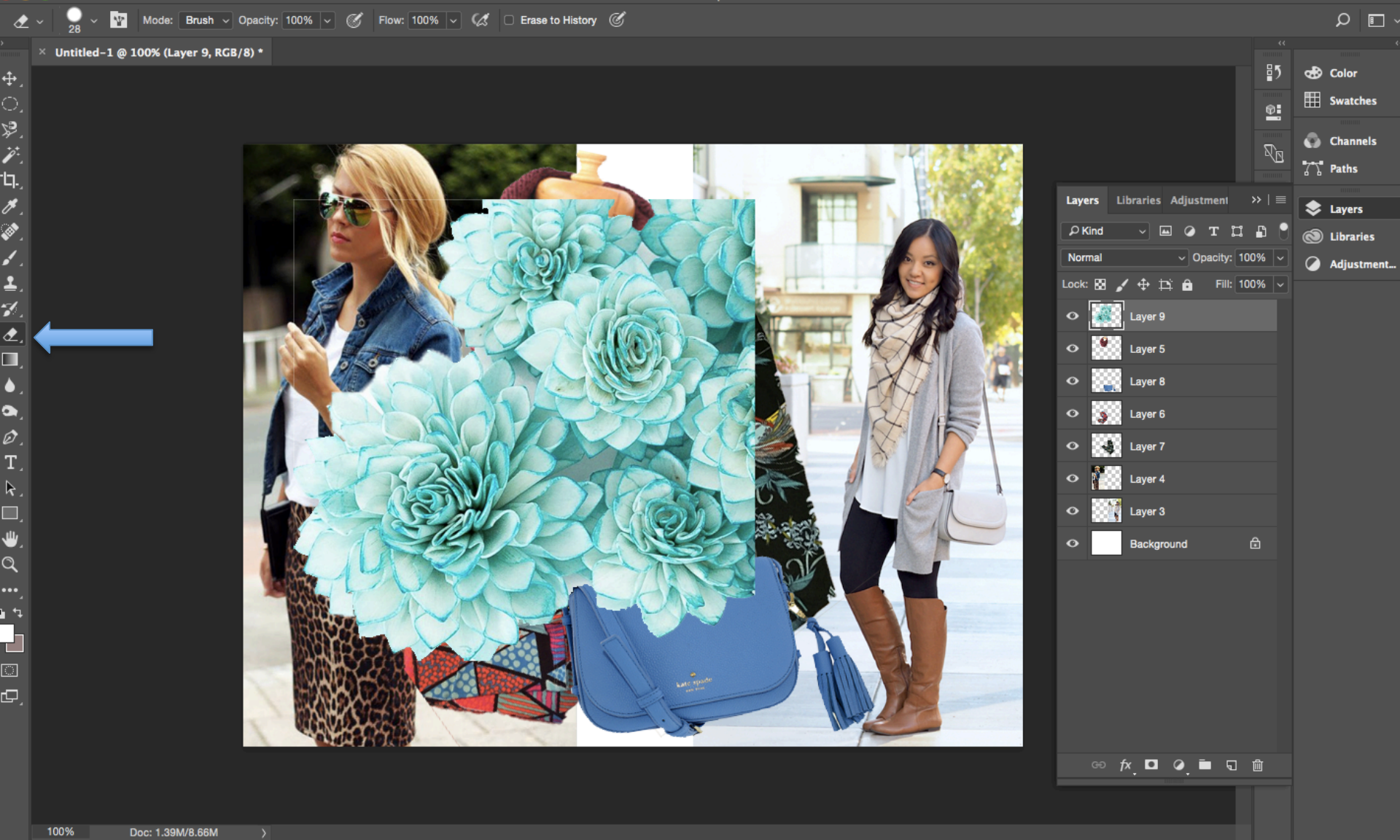
Make it the size you want. Arrange it, Move it around. You are making a collage.



Using the magic wand tool, or the direction selection tool, click and select the background of the images you bring into your collage. Then press delete to erase it.



The direct selection tool allows you to be more precise in your selection. Click and hold down on the magic wand tool and the option to use the direct selection tool will be available.



Sometimes you may also need to erase out some lines that did not get erased through you selecting and deleting it. Also, notice the layer box on the right. You can click and drag and rearrange the layers to have the collage photos overlap as you want.



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You need at
least 8 images.