



Lesson 6: Basic Starburst Manual © Syndee Rogers

This video was filmed in Photoshop Elements but the instructions are just the same in Adobe Photoshop unless where noted.

Create the Starburst Overlay

- Open the Striped overlay from the Basic Patterns Stripes Lesson (PFP-S2-L3-Basic-Stripes).
- In the Menu Bar, choose File > Duplicate > (**Photoshop:** choose Image > Duplicate). Name it Starburst and click OK.
- In the Layers panel, double-click on the Stripes Pattern thumbnail. In the Pattern dialog box, set the Scale to 200 percent, check Link with Layer and click on Snap to Origin. Click OK.
- In the Menu Bar, choose Layer > Simplify Layer. (**Photoshop:** choose Layer > Rasterize > Layer).
- In the Menu Bar, choose Filter > Distort > Polar Coordinates and in the dialog box, choose Rectangular to Polar. Click OK.

Save the Starburst Document

- Save as a layered psd (Save as) in an easy to find location.
- You can define it as a pattern if you want to have access to it within your PS/PSE patterns but it will not be a seamless design. I will leave that up to you!

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