

Illustrator Final

In Illustrator *Open* the file **IllustratorFinal.ai** (found on the class website).

Use the *Pen* tool to draw the UFW (United Farm Workers) Eagle logo and flag border.

Use the *Ellipse* tool to draw the circle. Place the picture of Cesar Chavez (**CesarChavez.jpg** from the class website) under the circle and scale it to be just a bit bigger than the circle. Select the circle and the picture and make them into a *Clipping Mask*.

Arrange the UFW Eagle logo on top of the Cesar Chavez circle picture, stroke and color it as you wish and set its transparency to see Chavez through it.

Select the flag border and make a copy of it (use the *Paste In Front* command in the *Edit* menu). Use the *Type on a Path* tool to create the text: "La Causa!" and "Huelga!" Use the fonts, sizes and colors that you wish. Then select the text with the *Selection* tool (black arrow) and create the *Drop Shadow Effect* under them (you may want to bump up the opacity and change the color of the shadow).

Select the second flag boarder (the lower one) and fill it with a linear gradient. Make the gradient have at least three colors to blend between.

Make a copy of the UFW Eagle logo, scale it smaller and place it at the bottom left corner of the flag. Use the *Reflect* tool to reflect a copy of the eagle to the lower right corner. Select each eagle one at a time and rotate them slightly outward. Select both eagles and the flag and create a *Compound Path*.

Type the text "CESAR CHAVEZ" at the top of the flag; use any font, size and color that you like, do not stroke it. With the text selected with the *Selection* tool (black arrow) in the *Appearance* panel create a 3pt stroke of any color that you wish. Apply the *Offset Path* effect to the stroke with an offset setting of 0.02pt. Arrange the text to be below the flag.

Place the **IllustratorFinalBkrnd.jpg** image (found on the class website) into the illustration and arrange it on the bottom so that it is placed as in the illustration sample. With the *Rectangle* tool create a rectangle that is the size of the illustration boundary (8.5 x 11 inches). Place it at the illustration boundary and by selecting it and the background image and making a *Clipping Mask* clip off the extra images at the top and bottom.

Use the *Star* tool to draw a star at the middle left side of the flag and then copy it to the other side. At the top of the flag make a small circle with the *Ellipse* tool. Color and stroke the stars and circle as you wish. With the *Blend* tool create a 4 step blend from one star to the circle to the other star. With the *Direct Selection* tool (the white arrow) select the top point of the blend path (where the circle is) and convert it to a smooth point, adjust its direction/magnitude points to make the blend curve around the Cesar Chavez circle. With the blend selected stroke it with the *Calk-scribble* brush.

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Use the *Brush* tool with the *Floral Stem* brush selected to draw lines that mirror the curves of the flag top and bottom. Color them as you desire. Adjust the bottom stroke to be between the text and the flag.

Save the file in .pdf format into your folder in documents and/or on your flash drive, then turn it into Google Classroom.