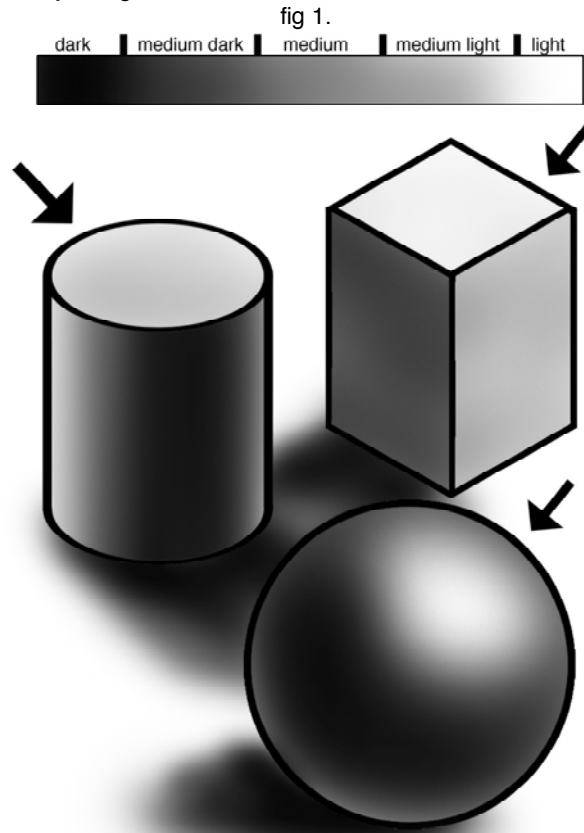


# CREATING FORM THROUGH VALUE

## Part 1: Forms.jpg

1. Open the image **forms\_exercise.jpg** in Photoshop.
2. Use the magic wand tool to select an area in one of the forms in the image.
3. Use the **brush tool** to paint a **gradient** in the bar at the top of the page going from dark to light.
4. Use your magic wand and paintbrush to give each of the flat shapes form. Remember to use a soft brush and low flow (**see fig1**). Look at the arrows to determine where the light source is coming from. This will determine where your light side and dark side are.



**Cartoon** – once you have completed **form.jpg**, you will apply the same concepts of light and dark to a cartoon that you download.

## **YOUR OBJECTIVE IS TO DEMONSTRATE FORM.**

GIVE THE FLAT CHARACTERS DIMENSION.

**Part 2:** Find an image to paint from the links provided on the class site or from Google image search.

*\*to manipulate the downloaded image, open it in Photoshop and do the following:  
On the menu bar at the top, click on **Image > Mode > RGB Color***

The mode of the image needs to be RGB color! Paint the image using just **black and white** (and gray). Remember to think about how light and shadow will appear on the forms that make up your character.

**Part 3:** Find a **DIFFERENT** cartoon. Repeat the steps above, but paint the image **with color** this time.

**When you are finished, you should have: Forms Exercise, Black and white Cartoon, Colored cartoon**