

Leading (2 pages)

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Leading:

The space between the baselines

Line Length:

The width occupied by a block of text

Page 1 last column heading: Leading / Sans Serif Font

Divide your page in 4 main squares (using columns 1-4)

• You will use the grid divided in 4-squares, and use a font such as Helvetica or comparable (Do not use Arial)

First four columns: Use one paragraph of your favoritie person's biography.

Top left square:

• Helvetica 12/14 (meaning the font is 12 points in size, and the leading is 14 points)

Top right square

Helvetica 12/18

Bottom left square

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Helvetica 12/24

Bottom right square

Helvetica 12/36

Page 2 last column heading : Leading / Serif font

Do exactly the same, but use a serif font (like Garamond, Baskerville, etc.)

Look at the differences!

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Legibility: Tracking & Kerning (3 pages)

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Tracking:

The space between letters and words

Kerning:

The space between 2 letters

Titlecase:

When every relevant word in a phrase is capitalized

Page 1 last column heading:

Legibility

Tracking With Caps & Lower Case letters

What happens to type when there is too much space between words and letters?

4th column blank

1st, 2nd and 3rd columns:

Set 3 sentences of your performer's biography (can use a quote or a song if applicable) the following way:

- Times (or comparable) 12/16 C&LC / No tracking
- Times (or comparable) 12/16 C&LC / 50 tracking
- Times (or comparable) 12/16 C&LC / 100 tracking
- Times (or comparable) 12/16 C&LC / 200 tracking

Page 2:

Do exactly the same as page 1, but this time use negative tracking 0, -50, -100, -200

Page 2 last column heading: Legibility

Negative Tracking With Caps & Lower Case letters

What happens to type when there not enough space between words and letters?

Times 12/16 C&LC // No Tracking

Rey Mysterio Career Highlights: World Heavyweight Championship (Wrestle Mania 22, 2006), Royal Rumble winner (2006), Cruiserweight Champion, WWE Tag Team Champion, WCW Tag Team Champion and WCW Cruiserweight Tag Team Champion.

Times 12/16 C&LC // 50 Tracking

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Times 12/16 C&LC// 100 Tracking

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Times 12/16 C&LC //200 Tracking

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Tracking With Caps & Lower Case letters

What happens to type when there is too much space between words and letters?



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Kerning:

The space between 2 letters

Titlecase:

When every relevant word in a phrase is capitalized

Page 3

Page 3 last column heading: Legibility Kerning

- Type in the name of your favorite person
- Do not adjust the tracking or do any kerning
- Like example below, use arrows to indicate where tracking should take place
- Label this example: Before // with the font name and point size // no adjustment
- Re-type the name again, but this time manually adjust its kerning until it looks right to you
- Label this example: After // with the font name and point size // manual adjustment
- Use vertical lines to show the difference in line lengths (see the example below)

