

# MY ASSEMBLED LIGHT BULB BOX

## Step 1

- As I only had access to an A4 printer and the light box net was 40.5 cm overall length x 18 cm I couldn't print it full size.
- I didn't have any A4 card for the printer so I had to use ordinary printer paper
- I had to print out the scaled version of the net (half size) with the design
- I had corrected my mistakes about where to glue and the tabs and folds were in the right places
- It was quite difficult to assemble the box because it was quite small for my fingers
- I took two digital photos of it from different angles
- I also took a photo of a long life light bulb



## Step 2

- I cut the boxes out of their real backgrounds with the pen tool in *Photoshop* and combined them on one canvas, but on separate layers. I used the Transform > Rotate tool to get the angles right
- I also cut out the light bulb and dropped that onto another layer
- I copied and pasted the bulb layer to add a second light bulb and rotated the copy, making sure the layer was above the layer for the box on the right
- I rotated this bulb and then I used a layer mask to make it look as if it was under the lid of the box
- I added drop shadows to the boxes and to the other bulb
- Finally, I used the same daisy texture as on the website banner for the background, so that there is another visual link between all the graphic products, as well as the logo and colours

