## Lunar New Year Recipe Template Instructions

This template can be used to preserve, document and share signature recipes from each family's cultural cuisine.

## How to Use

- 1. Open the template on Adobe Photoshop (There 3 artboard designs to customise)
- 2. In the layers panel, each artboard is grouped with individually labelled sub-folders for simple navigation (Window > Layers)
- 3. Editable layers have been highlighted in red
- 4. Different layers can be moved using the Move tool (V)
- 5. To edit text:
  - 1. Select the Horizontal Type Tool (T)
  - 2. Hover and select existing type to replace text
  - Use the Characters Panel to customise text size, font and colour (Window > Character)
  - 4. Additional fonts can be synced through Adobe Fonts
- 6. To customise background Colours:
  - 1. Open up layers panel (Window > Layers)
  - Find the red highlighted layers and double click on layer icon to open Colour Picker
  - 3. Select a colour from the Colour Picker and select OK
  - 4. Other customisable layer style effects can be located on select layers via *fx* (Double click layer to open Layer Style dialog box)
- 7. Insert your own image:
  - 1. Open up layers panel (Window > Layers)
  - 2. Find the red highlighted layers named (Replace Image)
  - 3. Double click on the layer image icon. A separate file should open.
  - 4. Delete the existing image in the layers panel. (Window > Layer)
  - 5. Place your own image. (File > Place Embedded)
  - 6. To cut out the background of your image use the Magic Wand Tool (W) to mask and delete the background. Alternatively try using the Select Subject on the top toolbar to automatically detect your subject. (This works best when your image is on a plain or simple background)
- 8. Choose border style:
  - 1. Open up layers panel (Window > Layers)
  - 2. Find and expand the Border folder

- 3. Turn on layer visibility for the border of your choice
- 4. To customise colour, double click layer to open the Layer Style dialog box (fx)
- 9. Export artwork:
  - 1. File > Export > Export As
  - 2. Select artboards you want to export
  - 3. Select Format: JPG and Quality: 100%
  - 4. Export!