Photoshop: Crop  

C = crop tool

C-> drag crop tool around area that you want to keep

C-> drag crop tool outside of entire image to add canvas

C-> enter custom size at top to crop image to specific size

C-> drag handles to add or subtract space

C-> drag handles separately for correcting perspective (check perspective above)

C-> upper left corner in tool presets, select preset size, or make a new one

M-> (marquee tool) make selection around area to keep, then ->Image-> Crop

Any tool-> Image-> Trim area based on pixel color of selected corner will be cropped off image. (Works best with solid colors.)

Any tool-> Image-> Canvas size. Dialogue box will ask where do you want to add the extra space. Default is to add extra space with image in the center. If you select the top, extra space will be added to the bottom. You can also select what color you would like the extra space to be at the bottom of the dialogue box.

If there is excess image in a layer extending beyond the visible, it will stay with the image, therefore making the image size larger. To crop it out: select all (apple + a) ->Image-> Crop. This happens when another image brought in as a layer is too large for the canvas size of the current image.