

All about PHOTO 1

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What do we do in this class?

We learn various things about photography

- How to use a camera
- How to compose a photo
- How to use Photoshop
- The history of photography
- The importance of photography
- About famous photographers



Do I need a fancy big expensive camera? Can I use a phone?

NO and NO

You need an actual camera (not a phone), but if you do not have one, I have some to check out to you. Just print out the camera contract in Google Classroom and bring it in signed. The nicest cameras get checked out first, so the earlier you bring in the form, the better a camera you will get.



So are we going to take photos?

No homework except for taking photos



When we have an assignment, they are pretty broad, and you have lots of freedom of how you are going to fulfill the assignment.

I want you to have your own voice and style, so while I will ask you to include certain ideas in your photos, you get to choose what to actually photograph.

You DO take your photos outside of class, and hopefully outside of school. If you take your photos in school it generally reflects less effort and you would lose some points.

CP vs Honors - UP TO YOU

CP

- 4 or 5 photo assignments per quarter
- Roughly every other week.

HONORS

- About 9 photo assignments per quarter, half of which you have TONS of freedom
- About 1 per week.

Want to switch? Go see guidance.

I took an amazing photo last summer. Can I turn it in if it fits the assignment?

No. In art school you can actually plagiarize yourself. I know it sounds weird, but you can't turn in any work that you made previously or for another course or for some other reasons.

You must take your photos after the assignment is given and before the due date.



What about GRADES?

- Photograph grades are based on a rubric that we will go over

GRADING PERCENTAGES:

50% - Photos

25% - Photoshop

15% - Critique and other assignments

10% - Work Ethic and Behavior



Honestly, your grade is going to be terrible

Room #: B137

5	10 3	= 5th assignment
6	10 19	= 6th assignment
7	10 28	= 7th assignment
8	10 31	= 8th assignment

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So always turn
in your photos!

Class Policies



- No phones - but if everyone is working hard, there may be phone breaks
- But there is a charger at the front of the room if you want to use it
- No throwing anything, touching each other, & no touching things that aren't yours
- No sexist, homophobic, racist, etc language!
- Sign out and then back in for bathroom - just let me know you are going
- Passes for freshman for U block
- Late work will be graded down - not fair to people who turned stuff in on time if you can still get an A...so you can't.

HOWEVER - I do want you to have a good time and talk to each other during “work time”

If I am ever out
(sick, at teacher training, etc)

**YOU MUST CHECK
GOOGLE CLASSROOM
AND DO THE ASSIGNMENT**

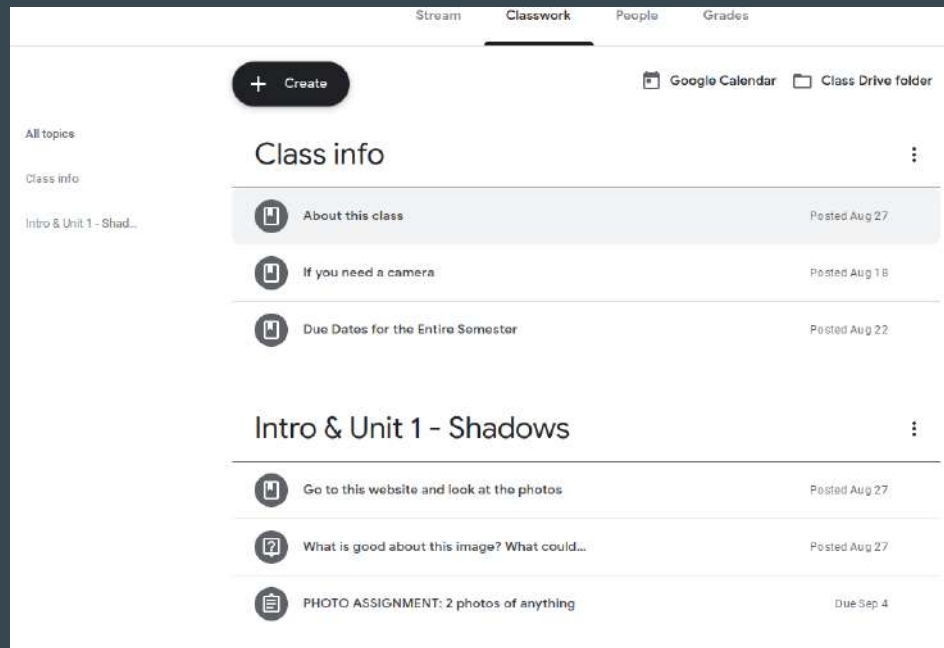
Harassment policy

The school has harassment and bullying policies. Examples of sexual harassment include but are not limited to:

- unwanted repeated requests for sexual favors or dates from a peer
- inappropriate or lewd comments said or repeated to you or around you
- inappropriate or lewd comments about someone's body or appearance
- saying bad things about someone (or about a group of people) based on gender identity or sexuality
- gender-based or sexuality-based slurs (swear words)
- jokes about sex, or making fun of people generally based on their gender identity or sexuality (i.e. "all women..." or "bisexual people are...")
- Note: It can still count as sexual harassment even if the behavior or comment is not aimed at you specifically. For example, if you are a trans student who hears a group of other students making offensive jokes or insults about trans people in general, that could still be considered harassment even if they were not directing those comments to you as an individual.
- unwanted emails, texts, messages, videos, or photos of a sexual nature
- gossip about someone's personal relationships or sex life
- unwanted touching of any body part, clothing, face, or hair
- staring, leering, or making gestures of a sexual nature
- blocking someone's way or their movement, especially in a physically threatening or intimidating way
- inappropriate touching, massaging, kissing, or hugging
- flashing or mooning
- vulgar pictures or pornography, even if those pictures are not of or about you, if they are shown to you against your will repeatedly or in the context of other harassment.

Quick tips about Google Classroom

- The stream is terrible - Click on CLASSWORK instead
- All our work is put into Units - so find the one that matches the assignment you are turning in
- You will turn in your photos (and all other work) into classroom
- If you click on CALENDAR - it shows you all your due dates in all your classes



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