

Photography Class

1 semester – 1/2 credit

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Photography class is an introductory course in black and white photography and digital photography. The main focus of this course is to learn how to take photographs with great composition. There will be several shooting assignments with both black and white film and digital cameras with follow-up lab processing, focusing on the technical and aesthetic aspects of photography. Creative visual communication will be an integral part of this class.

Projects:

- Photo hunt
- Photograms
- Photography composition
- Close-up
- Textures
- Lines/architecture
- People
- Portraits
- Magazine project

Student Supplies:

- 35mm camera
- Digital camera
- 2 rolls of black and white film (**NOT C-41**)
- Photographic paper
- Pocket folder or ½ inch binder

Textbook:

Photography in Focus by Jerry Burchfield, Mark Jacobs and Ken Kokrda
(Only one classroom set, therefore reading assignments will be done in class)

Evaluation Procedures:

- Projects (development/enlarging/etc.)
- Quizzes
- Presentations
- Final Exam
- Time on task
- School grading policy

Class Expectations:

- Be creative
- Be respectable
- Follow directions
- Be on task