

Course Title: Photography 12

Course Format: Online

Credits: 4

Course Exams: No invigilated exams, some quizzes within the modules.

Description: This course is a basic introduction to the art of photography. It is offered to grade 11 and 12 students as a senior level elective course and is open to adult grad students as well. If you ever wondered what takes a photo from “good” to “great”, what it takes to be a professional photographer, or how photography started as an art form, then this is the course for you! If you are applying for higher-level studies in the arts, photography is a great way to see how the basic artistic concepts of elements and principles of composition are applied in the photographic medium.

The course is primarily project-based and having at least a phone camera is necessary! Having a DSLR camera is highly recommended, but not required. There are some inexpensive or free phone apps available that can enhance a phone camera to include DSLR-like options. Please reach out to the course instructor or office if you are interested in this course but are concerned about your access to a camera.

Course Modules:

Mod 1 – History of Photography
Mod 2 – Camera Terminology
Mod 3 – Composition and Lighting
Mod 4 – Learning from Experts
Mod 5 – Photography Categories
Mod 6 – My Portfolio

Prerequisites: None

Resources: Having access to any kind of camera or a phone camera is required. Having access to a DSLR camera is ideal.

