

PHOTOGRAPHY/YEARBOOK 11

This course is available to students from Grade 9 – 12 and will meet outside the regular timetable before or after school. There will be an opening survey to determine the student's ability to meet the time requirements of this course. Along with learning the skills of photography and creating personal portfolios, students will also take an active part in promoting and producing the yearbook.

Credits: 4

Purpose: To develop skills for photography and the presentation of photography through the yearbook and other projects.

Outline of Topics:

- Camera functions
- Photo composition
- Light
- Theme Development
- Photoshop
- Digital layout
- Yearbook Production
- Web output & Flash

Skills Developed: Students will learn all the functions of their cameras and how to take professional, eye-catching photos. They will also learn how to manipulate and present their photos for various audiences.

Assignments: Taking photos, making a personal portfolio, photo collages, photo essays and slideshows

Expected Homework: 1-2 hour per week (mostly attending extra-curricular events)

Materials Required: Access to a digital camera that has a manual mode is preferred

Field Trips: photo walks, accompanying existing field trips