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COURSE DESCRIPTION

CAP Photography is a basic photo class that covers the fundamentals of shooting, editing and analyzing still images. Included in the course in an analysis of media and the various forms that imaging might impact the viewer. The projects themselves will alternate between content that covers Historical subjects to contemporary images.

Expectations

Email me:

Attend Class

Come to class on time and be prepared with class materials. Follow classroom rules and procedures.

Be Engaged

In life the only two things you can control is your Attitude and your Effort. If you are engaged, I promise, you will learn something new!

Respect

Respect others, the classroom, materials, and yourself and we will have a great classroom culture!

Expectations:

Students are expected to keep a portfolio and sketchbook as part of their planning for their digital work.

Students are expected to work on their projects for the duration of the class. Students that finish their work early can work on the next project.

Materials



Absent?

Please email me and follow these next steps:

- If you are ever absent due to illness, it will be your responsibility to review missed assignments and instructions posted on MyMCPS Classroom.
- Meet with me on the first Monday or Thursday following your return in room 100 from 11:30-noon for Academic Support.
- A parent will need to fill out an absence form on the MBHS website.

*Any student in Active Quarantine will need to join remotely via the Zoom link for instruction and academic support on Tuesdays from 8:30 - 9:00 am

Covid Protocols:

- Students will need to wear their masks completely over their mouth and nose while inside MCPS buildings, regardless of vaccination status.
- Face coverings are not required outdoors, but strongly are recommended for unvaccinated individuals.
- Students will only be allowed to remove their masks briefly and step out into the hallway while actively eating or drinking during class.
- Students should bring their chromebooks and chargers each day.
- Students should wash their hands often and use hand sanitizer as needed, especially at the start and end of class when using video equipment.

For other information pertaining to best practices, please refer to the COVID GUIDELINES MCPS information: shared commitment to safety

Grading

In this course your grades are broken up into 2 categories Each of these categories are weighted differently. This means that a major project will affect your overall average more than a drawing activity or brainstorming assignment.

90%

All Tasks & Assessments: (7-9 Assignments) summative, formative, sketching, reflections, critique, etc.

10%

Practice/Preparation: (4+ Assignments) research, brainstorming, discussion, class notes, etc.



Secondary Visual Art Standard Grading & Reporting Scale A 8 OUTSTANDING C 6 ACCEPTABLE **E** 4 UNACCEPTABLE 7 HIGH D 5 MINIMAL Rarely demonstrates Periodically Frequently demonstrates Consistently Incomplete or mastery of the curricular demonstrates mastery of mastery of the curricular demonstrates mastery of insufficient evidence objectives taught at this the curricular objectives objectives taught at this the curricular objectives available. No student level. Evidence taught at this level. level. Evidence taught at this level. will be assigned a demonstrates limited or Evidence demonstrates demonstrates general Evidence demonstrates a minimal understanding of score below 4 if they understanding of some understanding of full understanding of content, concept and skill submit work related to content, concept or skill content, concept or skill content, concept or skill. with significant support. the assignment. There with some support. with minimal support. Errors or omissions are Errors or omissions are is no zero on this scale. Errors or omissions may **Errors or omissions** absent or do not impact critical and impact 4 = 50% impact understanding. impact understanding. understanding. understanding.