

Photography Rubric

Student Name: _____ Student # _____ Date _____

Photography Rubric	Poor	Needs Improvement	Good	Excellent	Total
	0 - 5	6 - 10	11 - 15	16 - 20	
Composition (<i>Lines, Rule of Thirds, Balance, Framing, Mergers, Cropping, Viewpoint, Angles and Perspective</i>)	The images are shot in a manner, distracting from the composition and leaving the image stagnant. Backgrounds are busy or distract from the focus of the image. No consideration of basic photographic composition techniques.	Composition lacking basic techniques. Angles, focal lengths, positioning of subjects and use of composition techniques will improve images.	Image composition has potential, but other angles, focal lengths, positioning of subjects and use of composition techniques will improve image.	Strong composition as effective usage of composition techniques. Your varied angles and perspectives prove you were creatively and insightfully considering your subject.	
Creativity	Photo demonstrated little to no creativity or was not student's own work. Lacked emotion, one dimensional.	This photo could have been planned better and improved. Basic, standard shot of given subject. Photo somewhat interesting.	Good photo (s). Shows good creativity and effort above and beyond the norm. Good, interesting pictures.	Powerful picture(s). You capture a moment or a subject well. The pictures speak for themselves. Picture(s) create interest for the viewer. Creative, well beyond standard shots of this subject-matter.	
Completion of Portfolio	Only completed one of the requirements.	Only has half of the audition requirements	Is only missing one of the audition requirements	Completed all the audition requirements.	
Interview	No knowledge of photography. Answers yes or no. Lack of enthusiasm, passive. Unacceptable behaviors.	Knows some general information about photography. Responses sound rehearsed or unsure. Typical behaviors.	Knows general information about photography. Gives well-constructed responses.	Exhibits good basic knowledge of photography. Well-constructed confident responses that are genuine. Positive and enthusiastic.	
Recommendation Form	No recommendation	Fair recommendation	Good recommendation	Excellent recommendation	
Notes:					Total