Kensington Woods High School

Digital Art 1

Photo a Day Assignment

Photo a Day – for your Photo a Day, you will take one photo a day for every day of the marking period. These photos a day should represent events, ideas, experiences or things you want to document from your life.

You can take your photos on any camera you have access to – digital camera, film camera, phone, etc. and you will upload them to a MP1 Photo a Day Album in your Google Photos account which we will set up together in class. You will then turn them into Google Classroom as an album (class comment on the assignment)

Each photo should be well-composed and thought out. You might want to plan on taking multiple photos a day and uploading your best one. These do not have to be edited, but could be.

What will I be graded on?

Give your PAD thought and effort; Photo a Day will count as 10% of your grade (part of your summative grade).

When assessing your Photo a Day, I will be looking for the following things:

- **Effort**: You are spending the expected time and effort on the work and photos are complete thoughts and visually complete.
- Purpose: It is obvious that your photos have an idea and reason behind it, it has meaning
- **Creativity**: You look at the world in different ways, with new perspectives, you create unique images and ideas.
- Risk-taking: You try new things, you may even make mistakes, but you make them work
- Variety: You address a variety of ideas
- **Technical Quality**: Your photos are of high technical quality (resolution, exposure, uses depth of field, shutter speed, film speed to your advantage)
- **Composition:** Your photos are well-composed (considering Elements and Principles, Rule of Thirds, how the eye travels around the photo)

When are they due?

Photo a Day Assignments will be due the last day of the marking period.

24 photos due Thursday, October 19 (photos from 9/25-10/18)

View examples of Photo a Day on the course website, pratt.kwoods.org