



Summer Task July 2023

SUBJECT: PHOTOGRAPH

This is your first opportunity to show your new teacher and your cohort your skills and creativity. We would like you to complete all of the tasks, which will feed into your A-Level portfolio, you must show consideration and presentation skills expected at A-Level standard and will be required to have with you on the first day to present to the class.

Practical sketchbook work:

1. An investigation into one of the following genres of photography, please start with an explanation of the genre you have chosen to work on and how you intend to show this in your own photography. You will need to find a suitable photographer to research and include references where found, making sure a minimum of five pieces of their work is critically analysed in depth. This should be presented via power point or Google doc. We will then expect to see a shoot plan and at least 50 photographs taken on your genre – please include contact sheet, screen shots of any edits and selection process to an overall best final piece with an evaluation of your work.

Genres – Architectural, Street Photography, Documentary or Fashion. This should be presented as either a PowerPoint or Google Docs.

2. A written report which should be 500 words based on The TED Talk – “How photography connects us.” (www.ted.com/talks)
https://www.ted.com/talks/david_griffin_on_how_photography_connects?language=enIn your report you are required to discuss how the artist’ style has developed through his career.
3. Please read and use the following website to help you write about the work of Gregory Crewdson. Please use at least ten examples to illustrate your understanding. This should be presented as either a PowerPoint or Google Docs. <https://www.studentartguide.com/articles/how-to-analyze-an-artwork>

Please make sure you read all three required tasks carefully and have the expected work and information included. Please make sure your sketchbook is named and any additional pieces of paper also have your name on.

If you have any questions please email Mr Eveson: l.eveson@springwoodhighschool.co.uk