

Basic Photography

Composition Challenge - Framing

April 29th, 2020



This activity is an opportunity to continue improving your picture-taking skills by taking photos at home.

Going outside is also a great option to add variety to your work, just be careful; if you decide to go to a public location such as a neighborhood park, follow all rules and remember what is being advised by officials in an effort to help stop the spread of the Covid-19 virus.

Your safety and health are priority number one!

The challenge for each day will be taking a few interesting photos using a compositional concept that was previously learned in class. Each day for the week will focus on a different subject matter but the compositional guideline will stay the same.

If you don't have a digital camera, feel free to use your phone camera!

*Composition concepts are the same no matter how the images are captured.

Things to keep in mind: Available light, contrast, an interesting subject, and of course the compositional guideline (concept). Also, it's a good idea to use the Rule of Thirds I combination with any other concept you're photographing.



Bell Ringer: What are some other compositional techniques that work well with framing?

This weeks compositional technique to focus on is Framing

Framing-- Shoot a frame where something in the foreground (close to the camera) is surrounding (at least partially) the subject. (Someone in a doorway, window or under something). Framing is also achieved with part of the image is cut off by something and creates a frame around the subject.

How to take a shot with framing in it:

For a framing shot it will require you to either move your subject around to find a frame in the environment. Or positions yourself in a way that a frame is created through visual elements in your image.



Practice April 29th, 2020

Framing photos of other people

Take three different, original and interesting photos with your subject being people

