



# Edgbarrow School

## Year 12 & 13

### Photography



#### **Curriculum Intent**

*In this ever-increasing visual world, it is important for everyone to consolidate how to communicate their ideas effectively. We aim to develop creative individuals, who are confident in expressing themselves independently. Students will be inspired by contemporary and historical practitioners to develop personalised responses using photographic visual media.*

#### ○ What am I studying this year and when and how will I be assessed?

Knowledge & Skills	Time of Year	Assessment	Homework
<b>Summer Task</b> , this is set on the <b>Y12 Induction Day</b> . Tell a story using only 24 photos.	Summer before start of Y12	Each project will be assessed using the four assessment objectives below: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assessment objective One (AO1) – Research and development</li> <li>• Assessment objective Two (AO2) – Experimentation and refinement</li> <li>• Assessment objective Three (AO3) – Recording observations</li> <li>• Assessment objective Four (AO4) – Presenting final outcome/s</li> </ul>	Students are asked to work independently on their coursework. The department is also open two days a week after school if students would like to work in the department or need further assistance.
Introductory Unit (Supporting evidence): highlighting your range of skills, SLR camera, lighting, studio, photoshop & digital editing	Autumn & Spring term of Y12		
<b>Coursework (Personal Investigation):</b> Structuring a A-level project with a personalised project theme, photoshoot planning, responding to photographers, developing ideas & experimentation  To accompany your Personal Investigation, you will need to submit a <b>2,500-3,000-word essay</b> .	Summer term of Y12 to Autumn term of Y13  Submitted at the start of the Spring term of Y13.		
<b>Externally Set Assignment (Exam project)</b> and concludes with a <b>3-day (15-hour) exam</b> : A-level Exam Project, photoshoot planning, responding to photographers, developing ideas, exam techniques	Spring term of Y13, concluding with a three-day (15hr) exam at the beginning of the Summer term.		

You will receive an Interim Assessment approximately halfway through the project, and a further written assessment at the end of the project. You will be given written and verbal feedback throughout each project. There will be time to respond to feedback before the Coursework Deadline in January of Y13. Throughout the Exam project you will receive feedback, but we cannot formally grade this work.

#### **Marking for Literacy**

(Longer answers and written work will be marked for at least one of the below, your teachers will tell you which.)

Sp – Spelling mistake of key term  
 // - Needed new paragraph  
 C – Capital letter missing  
 P – Punctuation needed

#### **Subject Specific Literacy**

<b>Line</b>	<b>Shape</b>	<b>Scale</b>	
<b>Texture</b>	<b>Shading</b>	<b>Exposure</b>	
<b>Form</b>	<b>Lighting</b>	<b>Tone</b>	<b>Colour</b>

#### **Expected presentation of work**

- The majority of work will be presented on PowerPoint.
- Ensure all PowerPoints are clearly named and labelled, and saved regularly to the correct folder/s.
- Final pieces should be printed and mounted carefully.