

PHOTOGRAPHY EXAM READY?

Group 1: 1st and 2nd April

Group 2: 4th and 5th April

Final piece idea

- ◆ Look at the inspiration provided and plan the final edits that you are going to create.
- ◆ Use your best ideas and most successful techniques in your final edits.
- ◆ Do not think you have to include everything you have done – be selective.
- ◆ Your final edit(s) must link back to your project!

EXAM PLAN

- ◆ Create an exam plan on a sheet of A4 paper.
- ◆ The amount of detail you include depends on your project.
- ◆ Use it as an opportunity to think through any potential issues.

Include:

- A list of materials you need
- Key steps for digital techniques & keyboard shortcuts
- A note of the best raw images that you want to use
- Key reminders to yourself e.g. photographer links
- An annotated sketch of your planned piece
- Your planned timings for the two days

Google Slides

- ◆ Check you are up to date - no unfinished slides!
- ◆ Be sure to have relevant photographer links throughout your project.
- ◆ All of your annotation and evaluations need to be thoughtful to show the progress of your ideas.
- ◆ Edits should be a high quality and refine as your project progresses.
- ◆ Final photo shoots must be presented for the final deadline. **MRS EDDY'S GROUP:** 19.04.18 **MISS JOHNSONS'S GROUP:** 20.04.18

On the day

- ◆ Arrive early to organise your computer / materials / camera.
- ◆ Have all of your final photographs saved onto a USB stick/exam login (this will be provided the week before the exam)
- ◆ Make sure that you drink plenty of water throughout and eat plenty during the breaks.

DURING THE EXAM

- ◆ Document your work on a PowerPoint slide throughout and save it to your USB frequently.
- ◆ Photograph any hand made edits clearly – ensure that you know how to use the school cameras, or bring your own in to use.
- ◆ Photo shoots can be completed in the ten hours within the room (objects only, you will not be able to use models).
- ◆ You will be able to look at your back up work, however, you will not be able to add to, or adapt, it.
- ◆ Staff will be available in the breaks to answer any questions that you may have.
- ◆ Keep an eye on the time – review your progress as you work and set mini targets to make sure you will finish on time.
- ◆ If something does not work as expected, do not panic! Review your options calmly.
- ◆ Take a moment to stop and review what you are doing every now and then – check back to your plan and back up work.
- ◆ Do not be afraid to adapt your idea a little if necessary.