**Single & Triple media production Summer intro tasks**

In preparation for Year one, you have some work to do over the summer. You are going to complete a set of photography tasks, to improve your skills.

**COMPLETED BY 4th September 2024**

**Why Skills?**

All vocational courses are designed to develop your skills in a particular area. Whilst you might be producing work to a brief, the main objective is to improve your skills. All of these tasks are designed to develop your  **RESEARCH** and **PHOTOGRAPHY skills,** both important skills for the media course.

**Task 1: Look Down**

1. Take a range of images of anything on the floor, think about composition & objects . This can be done with a camera or your mobile phone.
2. Make a contact sheet of your images (use google docs)
3. Submit your work

**Task 2 : Photo Essay**

1. **Research** “Photo essay” Produce a written description and also look at some examples. Include that information Below ( Paragraph - NOT COPY & PASTE at least 200 words - AT LEAST THREE examples of photo essays, on different subjects, by different photographers)
2. **Plan** your essay, what is the subject, where will you shoot. Include a couple of lines to explain your project.
3. **Shoot** your images - AT LEAST 24 images, shot on any device, but you MUST be able to access them in college.
4. **Submit** your work
5. **EXTENSION TASK**- If you have enough time, shoot the images for another essay.

**What is a Photo Essay?**

<https://www.colesclassroom.com/pictures-that-tell-stories-photo-essay-examples/>

**Task 3: Nature (close up)**

1. **Research:** Produce a mood board of nature images, this should give you an idea of the types of photographs you could produce and the types of composition.
2. **Plan:** where can you go and take pictures? This could be your garden, a local park or just on the street.
3. **Shoot:** Go out and take 24 images that you would class as nature photography (Colour)
4. **Edit:** Make a contact sheet of all your images.
5. **Submit** your work