

## **Graphic Media • Summer Photography Assignment**

Graphic Media Students will need to begin taking photographs as soon as possible. You will use these photos for references throughout the year. In addition you will need photographs to work with when we are focusing on PhotoShop®. You will not receive credit for work completed with photos that you did not take, so it is necessary for you to take photos to work from. Suggested subject matter includes:

- Photos of people
- Photos of places
- Photos of things
- Photos of animals
- Photos of patterns
- Photos of empty - vast areas
- Photos that show depth - space - distance
- Photos of texture

If you are taking Graphic Media next year you will be required to sign up for a photography presentation held during stripes in Mrs. Wilson's room. The date is not set yet but will be in Q4. Keep your eyes and ears open. The presentation will help you to make better choices when shooting photographs. Please take TONS of photos over the summer and throughout the year as well. There is no official number and no official deadline. Just be aware that you will need them.

## **Graphic Media • Summer Research Assignment**

This will be due on Friday, August 25th, 2017

### **Instructions:**

During a 24 hour period photograph every logo, trademark or branding element that you see. You do not need to stay up 24 hours, just take photos while you are awake.

# Graphic Media • Honors Course Description

This course is open to students who have completed Art 1 and Art 2 , have teacher recommendation, a minimum of a 93 semester average and appropriate conduct. Students in the honors program are expected to perform at a high level according to guidelines as set by the department. Extra work beyond the normal classroom experience will be required.

## Honors Art Requirements for Graphic Media

- Must be recommended by current/previous art teacher. Students that are not currently or recently enrolled in an art class should see Leanne Wilson.
- Summer Assignment: Student is expected to complete work over the summer which is comprised of a list of photographic references to be taken by the student and used throughout the year. This is essential to success in the Graphic Media program.
- There will be additional creativity projects each quarter. These do not require a lot of time, but do require evidence of thoughtful effort.
- Demonstrate purposeful brainstorming, design and sketching efforts for each project.
- Prepare work for contest that the school participates in.
- There will be an additional assignment each quarter. Students will have plenty of time to work on these assignments in class and during stripes.