# DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY CLASS SYLLABUS

PERIAX X



#### **MISS BERNARDI**

Welcome to Art! Miss Bernardi graduated from Michigan State University, receiving a BFA in art education. She loves to paint, draw, go to the beach, and play with her cat, Remy. This is her 3rd year teaching! Contact Miss Bernardi below:

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## IN THIS CLASS YOU WILL...

- Learn and demonstrate the fundamentals of photography and Photoshop.
- Experiment with visual imagery as a method of communication.
- Practice reflecting on your own artwork as well as your peers' work.
- Be exposed to many different artists and artworks.
- Learn how to turn mistakes into awesomeness!

#### DAILY MATERIALS

- A PENCIL!!!
- Sketchbook (either purchased or made in
- class)
- A camera w/ memory card or cord
- Positive attitude to create awesome art!

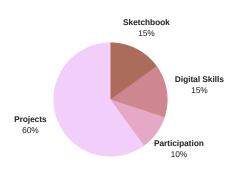
#### **EXPECTATIONS**

- Come to class prepared.
- Check the daily agenda and assignments.
- Stay in your seat during instruction--respect your teacher and fellow students.
- Participate and collaborate.
- Leave the room better than before. Clean up!!!
- Give your best to improve. Try and try again!

## ASSIGNMENTS

- Photography projects
- Photoshop assignments
- Weekly sketchbook assignments
- Pre-planning for projects
- Website building

## GRADES



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#### **GRADING POLICIES**

- You will have until the due date of a project to complete it. If you need more time, you must ask me for an **extension** (1 week maximum). It is possible to not have the extension granted if I believe class time was not used wisely by the student.
- Late work will still be accepted after the granted 1 week extension, but 5 points will be taken off for every week late.
- **Missing projects** / assignments will go into Powerschool as a zero until turned in, and only then will the grade be changed.
- There will be a **weekly grade for cleaning** up after yourself and keeping the art room neat for everybody. This is part of your participation grade.
- Having a **positive attitude** toward the class and putting in effort to try new things also counts toward your final grade.
- The **final class grade** is determined by adding the Q1, Q2 and final exam grades together. Quarter 1 and Quarter 2 grades are both 40% of the final class grade, and the final exam is 20%.

## **BEHAVIOR POLICY**

- 1. Verbal warning
- 2. Move seat / student conference (Powerschool documentation)
  3. Email/call home (Powerschool documentation)
- 4. Office referral

\*Please note that cellphones are not allowed in any classroom (high school policy). Phones must be off and in your locker. Having a phone in class will result in confiscation and detention to get the phone back.



### STUDENT AND PARENT SIGNATURE

Please sign below to acknowledge that both student and parent/guardian have read and understood the syllabus and what your student is accountable for. Detach and return to Miss Bernardi for five easy points!

Thank you!

Student Name (please print):		
Student Signature:	Date:	
Parent / Guardian Name (please print):		

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