

PBL SMARTPHONE PHOTOGRAPHY

PHOTO ASSIGNMENT -- CRITIQUES

Select your BEST photo taken during this class. Copy/paste the photo into a Google Doc so it is easily visible (approximately half the page). Use the image to answer the following questions:

1. The Image

Describe this photograph in 3-4 sentences.

- What is the subject?
- Where was it taken?
- What is the foreground and background?
- What makes it stand out as a strong photograph?

2. The Process

Describe the process of creating this image in 3-4 sentences.

- Where were you and what were you doing?
- What time of day was it?
- What did you notice?
- Why did you choose to take a picture?

3. Elements of the Critique (use the handout on self-critique)

- *Does the photo work?*
- *Do you know what you want to express, and is the message clear?*
- *How the composition?*
- *Is the photo correctly exposed?*
- *What about the focus and DoF?*

4. Photographic Development

Why is this photo meaningful to you?

What does it show about your development as a photographer?

5. Peer Critique

Share this document with a friend. Have them take five minutes to answer the questions in #3 about your image. Remember, this is not an opinion so stick to what is seen. It should not sound positive or negative--just include the facts.

OVERALL RATING: 4=QUALITY PHOTO, 3=PRETTY GOOD, 2=NEEDS SOME WORK, 1=POOR

Be sure to share this google doc with me
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