

GREAT NEWS!

A new Visual & Performing Arts elective has been added for the 2013-2014 school year. This elective is open to Juniors and Seniors.

Digital Photography 1A/B

Instruction by Mr. Bischoff

***** UC approval pending*****

Course Description:

This course will help the students become proficient in the fundamentals of digital photography. Four areas of instruction will be emphasized: cameras and lenses, composition, lighting, and photo editing software. Students will receive instruction, demonstration, and see examples of the desired outcomes. They will be allowed to go outside and shoot assignments, based on what they are learning. Finally student photos will receive both formal critique and peer review. Students will see what makes a successful photo and what does not.

At the end of this course, students will:

- Know how to use various features of the camera to have creative control of their photographs.
- See how composition can make or break a photograph.
- Be able to decide what type of lighting to use in a given situation to produce optimum results.
- Understand how to use photo editing software to improve the overall appearance of images.



A digital SLR camera with interchangeable lenses and raw-capture capability is recommended. (Both compact digital cameras and iPads are acceptable.)

If you would like to change your VPA choice for next year or add this to your schedule, please use the change form on the website to submit your request.

Deadline to add or change: May 15th