# **Portraits Project**

### Directions

This project is designed for you to experiment with taking photos of people in a Casual Portrait and Professional Portrait.

#### Requirements

Images must be of people with an upper body headshot. You will be submitting 6 images. Your images must be of two different looks (can still be the same person). Take many shots before you choose the ones to submit. Use different lighting styles for your professional portraits.

Lighting Styles: Paramount (Butterfly), Loop, Rembrandt, Broad

#### Considerations

Experiment with natural and artificial light. Use shadow creatively. Experiment with the absence of camera flash. Your shots may require some pre-planning and set-up. Remember to utilize composition principles; get in close, simplicity, contrast, etc. Strive for a unique look in your images. Work with your subject, get involved, and capture reaction/emotion

#### Submit

Your 3 best images of a Casual Portraits

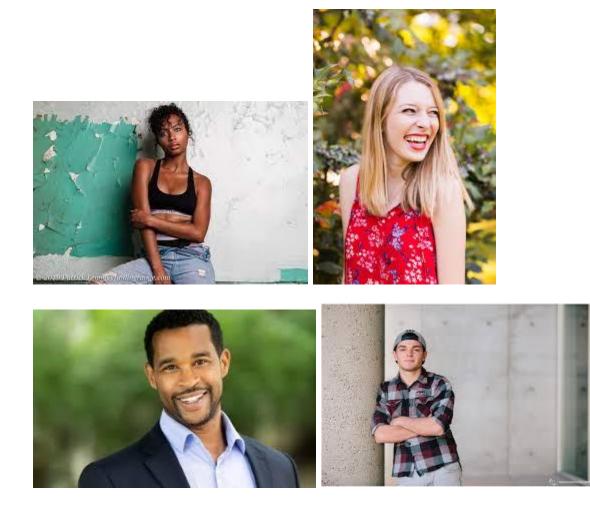
Your 3 best images of a Professional Portraits

Pictures are to be submitted digitally.

## **Answer these Questions**

- 1. What is the hardest part about taking a good Portrait Photograph?
- 2. What did you enjoy about this project?
- 3. Explain the difference between a Casual and Professional Portrait?

# **Casual Portrait Examples**



**Professional Portrait Examples** 

