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COURSE OUTLINE

Department Name:	Technology
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Course Name:	Photo Communications – college / university preparation
Course Code and Section:	TGP4M Grade 12

Course Description:	<p>This rewarding advanced portfolio building course focuses on skills, and knowledge in technology and the applied arts. Students will use a technical and creative process to explore a wide range of assignments through studio work and in the field photography. Digital software and cameras will be utilized, with traditional Photography to build a creative portfolio. Students will use the critical analysis process when evaluating their own work and the work of others.</p> <p>Prerequisite: Grade 11 Photography</p>
Strands/ Units	<p>This unified curriculum builds a working vocabulary, knowledge, understanding, problem solving skills, and encourages analysis, judgment and expression will be developed from a selection of the following portfolio building units.</p> <p>Unit 1 Review : grade 11 theory and technical skills Unit 2 Portraiture: studio strobes and lighting ratios Unit 3 Professional Copy Work: studio strobes and print matching. Unit 4 Night Photography: time exposures and special effects Unit 5 Table Top Product photography: commercial product shoot Unit 6 Theme Photography: individual study and presentation Unit 7 Emotion of Color: theory, expression and assignment Unit 8 Food Photography: lighting and camera techniques</p>

Assessment and Evaluation:

Category Weightings	Weight
Knowledge/Understanding	20%
Thinking	20%
Application	40%
Communication	20%

Final Summative Assessments	Grade Distribution
Term Work	70%
Course Culminating	30%
Exam	0%