

WEBSITE CREATION FOR PHOTOGRAPHY

For this class you will organize and present your photography through a website that you will create specifically for this purpose.

I suggest using WIX (or Weebly – that’s what our website is built with) and will provide tutorials for those – but if you want to explore a different option (at your own risk) feel free to do so.

File Storage:

Have a digital storage system that is dependable and easy to access. You can use your own computer to do so of-course but if you are going to be using school computers you may want to use your One-Drive or a portable hard drive of some sort.

Within this system have a ‘general’ Photos folder for photos that you already have taken or for photos that you take during the course of the year that may not fit into another category.

Have a folder for your “Photo Journal” and have sub folder within for specific dated entries (see Photo Journal project for details)

Have an additional Folder for “Projects”. This would be for specific calls projects.

You are welcome to create other folders of course – but it is important that you stay organized with these three folders for the duration of the course as it will help you organize your website properly.

WEBSITE:

Create a new WIX (or other) website.

This is a pretty good tutorial: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nIKbN5pBSXo>

It’s an hour long but will go through just about everything you need to know and your teacher will give you the time.

When you have the option to choose a theme choose “Portfolio” and Photography”.

- Make sure your website has:
- A killer front page with a beautiful Photograph (that you took) as the feature image.
- Has a menu bar with at least two pages featured.
- One should be “Photojournal”
- The other should be “projects”

To be continued

