

Word Photos

At the beginning of the semester, each student will be assigned ten random terms from a larger list. Some of these terms refer to how a photo is shot (close-up, high angle, etc.). Some refer to compositional concepts (symmetry, repetition, etc.). Others refer to interpretation of content (tempting, repulsion, serenity, etc.). Every week for ten weeks each student will shoot one photo that interprets a term from his or her list, and then post it to his or her blog with a two-sentence description of why or how they took the photo.

Using an online bingo card generator(such as <http://osric.com/bingo-card-generator/?title=1st+>) plug in the below terms and generate cards of 10 random terms for each student.

Three Categories of Terms – Composition, Visual Content, & Message

Possible Terms

Composition

High Angle
Low Angle
Close Up
Wide Angle
Dutch Angle
Rule of Thirds

Visual Content

Symmetry
Negative Space
Saturation
Leading Lines
Harmoniously Organized
Harmoniously Disorganized
Chaos
Geometry

Message

Desire
Cluttered
Tempting
Repulsive
Intimidating
Power