

Photography Sketchbook ideas

Guidelines:

Your sketchbook assignments are due every Tuesday.

You will always post your sketchbook assignments on your blog as an individual post

The sketchbook must be titled by week number, and captioned with the idea.

Use the technique or concept we are currently learning about in class

You may not use your flash for your sketchbook assignments

1. Photos taken without looking through viewfinder.
2. Photo of person you don't know, would like to get to know + 3 interview questions.
3. Photograph something that you don't like.
4. Photos taken from public transportation or car.
5. Picture signifying hope. Do you see hope in simplicity? Silence? Great music? How would this look as a photograph?
6. Picture that communicates simplicity. An object? A moment?
7. Pick some (or a single) of your favorite songs and try to illustrate it with an image.
8. Through the Looking Glass. (use real glass or mirror!) What would this mean as a photograph? Frame within a frame?
9. Visual puns. Fork in the road!



10. Extreme vantage point. You know this, this time make it even better.
11. Self-portrait, not of the face.
12. Your favorite blur. Experiment first!
13. Protest: How would you photograph it?
14. Extremely emotional facial expression.
15. Extremely emotional hands.
16. Photograph a glass of water
17. Photograph a pile of unfolded laundry
18. Photograph your non-dominant hand
19. Photograph a scene in a restaurant
20. Photograph a stack of books
21. Photograph a view out of a window
22. draw your school/sports supplies
23. Photograph bottles, cups, glasses, cutlery
24. Photograph children's toys
25. Photograph a person laying down

26. Photograph a person sitting in a chair
27. Photograph a typeface up close
28. Photograph *visibly different* types of trees
29. Photograph objects in your pocket - a mini still life!
30. Photograph game pieces
31. Photograph a part of your face
32. Photograph the same object edited with different filters.
33. Photograph your favorite photo from your most recent search (classwork).
21. Photograph a crumpled piece of paper. Make it interesting!
22. Photograph a brown paper bag.
23. Photograph an old chair.
24. Photograph a person from history in which there is no photo reference
25. Photograph an old person's face
26. Photograph a stapler.
27. Photograph an old radio.
28. Photograph an old car
29. Photograph an old camera
30. Photograph a pair of glasses
31. Photograph an open book
32. Photograph a bicycle
33. Photograph anything made out of metal
34. Photograph any tool you use at home
35. Photograph tree bark up close in three different ways
36. Photograph ocean waves
37. Photograph a pile of rocks in three different ways
38. Photograph a cup of pencils in three different ways
39. Photograph hard candy in three different ways
40. Photograph any fruit (sliced open)
41. Photograph any vegetable (sliced open)
42. Photograph a real mower (tough one)
43. Photograph a pine cone in three different ways
44. Photograph a seashell in three different ways
45. Photograph a banana peel in three different ways
46. Photograph an old cabin
47. Photograph an old factory
48. Photograph an old house
49. Photograph flowers in a vase
50. Photograph simple forms (cube, sphere, cylinder, etc.)
51. Photograph old farm equipment
52. Photograph a sailboat
53. Photograph people standing in a line
54. Photograph a bowl of peanuts
55. Photograph a bowl of nails

55. Photograph bushes or shrubbery
56. Photograph several eggs on a surface
57. Photograph your favorite insect
58. Photograph a flower up close
59. Photograph a thumb drive
60. Photograph an exotic fish

- 61 Photograph a feather in three different ways
- 62 Photograph an apple in three different ways
- 63 Photograph a portrait of someone that is a different race from you
- 64 Photograph water coming from the faucet
- 65 Photograph a creek in the woods
- 65 Photograph a pair of socks
- 66 Photograph an object that is moving
- 67 Photograph a Cubist portrait
- 68 Photograph a view from a window
- 69 Photograph a candle in the dark
- 70 Photograph three random objects from your refrigerator
- 71 draw a bowl of popcorn in three different ways
- 72 Photograph a set of keys in three different ways
- 73 Photograph someone peeling off their skin
- 74 Photograph your hand holding an apple (or other object).
- 75 Photograph your feet in three different ways
- 76 Photograph yourself as a cartoon character
- 77 Photograph a patterned cloth on a table
- 78 Photograph a wine cork in three different ways
- 79 Photograph a face in profile in three different ways
- 80 Photograph a candlestick in three different ways
- 81 Photograph a fictional woodland creature
- 82 Photograph a close up of grass
- 83 Photograph an object three times in different lighting
- 84 Photograph a pile of jewelry
- 85 Photograph a close up of someone's hair
- 86 Photograph a doorknob in three different ways
- 87 Photograph a bird in flight
- 88 Photograph a video game controller in three different ways
- 89 Photograph a pile of yarn in three different ways
- 90 Photograph a stack of dinner plates
- 91 Photograph a billboard in three different ways
- 92 Photograph hung drapery in three different ways
- 93 Photograph a water sprinkler in three different ways
- 94 Photograph calm water that is reflective in three different ways
- 95 Photograph a person jumping or leaping in three different ways

Photoshop Digital ideas:

- 1 Type on fire
- 2 Plastic wrapped type
- 3 Twisted picture
- 4 Scanned/photographed face with digital tattoo.
- 5 Layer two photographs together, see what happens.