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Edit Senior Portraits

- Select your favorite images from your Senior Portrait shoot. Narrow it down to two or three images per shot (portrait, $\frac{3}{4}$ and full length). Talk about your selections with your classmate to determine your best shots.
- Edit your selects by doing the following: levels, remove blemishes, lighten eyes and teeth slightly, smooth skin slightly, remove fly-aways (hair). Retouching should not be obvious. Don't forget to duplicate layer before you start your retouching!

How to create a Triptych

- After editing your images use the crop tool to resize your pictures so that the heights are all the same.
- Create a new document in the size you would like the final piece to be and drag each image into it. Line them up using the alignment tools.
- Alternatively you could make one image the background and layer the others on top.
- Using the Type tool, create a watermark > ©Your Name Photography, change the opacity to ghost the type.
- See examples.



Post your Senior Portraits

- After creating a Triptych post to your Blog.
- Write about your shoot with your model.
- Examples: <http://www.ten18photography.com/blog/2011/07/31/eugene-oregon-senior-pictures-justin-marist-high-school/>
- Justin had a perfect June afternoon for his Marist High School senior pictures. We worked at several locations in downtown Eugene that had a cool, casual look to match his personality. At one point, much to the chagrin of his mom, he even broke out an Oakland A's cap for a completely different attitude. Maybe next time we'll get to photograph him cutting across the lake on his wakeboard.
- Rhea couldn't stop smiling during her senior pictures! We tried to throw in some serious expressions, but she kept laughing and showing her bubbly personality for the entire two hour shoot. We're certainly not complaining though because Rhea's beautiful smile made for some lovely senior portraits. Catching the last remaining days of autumn in Oregon, we photographed throughout Alton Baker Park. The mix of bright and muted colors went right along with Rhea's clothing and of course, that smile.



Revise website entries

- Revise website and entries. Help each other and make suggestion to improve your site and your blog entries.
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Next Week's Shoot

- Couples aka two people. The pictures should be of two people such as best friends, a boyfriend and girl friend, a mother & daughter etc.
- Start thinking about who you would like to photograph next week. You should be prepared to shoot next class.