2 Expressive Self-Portraits

Advanced Art & Design I

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- 2 Expressive Selfies You may take more after, but let's start the dialog now!:)
 - 1. Take NEW pictures, not something from your phone.
 - 2. Make them very different from each other
 - 3. Create a mood. Get a reaction. Tell a story. Make me interested!

Criteria for 2 pictures

- CLOSE-UP. You may be doing something in the picture, but it should be PORTRAIT and not a figure.
- II. CLEAR, high quality photos. Nothing fuzzy or out of focus.
- III. CONTRAST/COLOR-
 - A. **VALUE** contrast to show form
 - 1. Highlights in the shadows, especially the eye
 - 2. Shadows in the lights
 - B. **COLOR** Keep the image color, not black and white
- IV. Strong Composition
 - A. You will crop and possibly tilt your photo to create a dynamic image

Think about these composition tips:

- Diagonals Head tilt, Eye's looking, Camera positioning
- ♦ Cropping ----->
- Overlapping Hair, hand, clothes, background, prop
- Breaking up negative space
- Rule of Thirds Consider if doing an asymmetrical composition
- Asymmetrical Balance Negative matters. Consider how you will address it in your work BEFORE you begin
- Seventy-five % Positive Space (your face!)

Think about **Principles** such as:

- **♦ MOVEMENT** to create interest in your artwork!!!
- **❖ VARIETY** of shapes within the artwork!!!
- **❖ CONTRAST** contrast of values!!!















