



A-Level Photography

Guidelines for a Letter of Application

If you wish to apply for A-Level Photography, please submit a letter of application to admissions@swchs.net detailing your interest and suitability.

The letters will then be shortlisted and successful candidates will be invited to a Photography Guidance Discussion. We have a maximum of 14 places available on this course.

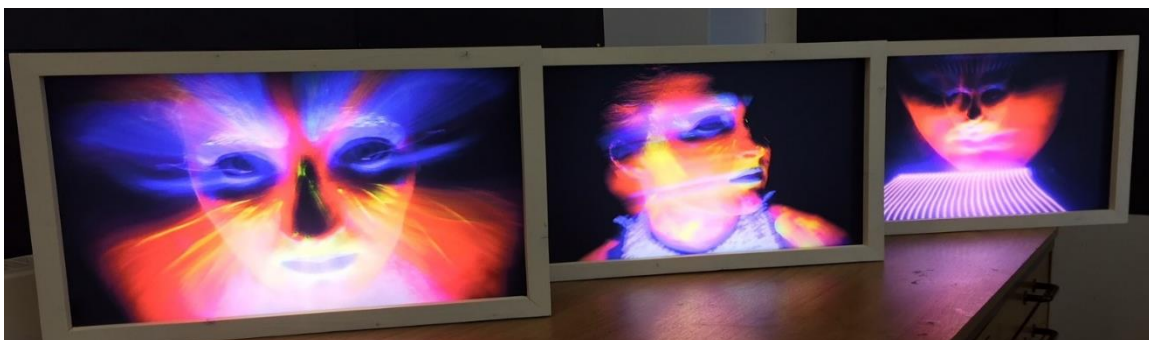
Please ensure that your letter of application is no longer than an A4 piece of paper, no smaller than 10pt and preferably typed.

Please complete the online application form at www.swchs.net and select A-Level Photography as one of your choices. You will be required to bring a portfolio of photographic/artwork to your guidance discussion.



We would suggest you answer the following questions as framework for your application.

- Introduce yourself – what GCSEs are you studying, tell us about your hobbies and interests.
- Tell us about your interest in art, creativity and photography. Why you are interested in this course and what experience you have in photography?
- Explain which photographers or types of photography you find inspirational and why.
- Why might you be suited to photography? What could you personally bring to this course?
- Do you plan to make a career/university choice relevant to photography? Please give details of your future plans.



If you are not successful with your photography application, what is your alternative subject choice? Please provide this on your letter of application. Please ensure that you also complete our online application form at www.swchs.net

We look forward to reading your application. Good luck!



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