**Applying for A level Photography at Loreto 6th Form College without the entry requirements (Art and Design GCSE)**

To study Photography A Level, we do not always need to see a portfolio of work, but we do need to see evidence of your interest, enthusiasm and a basic ability. You may already have an Instagram site or other images you could show us at enrolment. If you do not, you will be asked to complete the following task.

**The Research Task:**

* Select an artist or photographer for inspiration, or select a theme which is easily accessible, for example nature , light and shadow or architecture.
* Produce a short piece of writing presented in your choice of format (eg. Word doc, PDF, PowerPoint, Canva). Provide a brief overview of your photographers practice, then briefly analyse an image. What is your opinion of their work and the ideas behind it?

**The Practical Task:**

* Take a series of photographs (and edit if applicable) 10 – 15 images to demonstrate your enthusiasm and ability. We are looking for an awareness of composition, and creativity in your images.
* You should see either the Head of Department, or a member of the photography teaching staff to assess your suitability for the course.