

TIPS FOR TAKING YOUR SENIOR PORTRAIT AT HOME



This is your opportunity to submit your OWN school portrait for the yearbook! The photo you send us is the picture that will be in the yearbook. Follow these simple tips to ensure your photo looks great!!

GETTING READY

- **Wear your favorite school-appropriate shirt.** Solid colors or simple patterns photograph best. It is a good idea to wear something with sleeves. Avoid shirts with slogans, as cropping might cut the words in half. Accessories are fine but make sure they do not distract from your fabulous smile!
- **Clean the phone lens with a cloth.** This will make sure there are no smudges or blur.
- **iPhone 8 and higher users:** Go to Settings> Camera> Formats and select Most Compatible.

BACKGROUND & LIGHTING

- **Choose a background that isn't too busy.**
- **Don't zoom in with your phone. Use your legs to get close.**
- **Be aware of lighting in your selected spot.** Make sure you are facing the light (the sun, window, etc). If the light is behind you, your face will be dark.
- **Outside photos are great!** Morning and evening are best. if it is too bright, taking pictures in the shade turns out beautiful.

SUBMITTING SENIOR PHOTO

All students will need to have a senior photo in the yearbook. For us to place photos accurately, they must be saved in the format: **Lastname_firstname 12.jpg**. Submissions not following this format or the correct sizing cannot be guaranteed for inclusion in the yearbook.

Name the Photo BEFORE Submitting: We need to make sure that we have the correct Grade and Spelling for the Student. **Name it as follows:**

Lastname-Firstname - Grade i.e. **Flintstone Fred 12.jpg**

- ❖ **ADDRESS:** Submit photo by Email to: Yearbook@sw.wednet.edu.
- ❖ **DATE:** Before the March 31st, 2021 deadline.
- ❖ **SIZE:** Make sure the image size of your photo is 2" Wide x 3" Tall
- ❖ **RESOLUTION:** 300 dpi (High Resolution)
- ❖ **FILE NAME:** Lastname_firstname 12.jpg i.e. **Flintstone Fred 12.jpg**



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