

Mr. Gehly Lesson Plans
August 31-September 4th

Monday, August 31

Media Production (Periods 1, 3-5, 7)

Topic: Introduction

Activity: Students will be introduced to class procedures and expectations.

Special Effects (Period 6)

Topic: Introduction

Activity: Students will complete and discuss the "Film Encounter" survey.

Innovation and Design (Period 8)

Topic: Introduction

Activity: Students will be introduced to class procedures and expectations. Students will discuss Molly Bang's "How Pictures Work".

Tuesday, September 1

Media Production (Periods 1, 3-5, 7)

Topic: Adobe Premiere Pro CC Basics

Activity: Students will set up work stations and begin to explore Adobe Premiere Pro CC.

Special Effects (Period 6)

Topic: Special Effects History

Activity: Students will view and discuss examples of early cinema and special effects.

Innovation and Design (Period 8)

Topic: Design Basics

Activity: Continued discussion of Molly Bang's "How Pictures Work".

Wednesday, September 2

Media Production (Periods 1, 3-5, 7)

Topic: Adobe Premiere Pro CC Basics

Assignment: Students will begin to explore Adobe Premiere Pro CC.

Special Effects (Period 6)

Topic: Special Effects History

Activity: Students will view and discuss examples of early cinema and special effects.

Innovation and Design (Period 8)

Topic: Design Basics

Activity: Using simple shapes and lines, students will create an image that represents the essence of a nursery rhyme. Students will write a paragraph that explains their design choices.

Thursday, September 3

Media Production (Periods 1, 3-5, 7)

Media One

Topic: Adobe Premiere Pro CC Basics

Activity: Students will continue to explore Adobe Premiere Pro CC.

Media Two

Topic: Introduction to Magic Act Project

Activity: Students will be introduced to the Magic Act Project. Students will view the work of magician and special effects pioneer George Melies. Students will develop videos that utilize key-framing, chroma key and other special effects to create a magic performance.

Special Effects (Period 6)

Topic: Special Effects History

Activity: Students will view and discuss examples of early cinema and special effects.

Innovation and Design (Period 8)

Topic: Logo Design - Expanding Ideas

Activity: Students will view a variety of logos and discuss the evolution of design. Students will create their own personal logo.

Friday, September 4

Media Production (Periods 1, 3-5, 7)

Media One

Topic: Stock Footage Music Video

Activity: Students will edit stock footage to the beat of a music track.

Media Two

Topic: Introduction to Magic Act Project

Activity: Students will create storyboards for the Magic Act Project. Students will develop videos that utilize key-framing, chroma key and other special effects to create a magic performance.

Special Effects (Period 6)

Topic: Special Effects History

Activity: Students will view and discuss examples of early cinema and special effects.

Innovation and Design (Period 8)

Topic: Mail-Order Robot

Activity: Students will design paper robots and instructions to create additional robots. Students will need to consider the geometry of each fold required to create the robot.