Course Title: Communication Graphics
Credit Hours: 1 Technology
Prerequisites BIMM
Instructor: Mr. Ray Bowman

Resources
The instructor will provide textbooks

Course Description
Students will use industry-standard multimedia and web-authoring software to create computer presentations and learn business-style presentation techniques. This project-based class begins with software basics and progresses to blend text, computer graphics or illustrations, and Internet research into a variety of business and cross-curricular presentations.

• The skills you should walk away with after this year will include:
  o The ability to use Adobe Photoshop with a high skill level
  o The ability to use various hardware, including digital cameras, scanners, printers, computers
  o The ability to manipulate digital artwork and photographs
  o The ability to work within a team setting toward publishing the school’s yearbook
  o The ability to create better designs in ads, documents, and more.

Grading:
Your grades will be based off of the following things:
1.) Weekly work
2.) Project printouts - grade points will vary according to the length and complexity of a particular project.
3.) Bi-weekly photograph & thumbnail printouts – 4 times per 6 weeks (every two weeks), select 10 of your best-manipulated photographs
4.) Assigned yearbook pages.
5.) Quarterly portfolio – all your finished projects and photo printouts
6.) Miscellaneous Assignments - Grade points will vary according to the length and complexity of a particular project.

Rules:
• Respect, Attitude, Motivation, and Excellence.
1. **Be prepared** – Have all of your supplies on hand and be ready to listen. Arrive in a timely manner. If you are late – have a pass. When it is time to go, make sure you are ready and cleaned up before you leave.

2. **Respect property & supplies** – Use equipment in a safe and responsible manner, be cautious and respectful to other people’s property. Do not touch anyone else’s files/work without permission. Treat cameras and computers as if they were your own.

3. **Respect others** – Be kind, be courteous, speak to others with care and high regard.

   - *Accept the fact that whatever you do in class will reflect in consequences, either good ones or bad ones!*
