



# Photography Open Studio

Photography Open Studio provides current students enrolled in a session-long film photography course, an opportunity to practice and advance their skills outside of class time. During open studio hours, students may work on furthering their skills. While there will be a studio monitor present at all times, instruction will not be provided.

Students enrolled in a current film photography course have access to 3 hours of Open Studio time for each week of the session. **Students have access to a total of 8 open studio sessions and will have the option of attending any open studio as listed in the schedule below.** \*Open Studios are **not** extended to workshop participants\*

## **Schedule**

**Thursday | 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM**

**April:** 2, 9, 23, 30

**May:** 7, 14, 21

**\*No Meeting April 16\***

## **Open Studio Pricing & Payments**

Students pay for individual open studio sessions for the amount of \$30.00 cash only per studio attendance. Payments for session-to-session open studios will be accepted in cash at the time of attendance, to be collected by the open studio monitor. Students are not permitted to attend an open studio session without confirmation of payment. Unattended Open Studio sessions cannot be rolled over into the next class period and no make ups are available for missed sessions.

## **Studio Procedures & Policies**

- No more than 8 students will be allowed entry to any given open studio session.
- Open Studio hours cannot rollover into other class periods and there are no make-ups for missed sessions
- Be aware of safety at all times for yourself and all others in the studio.
- Students are not permitted to use any equipment or machinery that they have not been trained to use properly and safely, by an instructor during their class time.
- All tools should be returned to their designated place and should not be taken from the studio. Any damage to tools or equipment should be reported to the monitor immediately.
- All attendees are responsible for thoroughly cleaning the studio after each use. Please leave the space better than you found it.

- Please note, Open Studio Monitors are volunteering their time and are not expected to provide instruction.
  - Please follow all monitor instructions in regards to the studio, tools, equipment and safety.
  - Open Studio monitors will be happy to assist you in locating necessary tools or to provide support on general use of equipment if needed (providing students have been introduced to them during a class period).

### **Open Studio Monitors**

Open studio monitors volunteer their time and enjoy special pricing for all open studio offerings. Silvermine Art Center welcomes students to further their artistic experience while contributing to the community and we are always looking for more studio monitors. If you are interested in volunteering as a studio monitor, please contact the office at 203-966-9700 x2.