

# Student Life Photography



## THE ASSIGNMENT

Students can submit any student life photograph **created after Dec. 3, 2021** that addresses the prompt below. Submissions to the KSPA January 2022 monthly contest year are eligible to be submitted for this regional contest as well.

The editor of your publication would like to create a photograph to accompany a story about school spirit. Your job is to document what celebrating school spirit looks like for your student body. There are a variety of ways to approach this assignment. It may help to consider what traditions your school prides themselves on or what events bring everyone together. Besides events, students have lots of ways to support, celebrate and encourage one another.

Of course, this contest expects that you act ethically. Those ethics mean that you don't use software to deceive your audience. Consider ways that you can create compelling portraits without manipulating the truth.

## SUBMISSION

This category will use Better Newspaper Contests (BNC), for submission.

- [Click here to submit your files](#)
  - [And click here for detailed submission instructions](#)

## SPECIFICATIONS

The image must be uploaded to the KSPA online submission system according to these specifications:

- An image file saved as a jpg.
- When you submit your photo, you will provide your name and school name.
- When you submit your photo, you will provide a caption written in AP style and complete sentence(s).
- The image may be black & white or color.
- The image must be uploaded by **the visual category contest deadline**.

**Failure to follow these requirements will result in disqualification.**

## DON'T FORGET

No need to pretend that you attend Sunflower High School, our fictional high school used for other contests. Simply caption your photo as you would in your school's publication.

## REMEMBER: CAPTIONS!

Because this is a photojournalism contest, caption writing is part of the criteria that judges will review from your submission.

## Contest Info

This is a VISUAL category for the KSPA Regional Contest.

Students must not request help or advice from any person other than the KSPA staff at [staff@kspaonline.org](mailto:staff@kspaonline.org).

All work must be solely that of the contestant.