

Film Noir Project

Task: Create your very own film noir.



You will apply everything we have discussed and analyzed about film noir, by creating your very own. Sound/music, dialogue, costumes, set, props, plot, as well as typical film noir techniques are to be thoughtfully represented. Prep for a 2-5 minute short film.

As you create your own film noir, remember the examples we watched in class.

To review, watch the following clips:

[The Rules of Film Noir](#)

[The Basics of Lighting for Film Noir](#)

This film should be appropriate for class and will be uploaded to your blog.

You must produce the following:

- 1) 2-5 minute video that *clearly* is a film noir. It must represent some of the major techniques, themes and symbolism typical of a film noir.
- 2) Each person must write a two-paragraph reflection on the film process. Things to mention; your role in this process, creation of storyline, actual production and thoughts after the production is finished. What elements typical of a film noir did you attempt to incorporate? Did they work? Explain. Upload your reflection to your blog and submit your link to Ms St Clair by _____.

Competency (Film Genres)

10 points – Content (clearly film noir)

Competency (Film Techniques)

20 points – Content (angles, shots, composition, editing etc)

Competency (Communication)

20 points – Short film, story board, and rationale (film plot easy to follow)

Reflection

35 points