

JMG Student Portfolio

Introduction: A portfolio is used as a source of examples of your abilities and an introduction to who you are. Viewers will be looking for how you present yourself and your work, development of style, and whether or not you have the skills he or she is looking for. There is no single correct way to develop a portfolio. However, portfolios are not meant to include everything one produces. A person should “collect, select, and reflect.”

There are several ways to assemble a portfolio and perhaps the most common is simply placing selected materials into folders and placing them in a binder in an orderly and accurate fashion. However, portfolios have made their way into the technology world and many are being published online or written to a CD. There are several benefits to these electronic portfolios. They can include varied media such as text, graphics, video and sound, going beyond the standard pen-and-paper submissions. Electronic portfolios also take up less space, are easy to access, carry and update. Whatever portfolio you choose—keep a backup copy in a safe location.

The electronic portfolio you are creating requires you to reflect upon your own experiences as you have progressed through school (K-12) and to present other areas of your life and examples of your growth. Share your **biggest accomplishments** as well as your **biggest disappointments** (sometimes this is where you will find your most significant growth). Examine the items you regret not having done as well as your proudest moments.

You are encouraged to do a search on the internet for “electronic portfolios” to open your eyes to the possibilities that abound in creating your portfolio electronically. Please be creative in how you choose to introduce yourself.

Directions: You will create an electronic portfolio including the items listed. Your portfolio will consist of a Powerpoint presentation that contains links to the various works you want to highlight.

The following is a list of required items, but **feel free to personalize your portfolio with any other items you may want to add**. YOUR PORTFOLIO NEEDS TO BE A MINIMUM OF 10 SLIDES. BE CREATIVE!!!!

- Introduction page
- Reflection page on your past 12 years
- Greatest memories of high school
- Biggest accomplishment and disappointment
- Samples of projects/works you have produced
- Favorite photos
- Your resume (paper and video)
- High school transcript
- ACT/SAT Test scores
- Certificates, honors, memberships
- Recommendation letters
- Individuals who have had an influence on your life
- Your future plans

Grading Criteria

<u>Item</u>	<u>Points Possible</u>	<u>Points Earned</u>
Introduction Page	20	
Resume (paper/video)	20	
Greatest memories	20	
Accomplishments/Disappointments	20	
Sample works/projects	20	
Certificates, honors, memberships	20	
Recommendation Letters	20	
Reflection Statement of past 12 years	20	
Influences on your life	20	
Future Plans	20	
Extras (photos, transcript, test scores)	20	
Creativity	<u>15</u>	
Total	235	