

# MAKE THE CAREER CONNECTION

for

## ***PHOTOGRAPHY***

**YOUR ROP TRAINING  
LEADS TO JOBS as...**

### **Entry Level**

Photographer

Independent Self Employed Photographer

Photographer's Assistant

Photo Finisher

Photo Lab Technician

Camera Store Sales Technician

Video Sales Technician

Digital Art Technician

AND

may qualify students for fine arts credit  
leading toward college admission

Students will benefit by having knowledge  
of science for understanding lighting,  
mathematics and art.

## WHAT IS ROP?

The Baldy View Regional Occupational Program is a cooperative vocational education effort between the Chaffey Joint Union High School District, ChinoValley Unified School District, Claremont Unified School District, and Upland Unified School District. ROP's purpose is to provide a wide variety of career preparation at the entry and technical levels to meet the needs of high school students and adults.

Prepare for YOUR future NOW  
by enrolling in ROP ***TODAY!***

## ENROLLMENT INFORMATION

High school students should contact the Career Technician at their high school.

Adults should call Baldy View R.O.P. office for specific enrollment dates and available classes.

**(909) 624-0063**

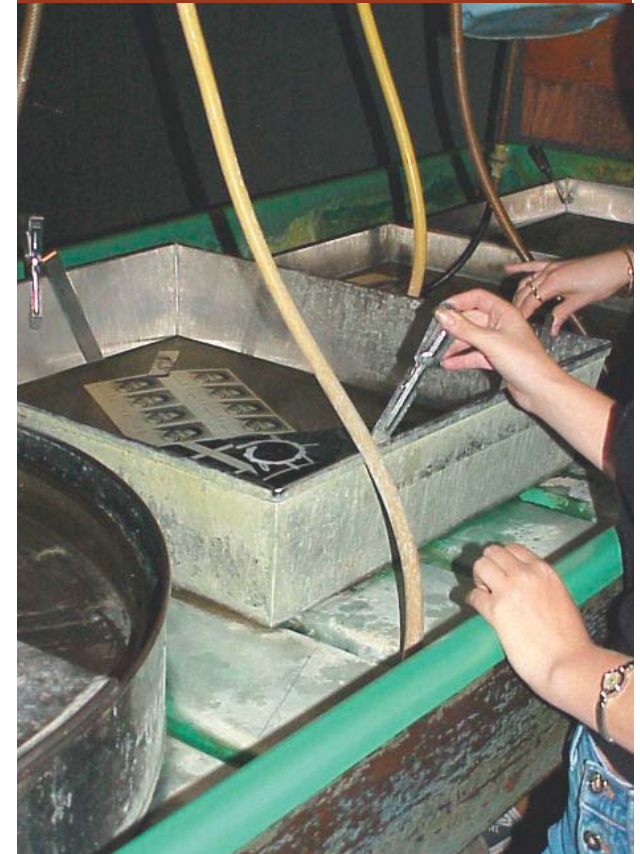
**[bvrop.K12.ca.us](http://bvrop.K12.ca.us)**

Enrollment priority:

- ❖ High School Students: seniors, juniors, sophomores, 16 yrs. of age and older.
- ❖ Adults living within our geographical service area.
- ❖ Adults living outside our geographical service area

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## PHOTOGRAPHY



A career preparation program designed  
to provide related instruction and  
practical experience.



## WHAT DOES THE PROGRAM PREPARE ME TO DO?

ROP's Photography Occupations will prepare you for a position in the photography industry. Classroom and lab instruction includes the development of basic photography skills, the history of photography and art, the operation of a wide variety of photographic equipment including cameras and film processors, digital imaging, and sales and marketing techniques.

Students will study basic professional skills necessary to be successful in the fields of wedding, portrait and commercial photography. Emphasis will be placed on entrepreneurial aspects of photography.

## BEHIND THE CAMERA

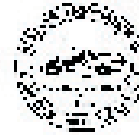
Taking quality pictures requires technical expertise and creativity. For example, photographers may enhance the subject's appearance with lighting or by drawing attention to a particular aspect by blurring out the background. Composing a picture includes choosing a subject, presenting the subject to achieve a particular effect and selecting equipment to accomplish the desired goal. By creatively applying the technical aspects of light, lens, film, filters, and camera settings, photographers produce pictures that capture a mood or tell a story.

The basic skills involved in all photography are the same: a thorough understanding of camera operation, lighting, composition, darkroom procedures, and the special properties of films and papers. Photographers use combinations of cameras, films, lenses, filters, and lighting to create and to produce the final image or picture. Photographers may specialize in portrait, commercial, news, industrial, medical, or scientific photography, or they may generalize in a combination of two or more types of photography.

## STUDENT OUTCOMES

Upon successful completion of an ROP course, each student will:

- ❖ Demonstrate occupational specific, communication and critical thinking skills
- ❖ Demonstrate responsible work ethics
- ❖ Demonstrate career/employment literacy
- ❖ Demonstrate effective use of technology



## ROP TEACHERS

ROP teachers know the job market, have business and industry experience within the field they teach and are credentialed. **LEARN FROM THE BEST WITH ROP TEACHERS.**

## EMPLOYMENT OUTLOOK

The photography industry is exciting with many opportunities as self-employed independent photographers as well as working in lab, mini labs and camera stores. Many photographers work as wedding, portrait and/or commercial photographers.

## SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS

- ❖ Minimum age - 16 years old or 11th grade
- ❖ Ability to work well with other people
- ❖ Patience - work can be repetitive and tedious
- ❖ Artistic ability and detail oriented
- ❖ Ability to follow directions and carry out sequences of activities
- ❖ Good communication skills
- ❖ Accuracy and ability to concentrate
- ❖ Ability to follow class rules and procedures

## COURSE LENGTH

One semester course - with option for advanced training

## ROP CERTIFICATE OF TRAINING

An ROP certificate of completion, including competencies, is awarded to students who complete the course.

## HIGH SCHOOL CREDITS

Upon successful completion of the class, credits earned in ROP are forwarded to each student's high school. These credits may be applied toward fulfillment of the requirements for a high school diploma.