

Wildlife Scenic Photography Check List & Assignment for Photo 225

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Please bring the images as .jpg files (should fill computer screen e.g. 1024 pixels or bigger), or if you know how to make a PDF slide show – you can convert your pictures to PDF format. You may use any digital images you already have. Most of the pictures can be taken while at the zoo or any park in Calgary. Bring a total of 12 images for presentation and critique. The images can be as is or they can be processed and cropped using image editing software – bring the best looking images you can. If you have posted the images to a photo sharing site you can present them that way but please group them together.

- Wild mammal – your choice (moose, wolf, and squirrel) not domesticated**
- Plant, Flower or Tree – try to present in an artistic or interesting manner**
- Bird – can be captive or wild; try to get a close-up picture**
- Arthropod - crab, insect, spider, crayfish, ant, butterfly – your choice**
- Caged animal – e.g. at zoo showing environment or cage**
- Landscape (prairie, mountain, river valley can include road, fence, barn)**
- Primitive plant, fern, mushroom, lichen**
- Any wild animal in its natural habitat (bird, squirrel, bug)**
- Wild baby animal – species of your choice, can include parents**
- Three other wildlife or scenic photos of your choice may include people**

Try to learn as much about your subjects, life cycle, and habitat – it will help you become a better photographer and make your presentation more interesting if you can tell us something about your subjects. Where possible note the technical specifications: camera, lens, F-stop, shutter speed and ISO speed you used for each shot – examine EXIF data on your camera or using an image editor.