

4th Year Film Studies Assignment

**Task:** To create a colourful scrapbook/powerpoint explaining the elements of film discussed in class and review a film. Please email(if possible) to [eimear.osullivan@stcolmcilles.ie](mailto:eimear.osullivan@stcolmcilles.ie)

**Method:**

1. Choose a film you wish to study.
2. **In each of the following you must talk about them in general (a short paragraph) and in your particular film.**

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| **Topic** | **In general** | **In my chosen film** |
| 5 People who work in the film industry and their **role** |  |  |
| 5 **Camera angles** |  | Include images from your film to support |
| At least 5 **film genres** with examples |  |  |
| The effect of sound/**music**/soundtrack in a film is to be explained and examples from your film are to be included |  |  |
| **Mise-en-scene** should researched (not covered in class) and explained in a paragraph | n/a | n/a |
| **Acting** | if you want you can comment on acting in general | Include a paragraph on actors in your chosen film |
| **Special effects/CGI** | Special effects/CGI and their role in the film industry should be addressed in a paragraph | Mention any special effects/CGI in your film |
| **Any other two elements of the film industry** (students choice, something not covered in class) are to be included also |  |  |
| **Review** the film you have studies. |  | Please note that the review should analyse the film using the headings : Plot summary, things I liked, things I didn’t like and give it a rating. |



Please note: One of the main things you learn about in transition year is the importance of deadlines. To help you get your assignment in on time I’ve allocated 6 lessons in the computer room. **One of your five grades will be removed for every working day you are late after the assignment deadline**. For example if the assignment is due in on a Tuesday and you hand it in on a Wednesday(one day late) the maximum score will be out our 4. If you hand it in on a Thursday, the maximum will be 3 (minus 2 points).

Good luck and happy learning

