



The Josephine Herrick Project

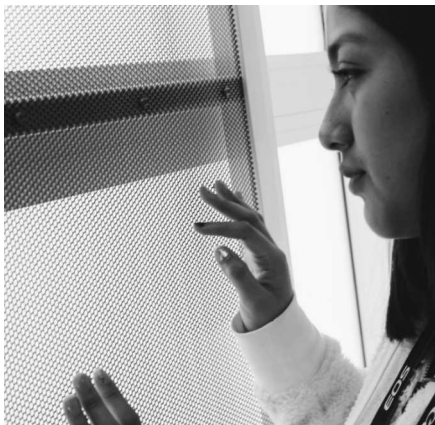
**Pan American International High School
Fall 2019**



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presents

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Through its photography programs, the Josephine Herrick Project (JHP) works to transform the lives of individuals facing social, physical, and economic barriers in life. We partner with schools, human service agencies, health care facilities, libraries, and community organizations to deliver customized and hands-on digital photography courses taught by professional photographers.



For JHP participants, the camera is a transformative tool, helping individuals build self-confidence and visual literacy, think creatively and critically, engage actively with their communities, tell their own stories, and advocate for themselves, effecting change in their own lives and the world around them.



JHP was established in 1941 by pioneering photographer Josephine Herrick to teach photography to wounded service personnel returning from World War II. Since then, our programs have expanded to serve a variety of marginalized and vulnerable communities for whom photography provides a way to share their stories with a wider audience.

About this Project

In partnership with the Pan American International High School, the Josephine Herrick Project presents a collection of images featuring the work of students who have recently immigrated to the US. For one semester, these students met weekly to learn basic techniques in digital photography. Their hour long sessions often included exploring their high school, taking portraits, as well as peer critiques. The goal of this class was to help students develop their visual literacy skills while engaging with their community. Throughout the course, students explored the idea of photography based careers and different genres of photography.

About Pan American International High School

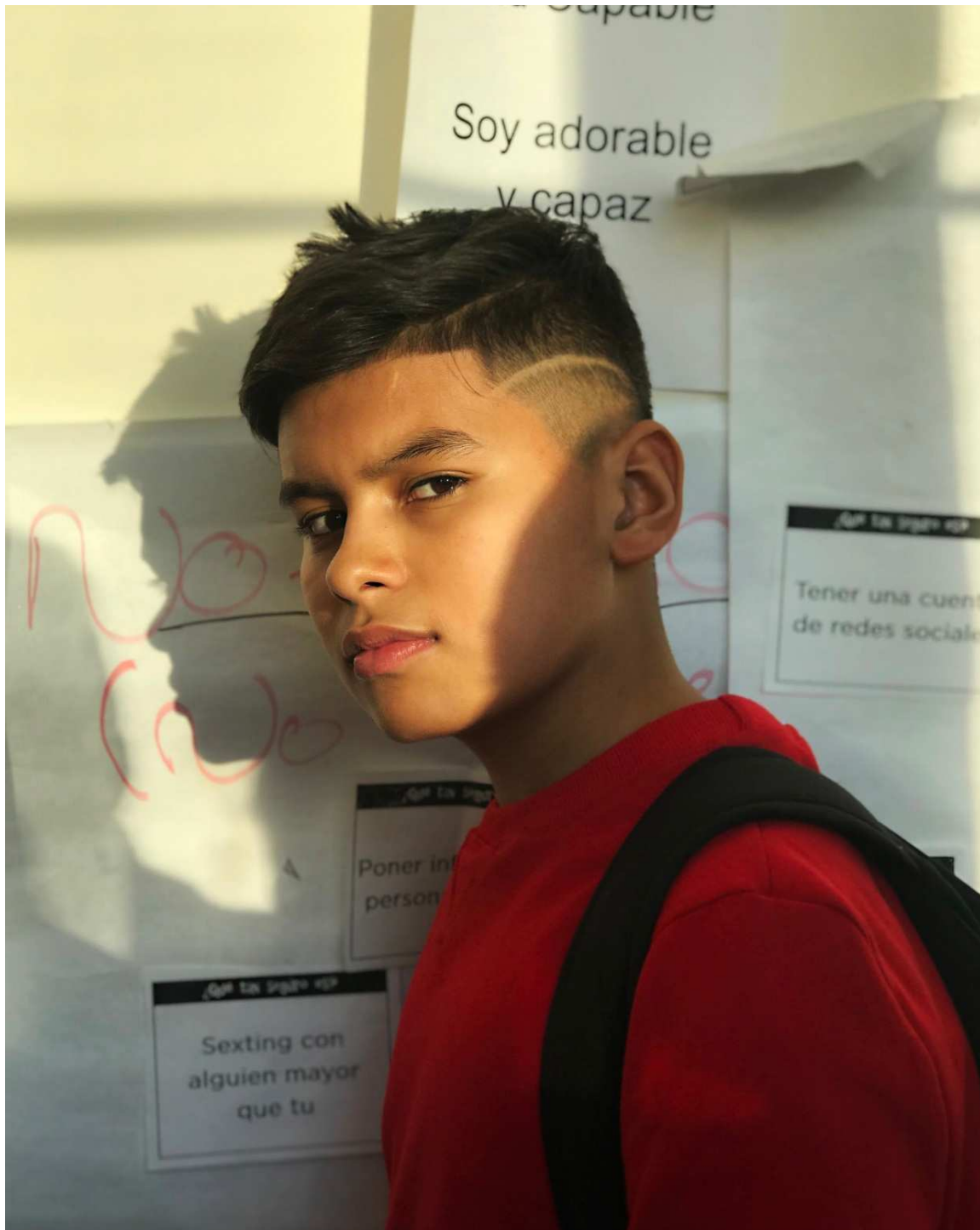
Located in Corona, Queens

The Pan American International High School offers a rigorous college preparatory program for English language learners in a multicultural educational environment. Pan American is part of a national network of International High Schools that prioritizes students of limited English proficiency who have been in the U.S. fewer than four years at the time of application. Once admitted, the students remain with the school for their entire high school career. They receive a substantive high school and college preparatory curriculum taught with a content-based English-as-a-new-language approach.





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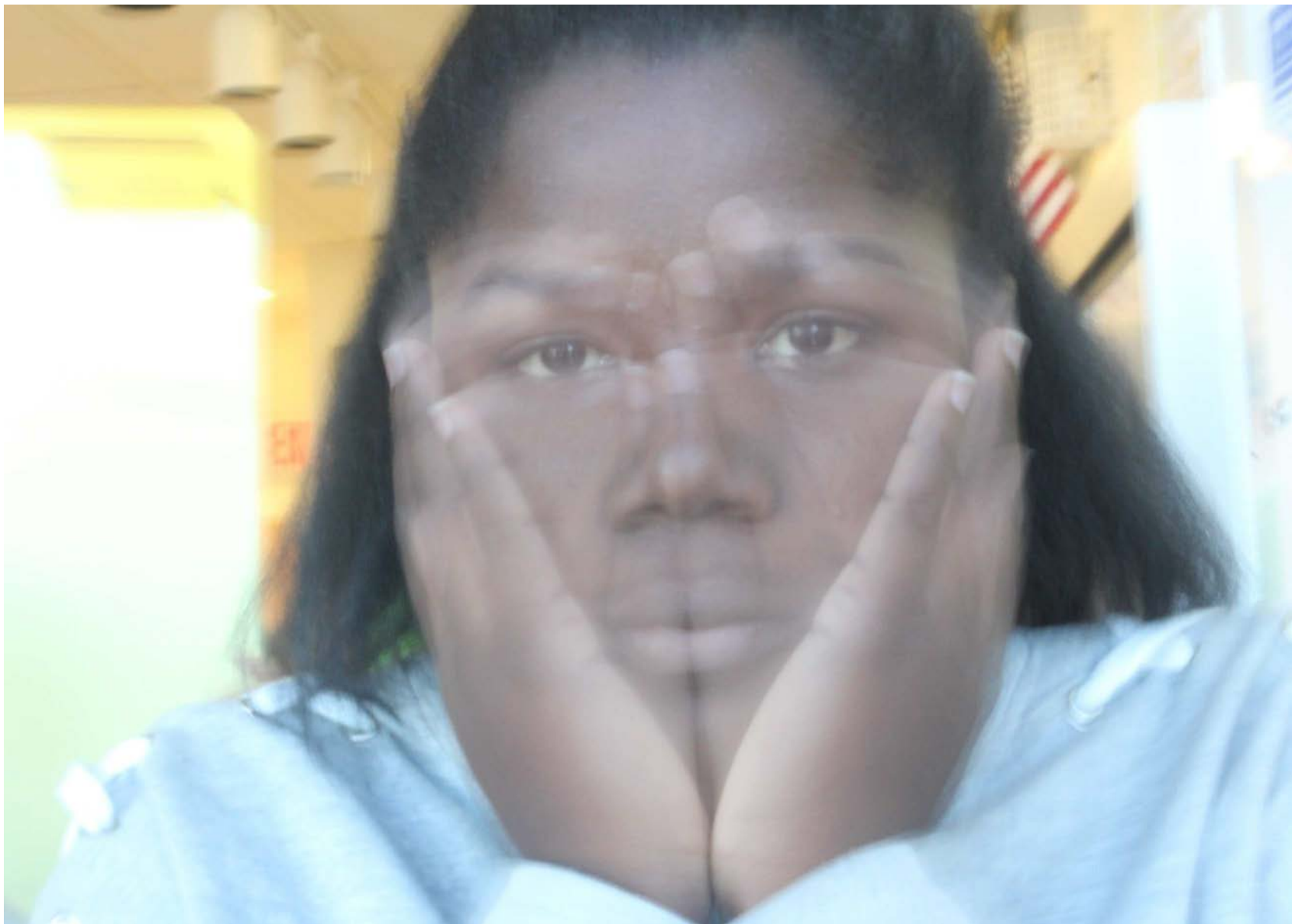
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