

20 Day Photography Challenge



Grab a phone, device or camera and take some photos.

Submit your favourite photos to the [Holiday Activity Gallery!](#)

On each day take a photography of:

1. Your family.
2. Your breakfast.
3. Your pet or your favourite toy and change it to black and white.
4. Your face in a mirror.
5. Something at night.
6. A light.
7. A plant up close.
8. The sky at sunrise or sunset.
9. Water.
10. Your dinner.
11. Some shoes.
12. Something messy.
13. Something you love.
14. Clouds.
15. Stars.
16. Something from a low-down perspective.
17. A funny face.
18. Something that makes you happy.
19. A shadow.
20. An insect up close.



Tips for being a great photographer!

- **Take a lot of photos.** Practice!
- **Background.** When taking a photo of something remember to check the background. If the background is too busy, messy or there are random people in the background then this takes away the viewer's attention from the main focus of the photo.
- **Lighting.** Natural lights (sunlight is the best). Try taking a photo of the same subject at different times of the day to see what light works best.
- **Subject.** Think about what you are taking a photo of. If you just take photos of random things with no meaning to you, the viewer may find the photos boring.
- **Hold your camera steady.** If you find your photos are blurry try holding the camera with both hands.

- **Editing.** If you not happy with the final photo you can edit it. You can make it brighter, darker, enhance the colours and crop the picture so the subject is closer. Check out what editing options your camera has.
- On this photo I used a fade filter. See how the photo is almost black and white but the green colours show through?



- This photo was taken with my phone on an angle. I then edited the photo by cropping the background out, so the focus is Bulbasaur and the plant. I used the photo editing app on my phone to select a filter that enhanced the cool blue tones.



- **Angles.** Try taking a photo of the same subject using different angles. Take a photo with your camera on an angle, up close, far away, from above or lay down and take a photo.

Photo taken up close.



Photo taken lying on the floor.

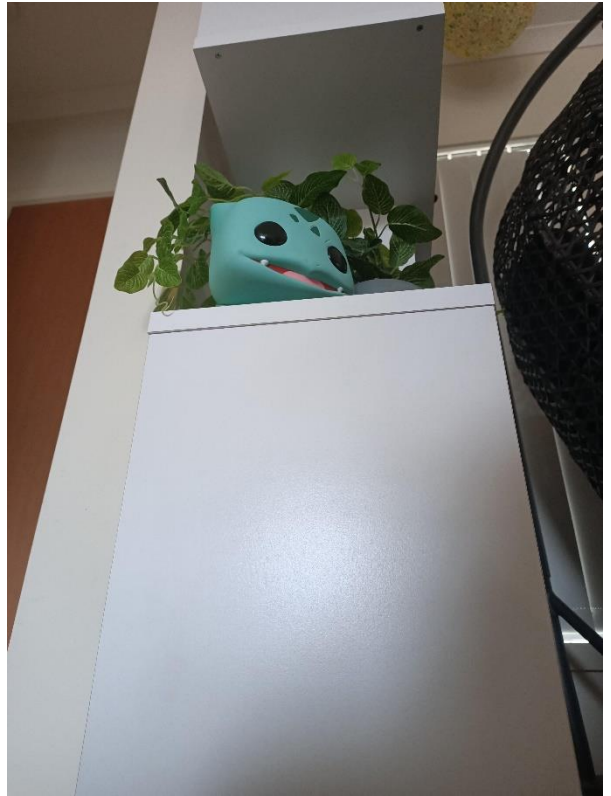


Photo taken from above.



Used the blurring tool to blur the plant



- **Rule of thirds.** Imagine a three by three graph on your camera screen. When taking a photo try having the subject where the lines meet. The subject will not be in the centre of the screen, but off to the side. Most cameras have an option to switch the grid on so it's on the screen. In this photo Bulbasaur is in the bottom third of the graph.

