

Caister Photography Club

All Saints Parish Hall, Beach Road, Scratby NR29 3AJ

We meet at 7.30pm every Wednesday and are a friendly club and welcoming everyone interested in photography, beginners and professionals alike.

Camera School

Exposure Compensation and White Balance tips

Quick tip 1 - Exposure Compensation

If you are using Aperture (A or Av) or Speed priority (S or Tv) you can quickly adjust the exposure by using exposure compensation, usually a (+/-) button or a dial. So for example you are taking a picture of people with the sun behind them they may appear dark. Increasing (+) will lighten them. Conversely if your image is too bright you can darken it (-)



Quick tip 2 - White Balance

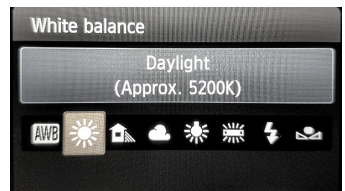


The camera is naturally set for daylight. If you are taking pictures indoors the lights may alter the colour of the picture (our eyes naturally adjust for that). You can adjust for the colour with the white balance usually a button marked 'WB'. The usual pre-sets are daylight, shade, cloudy, incandescent, fluorescent, or flash and are self-explanatory.

Quick tip 3 - Sunsets

If you are taking a sunset the camera will try and normalise the colours and the oranges and reds will be toned down.

Alter your white balance to shade or cloudy to bring back the wonderful colours you saw.



Join us for more fun and Keep Snapping.....

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