



## Art Lesson: Hye-Ryoung Min

1. Is there a difference between a selfie and a self-portrait?
2. How can self-portraits act as a reflection of an artist's inner self?
3. Plan out the details of for a self-portrait. . Where would you take it? What would you wear? Would you include any objects in it?

**Self-portrait:** A self-portrait is a portrait of the artist by the artist.

**Hye-Ryoung Min's** work explores the intersection between human relations and the inner self. Whether she is observing the mundane lives of strangers on the street; the comings and goings of her neighbors as seen through the windows of her home; the fleeting expressions of her niece; the evolving landscape of a city or the more than seventy diaries, which she has kept over the past twenty-six years, Hye-Ryoung continues to find in different subjects a reflection of her deeper self.

The **self-portrait** photograph above can be considered a visual diary entry dedicated to the artists' written diaries.

In this work consider the setting, pose, background, and other details. For more information on the artist visit her website at: [www.hyeryoungmin.com](http://www.hyeryoungmin.com)