## **Project # 2: Magazine**

Now that the Type Book is finished, we are ready to begin the next project. We will begin this project in class, but here are the details so that you can make certain you stay on track.

- Your magazine project will be a 12-page magazine, **including** your cover page. If you wish to go bigger, have final page count be a multiple of 4 (ie 12pg, 16, 20, 24, 28...).
- It can be autobiographical or on a topic of your choice that you're interested in. Please have your topic cleared by me.
- I encourage you to create your own content (writings, photos, illustrations).
- Any content you find elsewhere must be properly cited.
- When you set up your pages in InDesign, the measurements are 5.5"x8.5" (or 33picas x 51picas).
- You will determine the number of columns for your grid system.
- We will begin learning the anatomy of magazine pages, so you are expected to use these elements in your mag design.
- When the design is complete, you will assemble the layout for printing, then staple down the center of the spine to create saddle-stitching.
- You may print in black and white to save money, but your design will be in color.
- After the print version, you will be taking your design and adding interactive elements (video, music, etc) and producing a magazine that can be viewed on tablets as well as web browsers.

