



Digital Video – A Note to my 21-year old self

This video assignment will be a autobiographical video. You will be creating a video of you – talking/asking questions of yourself in the future.

All About You

You will create a short autobiography of you up to now. You may describe your family, what age you are, activities you like, fashions, trends, music you like, friends you have, etc. (This will help your 21-year old self, remember what it was like to be your age now). Use a google doc to write up the facts and stories that you plan to share on your video, so you have a guideline to follow. The video should be **conversational** in nature, not just reading your document.

Questions for your 21-year old Self

On the same Google Document, add a section with questions you have for your 21 year old self. What are things you would like to know about in the future? What do you think will happen? What will your family life be like? Is your dog still alive? What college did you go to? What jobs have you had? Do cars fly? Be creative and really reflect on what you might want to know about your future and what you hope it will look like.

Closing

Don't forget to have a closing. Think about how you want to end the video. You are telling a story, so be sure you have an appropriate ending.

Filming Yourself

Use whatever video equipment you have available to you to film yourself. Remember the 8 tips for filming yourself (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e9nOQdgSHOw>):

1. Don't stand with a window behind you.
2. Find a quiet place to film yourself
3. Use your headphone microphone
4. Keep the camera steady
5. Look into the camera lense, instead of your face on the phone
6. Keep it in focus.
7. Film from a Flattering Angle
8. Film in Landscape mode.

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After Filming

You will need to move ALL of your clips to a folder on your Google Drive, a USB drive, or an SD card so you can download all of your clips on your computer at school (Not the chrome book). If possible, try to number them so they are in order or label them with the content. Sometimes files will retain the order of their original filming (date and time stamping) this will save you time when organizing your clips for editing.

When you have ALL of your clips in your Folder – Title the folder as follows:

Period_LastName_FirstName_ANoteToMyself. (5Espinoza_Amanda_ANoteToMyself)

Share the folder with Mrs. Eitner. leitner@campbellusd.org with editing rights.

Attach your Google Doc with the written "script" and questions to the Google Classroom assignment and turn it in. You will receive a grade for both the script and your folder of clips.

Do not yet edit it all together. We will be working with your clips in class in iMovie.
ALL folders with Clips are due in class in Google Drive by Tuesday, September 10.