**7th Grade Final Video Projects**

**Objective:** Students will create final video projects using the practiced skills with cameras, microphones, and editing.

**Instructions:** Please choose a type of project to create from the list below.

1. News Story
2. Commercial
3. Mini-Documentary
4. Music Video
5. Talk show segment
6. “How To” Video
7. Sportscast
8. PSA (Public Service Announcement)
9. Other (with teacher approval)

**Requirements:**

* Each project requires a script planning sheet before you may begin.
* All videos must be edited using Adobe Premiere in class.
* All videos must be between 1:30 and 3 minutes long.
* You must save your project on the desktop
* You must adhere to the requirements on the Video Project Rubric provided.

**Materials:**

All equipment must be appropriately handled and put back in proper storage areas when finished each day. Please label anything that has not been uploaded as yours so no one records over it. Please charge any batteries/items that need charging.

**AUDIO/ VISUAL MATERIALS AVAILABLE**

**Computer Education Class**

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| **Item** | **Use** |
| **Adobe Premiere** | Video editing software we use here at JW. Helps you piece together video, photos, audio, special effects, titles |
| **Mini-DV Video Cameras** | Video cameras that use a very small mini-dv tape to record. These work well with handheld mics. They can be uploaded to computer using tape deck or cables from camera to computer |
| **Canon Memory Card Video Cameras** | Video cameras that use a memory card to record video. Must have a card reader or cables to upload video to computer |
| **FLIP cameras** | Video cameras that record video onto camera and then can be uploaded onto computer without cables, just by using the USB connection |
| **Digital Cameras** | Cameras used mainly for photos but also have capability to record video |
| **Hand held Microphones** | Microphones used to record clear sound from a person when they are being videotaped on camera. (think reporter) – plugs into camera. |
| **Table microphones** | Microphones used to record sound/voice when working on editing. Mic (usb or stereo input) usually plugs right into computer. |
| **Back drop** | A curtain or color, or even a special setting chosen behind the person/people you are taping so that the surroundings cannot be seen |
| **DVD/CD/ Flashdrive** | The different types of media you may choose to put your final video project on. Also can be used to bring in special music of your choice. |
| **DVD/CD Sleeves** | Soft or hard cases to put your final DVD/CD creations in to keep from getting scratched |
| **Royalty Free Music** | Due to copyright issues on the main stream music you may want to use, it is best to use Royalty Free Music, meaning you don’t owe anyone money for using their music! |
| **Battery Chargers** | Many video cameras come with batteries and battery chargers. Please use these to make sure the battery is charged for the next day. |
| **Charging Bays** | These are the battery chargers that hold many AA batteries for digital cameras. Be sure to place any batteries in this charger for a recharge. |