

Flipped Classroom

Top 9 List to Make Great Video Lessons

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1. Personalize for Relationship.

Use Picture In Picture (PIP) video.

2. Annotate for Attention.

Use annotation tools to highlight, circle, underline and draw attention to your focus of discussion. Just like on a whiteboard/smartboard.

3. Lighting for Expressions.

Make sure your PIP video is well lit and your face is not in a dark shadow. The viewer should be able to see your expressions.

4. Audio to Be Heard.

Make sure your audio is loud and clear with no static.

5. Size to Be Seen.

Make sure your text and images are large enough to be easily readable, even on a small (mobile phone) screen.

6. Length for Digestibility.

10 minutes max is ideal.

You can stretch to 12 to 15 minutes on occasion but not regularly. You can always break it up into two shorter ones, even if it's 5 and 10 or 8 & 7 or 10 & 10.

7. No Copyrighted Material.

Be sure to not use copyrighted material in your video lessons.

This includes printed material and websites. Use Reference Links (on the video upload screen in CFE) to link to websites.

8. Record Once, Use Forever.

Focus on Content.

Do not refer to any date/time or specific material, e.g. days, dates, tomorrow, textbooks, page/chapter numbers, etc. That is, any reference that could change and cause you to redo the lesson.

Use the Lesson Assignment section in CrazyForEducation.

9. Review to Verify.

Review your video for the above points. You don't have to play it in full but start it then skip through to several points throughout the length.



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