

Activity Preparation and Assignment

Using video/pictures for the visual, 2 to 4 audio files, and special effects, create a music video that will tell a story or sell a product. The production should be at least 60 seconds but not more than 90 seconds long. Create a project folder entitled [insert your name] music video to hold images, audio, video, and other project files.

Produce a music video using the following directions:

- 1. Determine a theme for the music video, key it, and have the theme approved by the instructor. (See Instructor's Approval Form.)
- 2. Gather *only* the content for the project:
 - a. Video recorded on a video camera
 - b. Pictures (Scan at 150 ppi resolution; save as TIFF files.)
 - c. Name video clips and other digital images with recognizable, easy-to-remember names and the order in which they will be used
 - d. Audio files.
- 3. Use 2 to 4 audio files to create the audio layer for your music video sequence.
- 4. Use appropriate fade techniques for audio files.
- 5. Once the audio track is put together the way you like it, place your video, pictures, and/or images over the appropriate audio.
- 6. Use different transition effects between each image/picture.
- 7. Save as a movie file and export the file to the project folder.
- 8. Copy the movie file to a CD, or other medium, as directed by instructor.
- 9. Submit a print screen of the files in the project folder in Details view and a print screen of your timeline from the video software.

Resources

Web sites (and/or keywords to use for search):

http://hotwired.lycos.com/webmonkey/multimedia/audio_mp3/

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Key words: *audio, video, CD burning, multimedia creation* and/or the word *tutorial* with any of the key words