**Digital and Interactive Media**

Exporting Video: Teacher Directions

1. Exporting videos
2. Procedure
   * 1. Open a current video project with the video editing software, or use

“Exporting Video Files Lesson Stock Footage” file

* + - 1. You will need to have some sort of footage in the timeline in order to export
         1. If the timeline is left empty, an error message will pop up prompting the students to add content before proceeding
    1. Choose necessary format
       1. This will be determined by the intended use for the video
          1. disc (burned to dvd or blue-ray)
          2. online
          3. computer (viewing on other computers)
          4. mobile phones and players
          5. tape (recoding to DV tape)
    2. Export video
       1. Choose the “save” location
          1. Browse your computer to find the proper place to store the file.
       2. Chose proper export settings
          1. this is determined by the way the video will be used
          2. **the default is fine in most cases**
       3. Click “save” to begin export
       4. Wait patiently as program renders the footage
          1. close all non-essential programs before beginning as they may cause problems with the rendering process
    3. Locate exported video
       1. In case of issues/errors during saving process
       2. not having to reopen software saves time
       3. allows multiple file types to be saved while the program is still running
    4. Test exported video
       1. testing prior to closing software ensures that the file rendered and saved correctly, and that it is ready to be used outside of editing software