**Practice Script**

Directions:

*Follow the instructions given by your teacher as he/she walks you through the process of writing a movie script.*

1. Enter your name, address, and phone number in the upper-right hand corner.

II. Enter the effect:

FADE IN

1. Enter the location:

EXT Suburban neighborhood street on a sidewalk in front of houses

IV. Enter the description:

MARY is walking hurriedly down the sidewalk with a frantic look on her face looking side to side. JOHN is approaching her from the opposite direction.

V. Enter the dialog:

JOHN

Mary, you look worried. What’s wrong?

VI. Enter the dialog with character direction:

MARY

(Stopping to catch her breath)

My pet dog, Spot, has gotten out of the house and I can’t find him anywhere!

JOHN

(Looking across the street and pointing)

Is that Spot over there in the trash?

MARY

(Looking across the street and seeing SPOT, smiles)

Yes! That’s him. Thank you, John.

(Starting across the street) Spot, you bad dog! Come right here!

SPOT

(Looking up, covered with garbage)

Bark! Bark!

VII. Enter the effect:

FADE OUT