

ACTIVITIES FOR YOUNG ADULTS



SUMMER READ BOOK TRAILER AND BOOK REVIEW COMPETITION

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What is a Book Trailer or Book Review?

A book trailer is like a movie trailer for books. It uses a variety of multimedia including images, sounds, video, animation, music and words to compel the viewer to read the book. It has to be captivating, engaging and persuasive.

A video book review is exactly like a book review, except captured on film instead of on paper.

Winners from the 2010/2011 Summer Read.Flip.Win Competition

<http://loganlibraryya.wordpress.com/2011/02/03/summer-read-flip-win-winners/>

Book Trailer examples

Hunger Games by Suzanne Collins

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1FC06zY9z44&feature=related>

The Monstrumologist by Rick Yancey

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WCzqKrAsVwM>

Angel by L.A. Weatherly

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YfQOojvkc3E>

Rangers Apprentice – John Flanagan

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YW_dRt9tsxE&feature=related

More....

<http://sandyhouse-isintobooks.wikispaces.com/Book+trailers>

Some Book Review examples

City of Bones by Cassandra Clare

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sTFgl5zMt6s&feature=related>

Anna and the French kiss

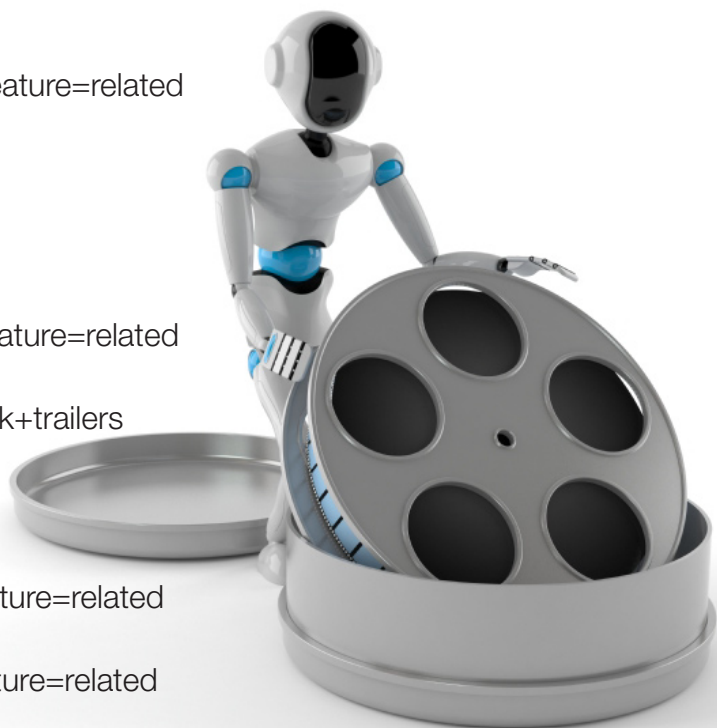
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=10lfph8ntUo&feature=related>

The Hunger games by Suzanne Collins

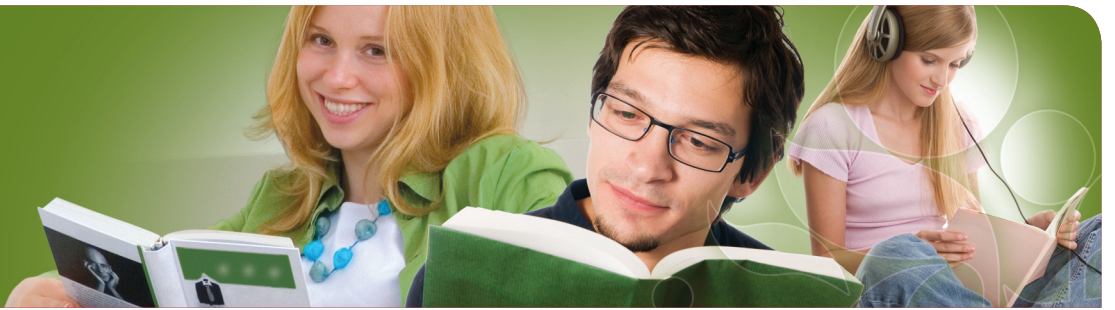
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yQkEiw9Lcrk&feature=fwrel>

Shiver by Maggie Stiefvater

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XWL95QAYMNk&feature=related>



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Part 1 - How to create your own book trailer/book review

Choose and read the book

Review the book - what was good, unique, interesting, etc. - brainstorm/list/mindmap

Write a first draft - impressions, the feeling, important points

Create a storyboard - break it down into how you would like the clip to run

Plan effects - transitions, sound, colouring, etc.

Create the book trailer/review

Part 2 - What tools can I use to create a book trailer?

Tools

Windows Movie Maker (PC Desktop) -

<http://explore.live.com/windows-live-movie-maker>

Microsoft Photo Story 3 (PC Desktop) -

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k1rJm5HqN9A>

Animoto - <http://animoto.com/>

iMovie (Mac) -

<http://www.apple.com/ilife/imovie/>

Music

Jamendo - <http://www.jamendo.com/en>

Free Play Music - <http://www.freeplaymusic.com>

CC Mixer - <http://ccmixter.org/>

Incompetech - <http://incompetech.com>

Images

FlickrCC - <http://flickrcc.bluemountains.net/flickrCC/index.php>

Flickr Storm - <http://flickrstorm.com/>

Compfight - <http://compfight.com/>

CC Search - <http://search.creativecommons.org/>



Part 3 - What tools can I use to create a book review?

Webcam, Video camera, Flipcam, Camera, Mobile phone and computer

Try and include Title and Author, plot summary, main characters, setting and personal opinion.

