

Moving Video from YouTube to the Presentation Station

This guide walks you through how to download and convert videos from YouTube so you can use them on your presentation station.

1. Find the YouTube video you want.

NOTE: YouTube is intentionally blocked on student computers so you must use your classroom workstation (teacher computer) to get to YouTube.

2. Copy the URL.

NOTE: The URLs tend to be pretty long so make sure you copy all of it. For example - http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JX3VmDgiFnY&eurl=http://7.gmodules.com/ig/ifr?url=http://www.google.com/ig/modules/youtube_videos.xml&nocache=0&ifpctok=-87199187

3. Go to <http://www.zamzar.com/url/> and follow the steps on the page.

<p>Step 1</p> <p>Select files or URL to convert (up to 100MB in size):</p> <p><input type="text" value="http://"/> <input type="button" value="Add URL"/></p>	<p>Step 2</p> <p>Choose the format to convert to:</p> <p>Convert file(s) to: <input type="button" value="v"/></p>	<p>Step 3</p> <p>Enter your email address to receive converted file:</p> <p><input type="text"/></p>	<p>Step 4</p> <p>Convert (by clicking you agree to our Terms of Service)</p> <p><input type="button" value="Convert"/></p>
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Step 1 Paste the YouTube video URL into the window in step one. Make sure that you click after you paste in the URL.

Step 2 Choose the format that you want use for the video file. Windows based student computers should be able to play .wmv, .avi or .mpg in Windows Media Player. If you are not sure which you want to use choose .wmv. Mac based student computers should be able to play .mov files in QuickTime.

Step 3 Enter an email address that you can access from a school computer. For most people that would be their seattleschools.org email.

Step 4 Click convert

4. Zamzar will send you a link via the email address you used in step 4. It could take 30 min to several hours to get the link. Once you receive the email you can log onto your presentation station, retrieve the link through your webmail and then click it to download the converted file.
5. Click on the downloaded file to play it in windows media player.