

Re-creating a Scene from a Book

California State Standard:

- *English Standard – 2.4 – Speaking Applications – Students will be able to deliver oral responses to literature by supporting viewpoints, demonstrating awareness of author’s style, and assessing perception in text.*
- *English (10-11) Standard 2.2 – Writing Application – students will be able to write and demonstrate responses to literature.*

Time: 5 days

Objective:

Students will:

- Watch a scene from movie that was adaptation the big screen
- discuss the market for book adaptations
- find a scene from a book that could be turned into a visual interpretation
- Re-write, film, and edit a scene from a book and turn into a visual form.

KNOWLEDGE	SKILLS
Understanding video equipment.	Using video equipment.
Understanding editing techniques.	Using editing techniques.
Children’s books and videos.	Oral Communication.

Assignment:

In your group you are to find a book and re-create scene from the book.

1. Find a book or short story and submit for approval.
2. Complete treatment form.
3. Begin writing a script.
4. Storyboard out completely.
5. Separate group to find pictures if needed, audio for narrative, and also locations.
6. Film, edit, and then finish with narrative and music combined.
7. Create a poster depicting your scene with a one-line catch phrase.

Requirements:

Your **Scene from a Book video** must contain the following:

- A two-camera shot
- A script that contains dialogue, framing shots, actions, editing instructions, and any SFX
- A variety of visual setting
- Clear sound – and visuals (no clutter in backgrounds)
- A creative and lively approach to matter
- Clear editing
- Content must be G

Evaluation:

- I want excellent editing, good music, and good voice-overs.
- Creativity with how to show visuals.
- Clear beginning, middle, and end to the scene.
- Poster