

Lesson Plan

NEUROHEADWAY

Neuroscience Into Education



Primary School - Lesson Plan One

Introduction and Exploration of Filmmaking

Slide	Subject	Description	Timing
1	Introduction	Introduce yourself and the workshops to the class and call the register.	3 mins
2	What is filmmaking?	An introduction to the process and art of filmmaking, to include a brief explanation of pre-production, production and post-production.	5 mins
3	Favourite films	Start a class discussion about the student's favourite films and what they like about them. Could compile a mind-map of this information on the board.	10 mins
4	The history of film	Give a brief explanation of the history of film and how it has developed to how we know it today. Looking at the Lumiere Brothers and the birth of film.	5 mins
5	Film Genres	Explain the many different film genres and the standards that are expected in each, such as story style or cinematography. To include : Action and Adventure, Film Noir, Comedy, Documentary, Science Fiction, Western, Musical and Biographical films.	10 mins
6	Developing a film concept	Start a class discussion about the genre and topic of their own film. Using the board to write down and develop the ideas from the students to arrive at an agreed concept.	10 min
7	Story-boards	Students are to make their own storyboards of any idea for a film, this is to practise how to create an effective storyboard that is easy to follow when filming and editing.	10 mins
8	End of session	Brief recap on what we've learnt. Set homework to discuss with friends and family what it is that makes a film appealing to an audience.	2 mins