

TELC level 7.2 L/S
Digital Storytelling Assignment

Due date: October 28 (Script due October 12)
Length: 1-2 minutes
Format: Windows Media Video

In this project, you will be using digital media to tell a story from your life, or the life of someone important to you.

Part I: Finding Your Story (Week 1)

We are going to begin to discuss storytelling ideas in class. Each student will come up with a story from their lives that they would like to tell.

Part II: Writing and Refining (Week 2)

You will work at home to write a script for their story. Through peer editing and help from Liz, you will refine your script. **FINAL SCRIPT WILL BE DUE ON OCTOBER 12.**

Part III: Practicing pronunciation (Week 3)

Getting your story across clearly is key to engaging listeners. We will *practice, practice, practice* the script, making very specific corrections to pronunciation. I will work with each of you in the class and the new speech lab.

Part IV: Adding Digital Media (Weeks 4 + 5)

We will create PowerPoint files with photos and images. These can be personal photos, images created on the computer, or images from the Internet. We will then import the PowerPoint slides as images to Windows Movie maker, add your speech to the file, and add music if you choose to.

Don't worry about the digital stuff. Liz will take everyone through it step by step and give you plenty of help. We will do all of the digital work in the computer lab. All you need is a floppy disk and your imagination!