



Mission College *Films on Demand for Faculty*

Film on Demand (from Films Media Group) is a subscription service that provides online access to over 3300 films.

This handout provides instructions on how to find and access the films in the Mission College Library Catalog and the *Films on Demand* database, embed films into your Angel course shell, and insert a link to a film into a PowerPoint presentation.

Note that new films are received monthly and that they appear in the *Films on Demand* database immediately, but may take up to a month to show in the Catalog. If you do not find what you need in the Library Catalog, search the database.

How to find films in the West Valley Mission Library Catalog

1. Go to the Library’s home page: <http://missioncollege.org/lib>
2. Click on “Library Catalog.”
3. From the right menu select “Advanced Search.”
4. Type your keyword(s) in the search box.
5. Select “Video” from the Material Type box.
6. Click “Search.”
7. You will be presented with a list of titles (Films from Film Media Group have the following after the title: **[electronic resource (video)]** and display the following in place of a call number: **Mission College Online**).
8. Click on the title to access the full library catalog record for a film.

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DVD



Book Cart

Money talks [electronic resource (video)] : influence of money in American politics / Public Affairs

New York, N.Y. : Films Media Group, [2007], c1994.

Rating: ★★★★★

Mission College Online

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The ultimate gift [videorecording] / Ultimate Gift LLC presents a LIFE(n) production in association

Beverly Hills, Calif. : 20th Century Fox Home Entertainment, 2007

Rating: ★★★★★

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MC Media LOCATION	CALL NO.	STATUS
MC Media	PN1995.9.M45 U48 2007 DVD	AVAILABLE

9. From the catalog record, click on “Click here to access (Mission College I.D. required).” Note that a Mission College ID is only required if you are off campus or using the Mission College wireless network.

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Details

Descript 1 streaming video file (60 min.) : sd., col., digital file.

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10. You will be taken to the page for the film in the **Films on Demand** database. To watch the entire film, click on the play button. To watch a segment of the film, click on the segment name from the right “Segments” list.

Money Talks: The Influence of Money in American Politics

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NOW PLAYING
Money Talks: The Influence of Money in American Politics (60:00)

This program with Bill Moyers examines what many people consider to be the scandal of American democracy—the influence of money on our political system. The 1992 Presidential election sent a strong signal: by voting for Bill Clinton or Ross Perot, both of whom ran on reform platforms, voters registered their disgust with the way laws are made, influence is bought, and an elite class of politicians control the system. This 1994 program examines the roles that financial contributions, corporate influence, and

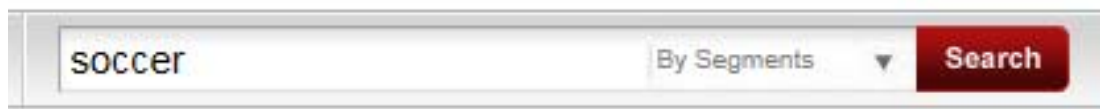
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- 1. Lobby and Special Interest Groups in Washington, DC (04:58)**
 Bill Moyers and political experts discuss Clinton's reformist agenda. Topics include Republican power in Washington, and lobby and special interest groups that work against grassroots movements.
- 2. American Voters Lose Power (05:31)**
 America experiences a shift of power away from the people and towards aggregations of wealth and economic influence. Despite his promises, once in office, Clinton surrounds himself with lawyers and lobbyists.
- 3. Corporate Economic Power in Government (04:20)**
 A political expert discusses the influence of corporations on government policy and interest group centrism. Clinton's pledge to eliminate narrow interest groups never came about.
- 4. Financial Reform Unlikely Under Clinton (04:05)**
 In Washington, money buys access to powerful decision makers, and money cements political/economic relationships that the public cannot penetrate.
- 5. American Democracy in Danger (01:51)**
 Special interest candidates threaten the American way of democracy. President says that would

How to search for films or film segments in the *Films on Demand* database

The *Films on Demand* database allows you to search the films at the segment level. You are actually searching a description of each segment.

1. Go to the Library's homepage (<http://missioncollege.org/lib/>)
2. Click on the "Database Articles and More" link.
3. Scroll down the alphabetic link to *Films on Demand* or click on *Electronic Books & Films* from the right menu.
 - a. If you are on campus, select the **on-campus** link.
 - b. If you are off campus or using the Mission wireless network, click on the **off-campus** link (you will be prompted for your last name and Mission ID).
4. Type your search terms into the search box at the top of the screen. The default is to search "By Segment," but you may change it to "By Titles."

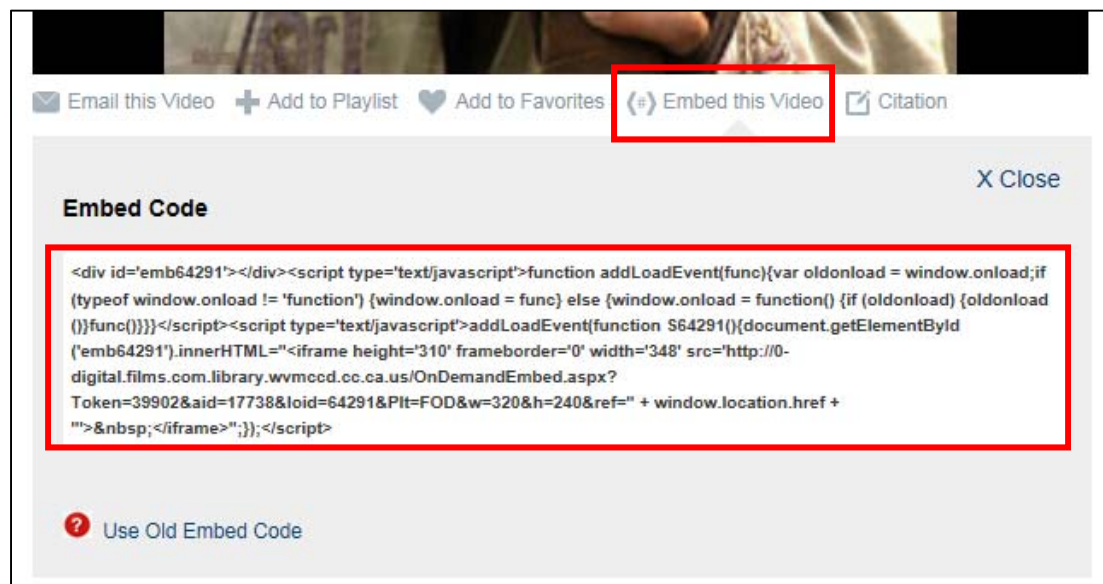


5. Click on **Search**.
6. Click on a title to view the film or film segment.
7. To watch the film or film segment, click on the play button on the film.

How to embed a film into your Angel course shell

You can embed a film or segment of a film into a Page, announcement, email, assessment question, or discussion forum within ANGEL.

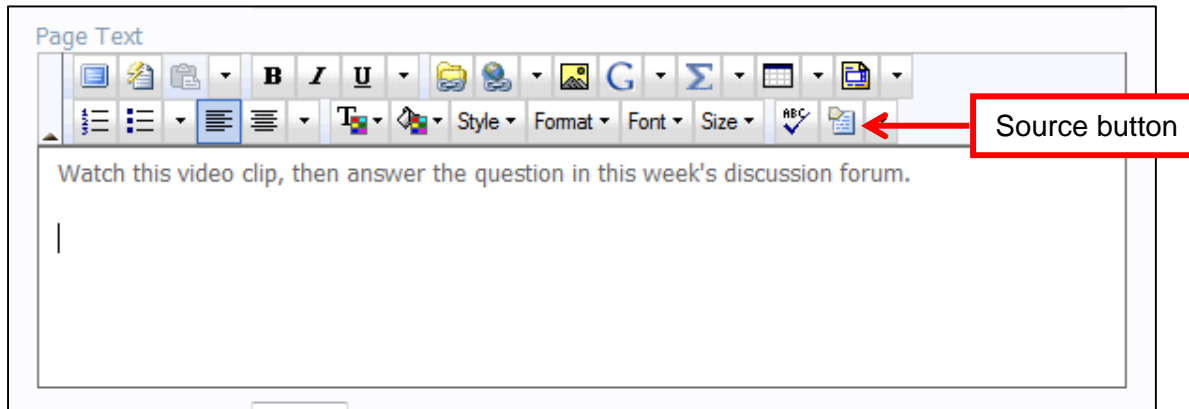
1. Find the film or film segment you wish to embed.
2. Click on the "Embed this video" link below the film.
3. A box will appear with the Embed Code for the film.

A screenshot of a video player interface. At the top, there is a video thumbnail. Below it, there are several icons and links: "Email this Video", "Add to Playlist", "Add to Favorites", "Embed this Video" (highlighted with a red box), and "Citation". Below these links is a pop-up window titled "Embed Code" with a close button "X Close". Inside the pop-up, there is a red-bordered box containing the following HTML code:

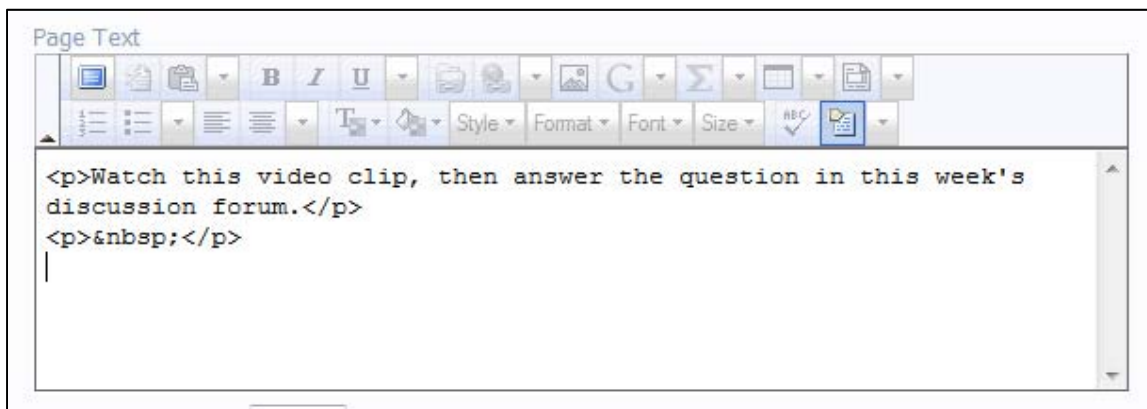
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<div id='emb64291'></div><script type='text/javascript'>function addLoadEvent(func){var oldonload = window.onload;if (typeof window.onload != 'function') {window.onload = func} else {window.onload = function() {if (oldonload) {oldonload()}func()}}</script><script type='text/javascript'>addLoadEvent(function S64291(){document.getElementById ('emb64291').innerHTML='<iframe height='310' frameborder='0' width='348' src='http://0-digital.films.com.library.wvmccd.cc.ca.us/OnDemandEmbed.aspx?Token=39902&aid=17738&loid=64291&Pit=FOD&w=320&h=240&ref=' + window.location.href + ''>&nbsp;&nbsp;&nbsp;</iframe>';});</script>
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At the bottom of the pop-up, there is a link "Use Old Embed Code" with a question mark icon.

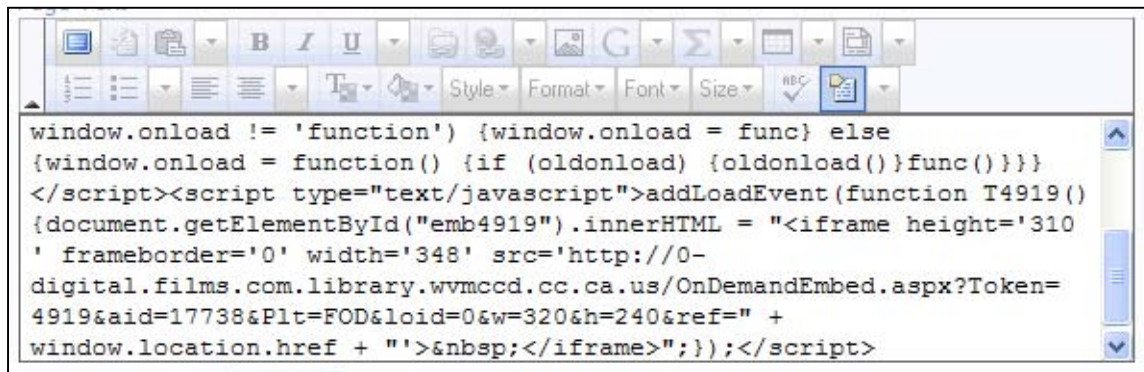
4. Highlight and copy the embed code (Ctrl+c on your keyboard).
5. In Angel, go to the location in which you want to embed the film. For example, if you want to embed it in a Page, go to Lessons>Add Content>Page, or if you want to add it to an announcement, go to Communicate > Add Announcement, etc.
6. Click into the text box and type the information you want to appear before the film. Note that the film and/or film segment information will appear with the film so you do not need to add it.



7. Click on the Source button to see the source code (HTML). If you roll your mouse over it, you will see the word "source." You will now see the source code for your text.




8. Move your cursor to where you want the film to appear, then paste the embed code (Ctrl+v on your keyboard).



9. Click on the Source button. You will see your text, but will not see the film.
10. Click on the "Save" button at the bottom of the page.


11. To see the film, use the preview option or student mode.

 **Video Clip**

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Watch this video clip, then answer the question in this week's discussion forum.

Ancient Chinese Sports: Golf and Soccer
From Title: *Ancient Chinese Sports: A Window on Chinese Hi...*



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How to insert a link to a film into your Angel course shell

1. Find the film segment you wish to add to your presentation.
2. Highlight and copy the URL from the box at the bottom of the screen.



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NOW PLAYING

Ancient Chinese Sports: Golf and Soccer (04:29) Source: Terranoa
From Title: Ancient Chinese Sports: A Window on Chinese History and Culture

Character building is an essential element of sports in ancient China. Wealthy Chinese people play a game very much like the contemporary game of golf. Soccer is first played in China around 2300 years ago.
Item Number: 39902
© 2007

Filed Under: World History • Asia & The Pacific

Segment URL

<https://lib.wvmccd.cc.ca.us/validate?url=http://digital.films.com/PortalPlaylists.aspx?>

3. In Angel, add a Link (Lessons>Add Content>Page). Paste the URL into the Link URL box. Also change the Link Target to “New Window.”

The screenshot displays the 'Content' page configuration interface. At the top, there are tabs for 'Content', 'Access', 'Automate', and 'Assignment'. Below these are sections for 'Page Settings', 'Description', and 'Link Settings'. The 'Page Settings' section includes fields for 'Title' (Ancient Chinese Sports) and 'Subtitle' (Watch this video clip). The 'Description' section features a rich text editor with various formatting tools. The 'Link Settings' section, highlighted with a red border, contains a 'Link Target' dropdown menu set to 'New Window' and a 'Link URL' text box containing the URL 'https://lib.wmccd.cc.ca.us/validate?url=http://digital.films.com/PortalPlaylists.aspx?'. Below the 'Link Settings' are fields for 'Icon URL' and 'Help URL', each with a 'Browse' button. The 'Sequence' field is set to '24'.

12. Click on the “Save” button at the bottom of the page.
13. When your students click on the link, a new browser window will open to the West Valley Mission College Authorization page. They will need to type in their last name and student ID number, then click **Continue** to view the appropriate page in the *Films on Demand* database. Note that they will see the Authorization page even if they are on campus.

How to insert a link to a film segment into a PowerPoint Presentation

Currently, you cannot embed a film segment into a PowerPoint presentation. You can, however, insert a link to a film segment which will enable you to launch the film from your presentation

1. Find the film segment you wish to add to your presentation.
2. Highlight and copy the URL from the box at the bottom of the screen.

The screenshot shows a video player interface. At the top, there are several icons for actions: 'Email this Video', 'Add to Playlist', 'Add to Favorites', 'Embed this Video', and 'Citation'. Below this, the video is titled 'Ancient Chinese Sports: Golf and Soccer (04:29)' with the source 'Terranoa'. A description follows: 'Character building is an essential element of sports in ancient China. Wealthy Chinese people play a game very much like the contemporary game of golf. Soccer is first played in China around 2300 years ago.' It also includes 'Item Number: 39902' and '© 2007'. The video is categorized under 'World History' and 'Asia & The Pacific'. At the bottom, a red box highlights the 'Segment URL' field, which contains the text: <https://lib.wvmccd.cc.ca.us/validate?url=http://digital.films.com/PortalPlaylists.aspx?>

3. In your PowerPoint presentation, place your cursor at the position you want to insert the link.

4. Paste the link into place, then hit “Enter” on your keyboard to make it a hyperlink.

- You may also turn a URL into a hyperlink by doing the following:

1. Highlight the URL.
2. Click on “copy” from the Home toolbar.
3. Click on the “Insert” tab to access the Insert toolbar.
4. Click on “Hyperlink.”
5. Paste the URL in the address box.
6. Click “Ok.”

5. When you click on the link during your presentation, a new browser window will open to the West Valley Mission College Authorization page. Type in your last name and student ID number, then click **Continue**. The appropriate page in the *Films on Demand* database will appear. Note that you will see the Authorization page even if you are on campus.