

Video Production Information

Studio 86 at Central High is a state-of-the-art full television studio along with editing suites and a professional level audio recording booth. With top of the line LED lights, green screens and film equipment, students get a real-world experience while learning all about digital media.

Each day, AM Central, the school's morning show is shown during homeroom and uploaded to YouTube for the school and community to watch.

Course Descriptions

Video Production 1 Grades 9,10,11,12 (0.5 Credit)

This course starts off exploring the countless, real world jobs that video production and its related fields offer. Then the entire process of video production (pre-production, production and post production) is covered in a detailed, step-by-step method during the first term of the course through an in-depth look at movies, television and hands on practice. The second quarter, students will use their learned knowledge to make videos such as commercials, movie trailers, special effects, music videos and documentaries. Teamwork, communication and how media affects our daily lives and the impact it has on culture is also covered.

Video Production 2 Grades 9, 10, 11, 12 (0.5 Credit)

Prerequisite: Successful completion of Video Production 1

Students will take their learned knowledge from Video Production and expand upon it with more in-depth study of various areas. With a core focus of "how to implement creativity and video production into any career", students will study documentaries, reality shows, social media and live shoots. In addition, students will study practical effects, special effects and various other unique aspects of the industry.

On a constant basis, students will write, produce, direct, and edit individual, original projects, breaking up the week between lessons and production days.

Advanced Video Production Grades 10, 11, 12

(1 Credit) Prerequisite: Successful completion of Video Production 1 & 2

Students will learn how to produce a news based program in this media course. Students will work as reporters, directors, anchors, investigative reporters, writers and all other aspects of the production crew. Each week students will create segments to play on AM Central. Segments vary from school news, sports, weather, important information, etc.