

# Screencastify Directions

\*\*\*To unlock the full version of Screencastify select upgrade and type in code: CAST\_COVID.\*\*\*

Before we get started, we have to create an account. Follow these steps to add the Screencastify extension to your Google Chrome Brower.

#### Step I:

Open a new tab on your computer in Google Chrome. Search for the GOOGLE WEB STORE or type <u>https://chrome.google.com/webstore/category/extensions</u>



on the search bar, or press Alt + Shift + S

#### Step 6:

Follow the directions to get started. First, click sign in with GOOGLE. Choose your Google sign in.





Click NEXT and ALLOW so that Screencastify can make changes to your computer screen.

#### Step 8:

Watch the video tutorial. This will show you some basics.



## Ways to Use Screencastify:

#### Browser

- a) Records the browser tab that you have open.
- b) This is the best option if you are recording a lecture/ppt and will not need to exit the tab.

### Desktop

- a) Records your entire desktop.
- b) This is the best option if you are showing multiple documents, moving tab to tab, etc. Webcam Only
  - a) Records just you!

When using both the browser and desktop options, a small camera frame will appear in the bottom right corner of your screen. You can drag and resize the camera frame wherever you want it to be.

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Tab Audio	
Record	Tab Audio- Records audio from you screen

## Ready to Record:

When you are ready to begin click the Screencasitfy arrow, select Browser, Desktop or Webcam only and hit record.

- a) When using Browser or Desktop make sure the microphone and embed webcam options are toggled to the on position.
- b) Move the camera frame to the desired position

Record your presentation and when finished return to Screencastify arrow and select stop, OR use the keyboard shortcut to stop recording (see shortcuts on the following page).

## Editing a Video



# Cutting a Clip

- 1. Click a clip in your timeline to select it. A selected clip will have a thin blue outline around it.
- 2. Hover your mouse over the clip and move it to wherever you'd like to cut the clip. A live preview will appear above the timeline.
- 3. When you reach the frame where you want to cut the clip, click once. A vertical grey bar will appear and will hold that spot.
- 4. Click the scissors icon (or press Cmd/Ctrl B) to cut the clip.
- 5. The original selected clip will now be 2 clips, separated at the frame you selected.

# Crop a Clip

- 1. To crop a clip in the browser-based editor, follow these steps:
- 2. Click on a clip in your timeline to select it. Once selected, a thin blue outline will appear around the clip.
- + crop icon. Your mouse will then become a cropping tool. 3. Click the
- 4. Drag your mouse across the video preview to the desired dimensions.
- 5. Click the crop icon again to save your changes. Everything part of the video outside of the area you selected will be deleted (in the selected clip only).

# Add Text to a Clip

- You can add text to any clip imported into our Video Editor. This comes in handy if you want to add a title to your video, create subtitles, clarify/correct something, and more.
- To get started, select a clip to which you want to add text and then click the "T" icon (or press Cmd/Ctrl + O). A text box will appear on top of your clip. You can then customize the text's appearance and placement.
- Any text that you add to a clip will remain visible for the entire duration of that clip. You can only add one piece of text per clip.



## Keyboard shortcuts to make your recording easier!

Shortcut	PC	Мас
Open the extension	Alt + Shift + S	Option + Shift + S
Start / stop recording	Alt + Shift + R	Option + Shift + R
Pause / resume recording	Alt + Shift + P	Option + Shift + P
Show / hide annotation toolbar	Alt + T	Option + T
Focus spotlight on mouse	Alt + F	Option + F
Highlight mouse clicks with red circle	Alt + K	Option + K
Pen tool	Alt + P	Option + P
Eraser	Alt + E	Option + E
Wipe screen clear	$\mathrm{Alt}+\mathrm{Z}$	Option + Z
Return to mouse cursor	$\mathrm{Alt} + \mathrm{M}$	Option + M
Hide mouse when not moving	Alt + H	Option + H
Toggle embedded webcam on/off*	$\mathrm{Alt} + \mathrm{W}$	Option + W
Show / hide recording timer	Alt + C	Option + C

\*Tab recordings only