

Download and Save YouTube Videos for upload to MediaCAST

At home, go to YouTube find the video you want to save – select it so that it is in the main window – then go up to the URL/Address bar and insert **ss** between the www. and the “Y” in YouTube and hit enter – you will be brought to another site (**savefrom.net**) that will allow you to download the video in various formats. I suggest using the **MP4 360p** format if available.

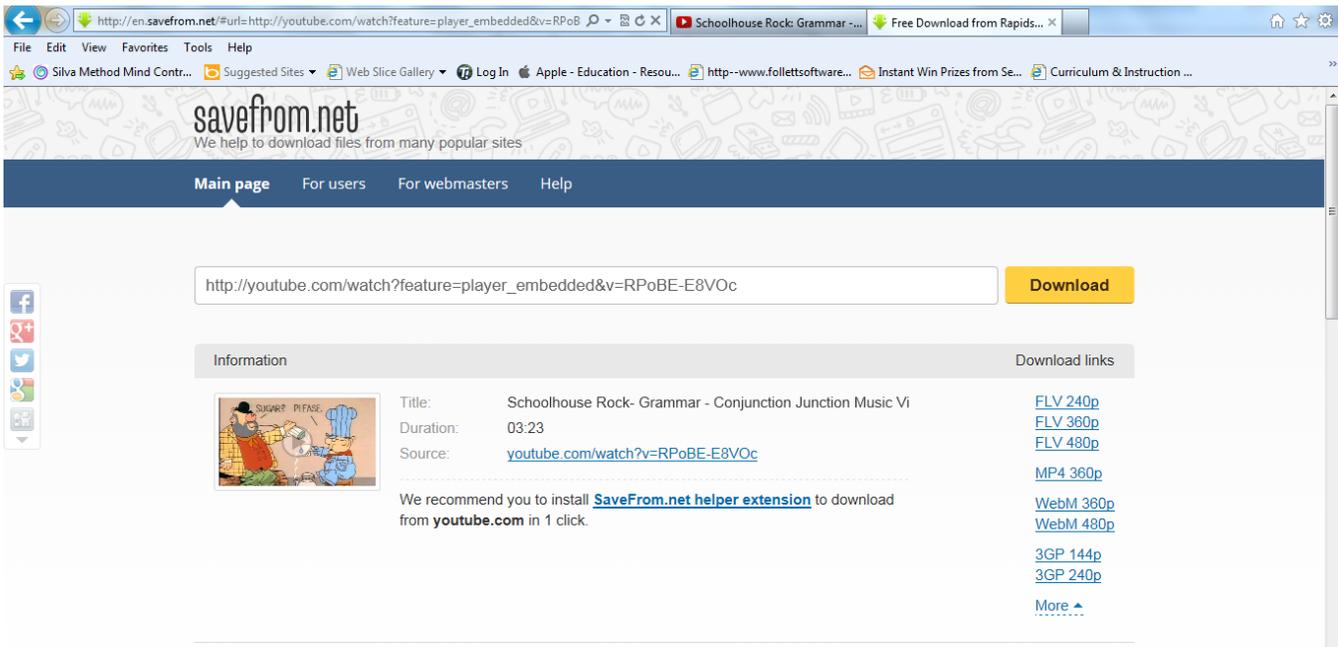
If the video has an ad before the video – skip the ad and then go to the address bar and add the ss to the address:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=player_embedded&v=RPoBE-E8VOc is the URL address for the video below – you then add the **ss** and press enter to go to savefrom.net to download and save the video.

Example: https://www.ssyoutube.com/watch?feature=player_embedded&v=RPoBE-E8VOc



Choose the file format on the right and click the **Download** button – you will then have a choice to OPEN SAVE or Cancel – click on the **down arrow next to Save** and choose **Save As** and save the file to a flash drive or create a folder to store the videos on the desktop of the computer.



Or if you have several videos you want to download then save them to your desktop and then drag them to your flash drive.

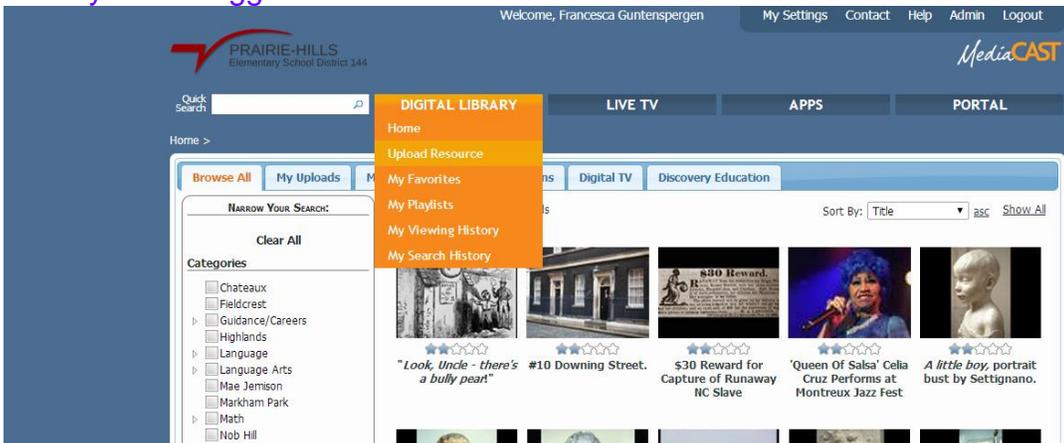
This will alleviate any buffering since you will not be streaming the video but instead just playing it back.

Upload Saved YouTube Videos to MediaCAST

Login to MediaCAST



Once you are logged into MediaCAST – click on **DIGITAL LIBRARY** – click **Upload a Resource**



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What type of Media Resource would you like to add?

<input type="radio"/> Standard Document Resources	PDF, PPT, DOC, SWF, etc.
<input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if you would like to classify this resource as an eBook.	
<input type="radio"/> Microsoft Windows Media Video	WMV or ASF, not AVI
<input checked="" type="radio"/> H.264 / Adobe Flash Video	H.264, F4V, FLV (SWF use Standard Document selection)
<input type="radio"/> Apple QuickTime	MOV, MP4 (if H.264/MP4 use H.264/Adobe Flash selection)
<input type="radio"/> MPEG-2 Video	AVI, MPEG-1, MPEG-2, VOB
<input type="radio"/> Audio Resource	MP3
<input type="radio"/> Image	GIF, JPEG, PNG, BMP
<input type="radio"/> Website or other Internet/Intranet URL	e.g. http://www.google.com

To upload a MP4 video file **ALWAYS CHOOSE**



H.264 / Adobe Flash Video

H.264, F4V, FLV (SWF use Standard Document selection)

Scroll down and click **Next Step** – enter a **Title** and a **description** choose the **Categories** and click **Next Step**

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*Required Field

* Enter a Title: (limit 255 characters)

* Enter a Description:

Categories

Main Categories

- Chateaux (10)
- Fieldcrest (0)
- Guidance/Careers (2)
- Highlands (3)
- Language (0)
- Language Arts (4)

On Step 3 – click **Next Step**

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Step 3 of 4: Protect Your Content with Digital Rights Management

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Expiration

No Expiration Date

Specify a date:

Expires days from this date

Access Control

Public (Default: No special permissions required and no license restrictions.)

Private — (User must know a password) Enter Password:

Limit on *Simultaneous Users* — Simultaneous Users:

Limit on *Unique Named Users* — Unique Named Users:

Advanced Options

Allow a copy to be downloaded to user's local computer (not recommended)

Restrict Accessibility to Programs / Courses (requires Instructor Level or higher)

Require a Timer of length : then block access for : (format is MM:SS)

[Next Step >](#)

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Click on **Appliance 1** on Step 4:

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Step 4 of 4: Final Steps

MediaCAST stores content on Media Appliances. Click the name of the Media Appliance to upload your file.

Available Media Appliances

- [Appliance 1](#)

A pop up window opens:

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mediacast.sd144.com/inventivex/mediareources/resource_create_direct_upload_replicati

Upload a Media Resource

Close Window

On this step, you will upload the file for Media Resource **'sample'**.

You previously identified this as an H.264/AAC (MP4 or MOV) or Flash Video (FLV) resource.

Use the "Select File(s) for Upload" button to select the Media Resource's file from one of the folders on your computer, or drag and drop the file onto the space below.

Drop File Here to Upload

0%

Select file(s) for Upload | Cancel

Your Media Appliance is enabled for very large file support. Files over 1 GB will be broken into chunks and are reassembled after uploading. This may take several minutes after an upload has reached "100% complete". Please be patient. You will be redirected to a new page when this process is finished.

Your file will be uploaded to directory: D:\ASFRoot\FLV on the Media Appliance at mediaapp1.sd144.com.

As soon as you select a file, the upload will begin automatically.

Locate the video file on your Flash Drive or Desktop

Click and drag the video file (MP4) on to the space designated on the above pop up window. After uploading your video file click **Finished.**

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Your Upload Was Successful

File: 43880_Schoolhouse_Rock-_Grammar_-_Conjunction_Junction_Music_Video.mp4 Successfully Uploaded.

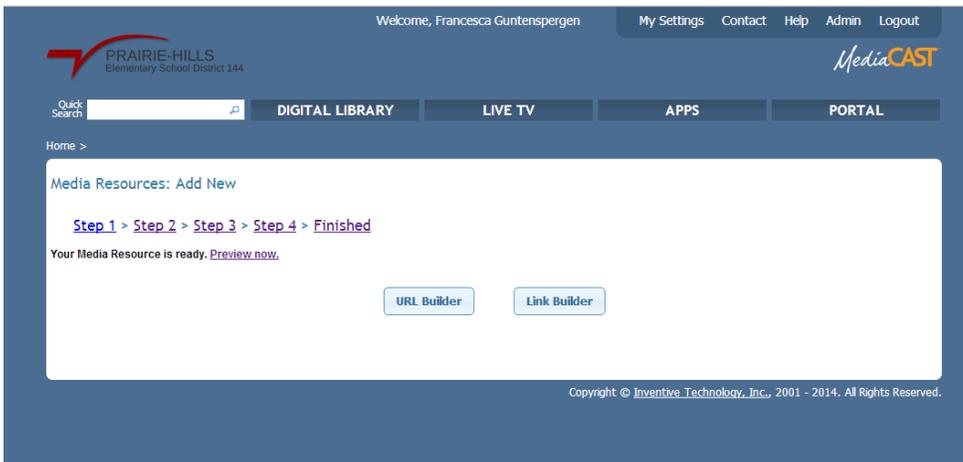
Now, all you have to do is click the "Finished" button in *THIS* window.

This window will close and return you to the previous (larger) window, where you should also click "Finished".

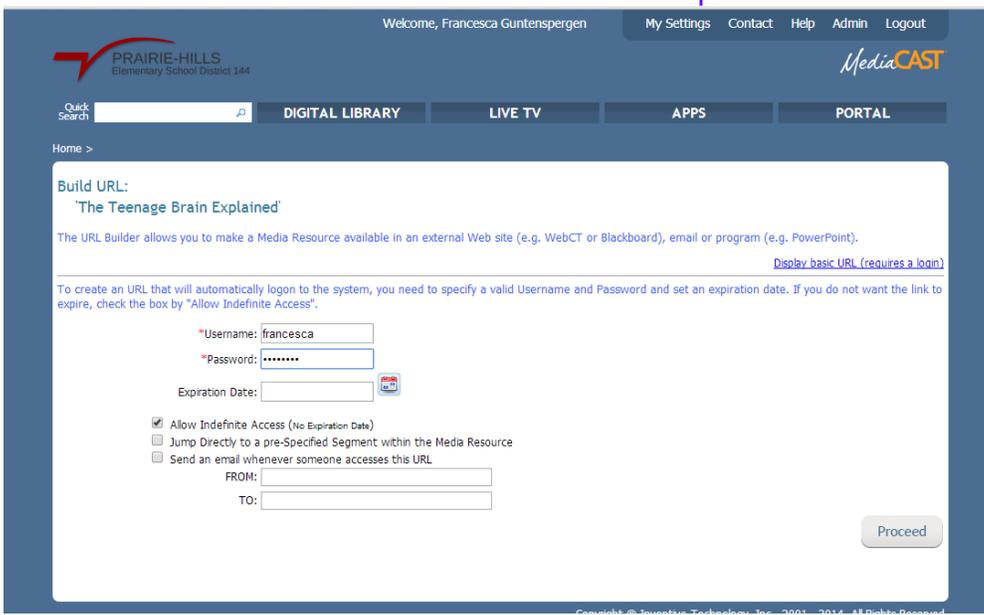
That will complete the content upload and activation process.

Finished

You have an opportunity to preview the file you just uploaded by clicking on the [Preview now](#) link in the below screen.



To create a URL that can be emailed to students/parents – click the **URL Builder** button above



Enter your Username and Password and **enter an Expiration Date** if needed or **check Allow Indefinite Access (No Expiration Date)** and **click Proceed**. Now you can copy and paste the link into an email for students to access the video. Then click **Finished**.

