Capture (YouTube Video Editor)

At a Glance...

- Permits simple editing of video clips (trim them down, put them together, add music)
- No account needed; final video can be saved to Camera Roll
- Can use a YouTube account for direct upload
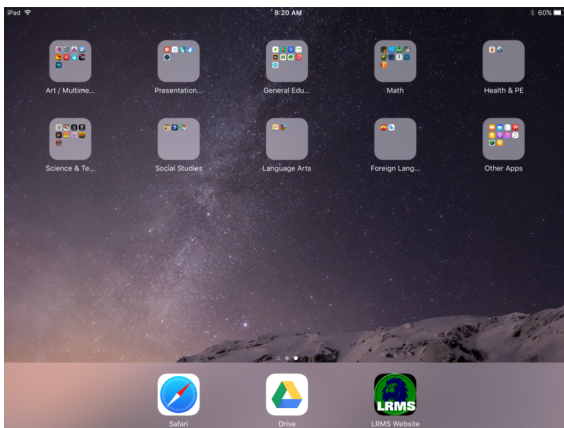- Enables technology and creativity

Access It At...

mobile app on school iPads - available as a free app

Required Knowledge...

- Basic video recording on iPad
- Basic iPad usage

Username / Password

- Teachers: not needed; or use WCPSS Google acct
- Not needed

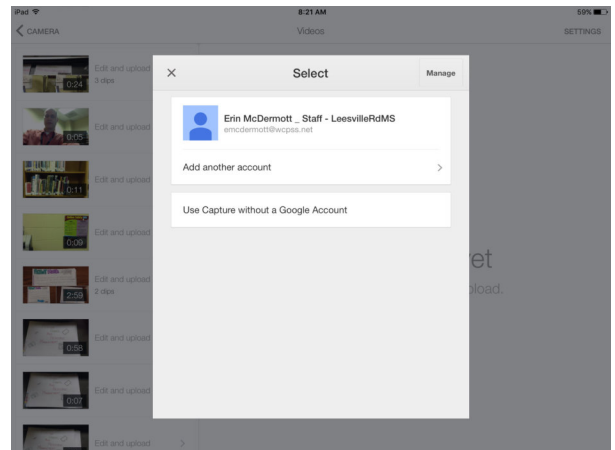Locate the "Art / Multimedia" folder of apps. Tap once to open it.
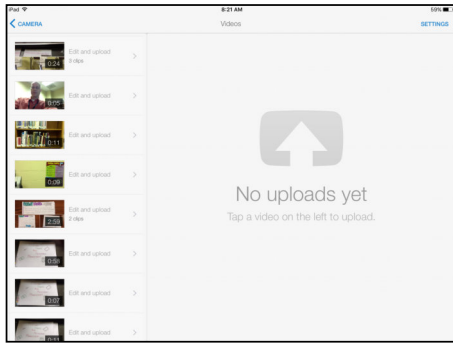
Tap "Capture" once to launch the app.

It's wise to try to shoot most of your video footage before starting to edit. If Capture opens to the camera mode, simply tap the icon at the bottom right to move into edit mode.
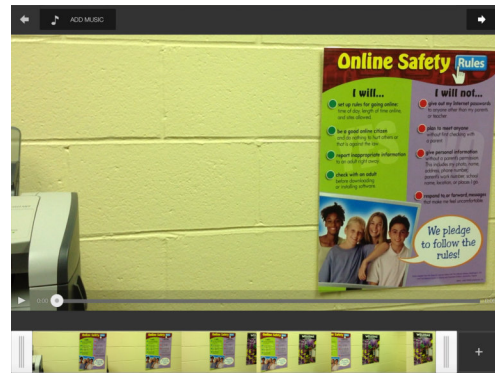
You'll be greeted with an invitation to login to YouTube. Teachers may login with their WCPSS Google credentials. Students do not have a YouTube account. Simply tap "Use Capture Without a Google account."

You'll notice all the video clips that are on your iPad on the left. Select the first clip you want to use in your video and tap it.
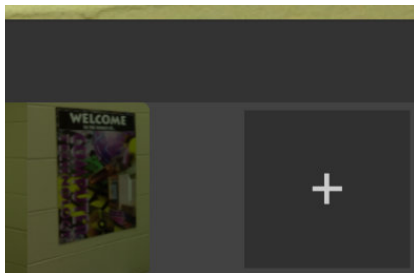
Next, you'll see a timeline of your video at the bottom of the screen, along with a preview of your video at the top. You can trim the clip down to just the parts you want using the white handles at the left and right of the clip
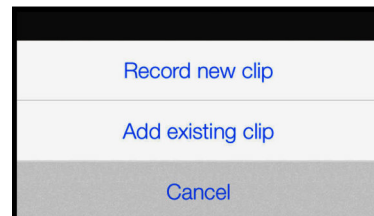
Tap and drag the left white handle to the right to trim out the start of the clip. Tap and drag the right handle to the left to trim out the end of the clip. You'll notice the segments of the clip you don't want to use are now shaded grey. This is called "setting IN and OUT points."

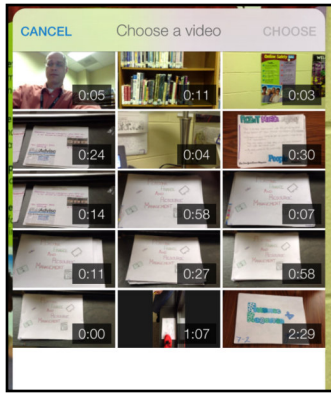To add a second clip right after the first clip, tap the "+" button at the bottom right.

You'll be prompted to record a new clip or use an existing clip.

If you were smart and already recorded all your footage, then just tap "Add existing clip."

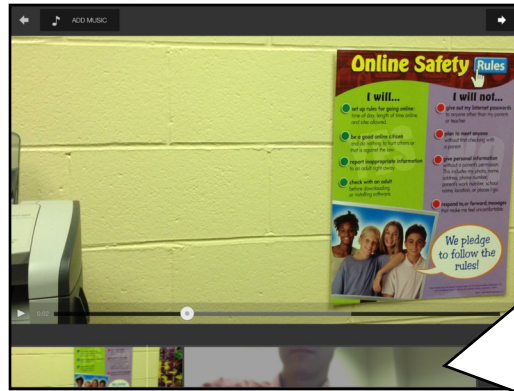You'll then be able to choose your second video clip by tapping it.

A small preview of the clip appears. You can play it if you wish, to make sure its the one you want to use.

You'll see your second clip now appears to the right of your first clip in the timeline at the bottom of the screen. You can play your creation-in-progress using the upper part of the interface.
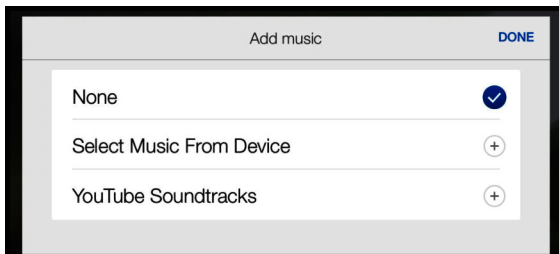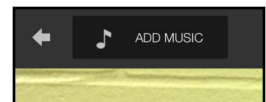
At any point you can double-tap a clip in the timeline at the bottom to be able to trim that one clip down using the white handles.

You can re-arrange the order of the clips by tapping and holding your finger on a clip and then dragging it around your timeline.
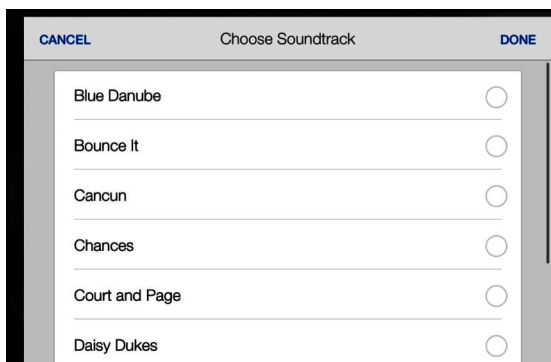

Second clip appears now

You can add music to your video by tapping the "Add Music" button at the top.

You can select music from the device (doubt there's any on school iPads) - or choose a song YouTube provides by tapping YouTube Soundtracks.
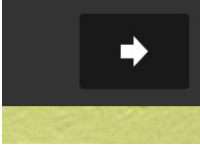

Tap a selection to preview the song. Once you find one you like, tap "DONE" at the top right.

You'll next have to select the volume level of the music. After you've done that, tap "DONE."
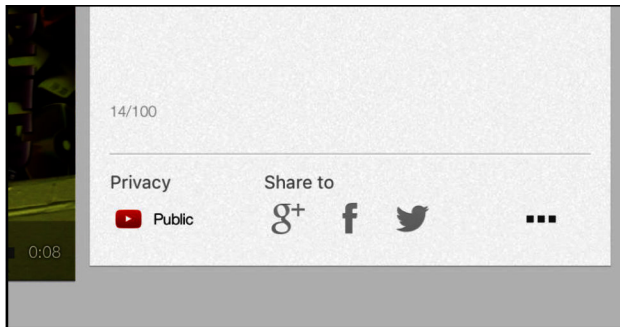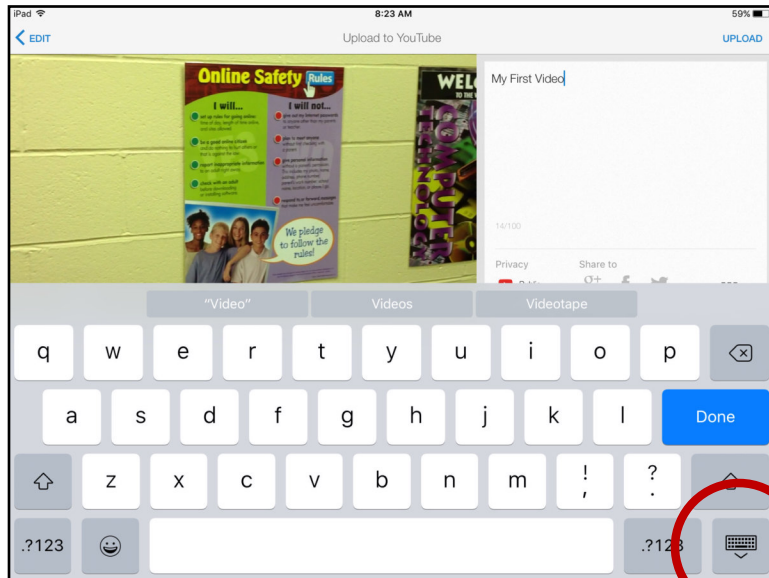
Note you could also record narration in a separate app (Use the VoiceRecord Pro app!) and insert that sound file instead of music.

Finally, you're ready to "render" your video. This is the process where the app generates a new video file that contains all of your edit choices.

Tap the right arrow at the top right of the editing interface.

Enter a title for this video. You may then want to tap the "hide keyboard" button at the bottom right of the keyboard.

If you logged in, you'll be able to publish straight to YouTube.

If you didn't log in, tap the "..." button at the bottom right. This will permit you to save your completed video edit to the iPad's Camera Roll.

Students could then upload the completed video to their Google Drive using the Google Drive app.

Need some ideas on how to use Padlet in your classroom? Check out these links...

YouTube Capture Help
https://support.google.com/youtube/topic/2856095?p=yt_capture&rd=1

Video Production Ideas for the Classroom
http://www.medialit.org/reading-room/video-basics-and-production-projects-classroom