EdTPA iMovie 9.0.9 Video Script

Video 1 (Importing Video into iMovie)

1. This video will demonstrate how to get your video footage imported into iMovie.
2. Begin by opening up the application iMovie 9.0.9 that should be located in your Applications folder on your Macintosh hard drive.
3. The first thing you need to do when iMovie opens is to create a new project by going to File > New Project. Give the project a name and click the Create button.
4. There are a couple different ways you can import video into iMovie. The first method that will be shown is when your video is already in a digital video file format such as .mp4, .mov, or .m4v and is stored on the desktop or on a flash drive or SD card.
5. Go to File > Import > Movies and browse to where your video file is located (desktop, flash drive, etc).
6. Select your video. You will want to choose to “Create New Event” and type in a name for the event and click the Import button.
7. It will begin importing your video into iMovie.
8. Your video will then appear down in the Event Library under the event name that you applied to it.
9. The second method for importing video is when you have a camera that requires some type of external tape for recording (Hi-8, MiniDV tape, etc) connected to the computer via USB or Firewire cable.
10. Click on the Camera Import button (which looks like a camera). This will bring up the Import window where you can choose which camera to import footage from. It should automatically recognize the camera you have connected to the computer. If it doesn’t, then choose the correct camera from the drop-down menu.
11. To begin importing the video footage from the camera, click the Import button. You will want to choose to “Create New Event” and type in a name for the event and click the Import button.
12. When you have reached the point where you don’t want to import any more of the footage then click the “Stop” button.
13. It will begin generating thumbnails of the video. Click Done to close the Import window.
14. You are now ready to select your video.

Video 2 (Selecting Your Video)

1. This video will demonstrate how to select your video within iMovie.
2. To select the video that you want to include in your project, find the beginning of the clip where you want your video to start and click and drag to the right until you get to the end of your selection. You will notice a yellow box that signifies what you have selected and as you are dragging, it will show you the duration in minutes and seconds at the end of the selection.
3. If you want to extend or condense your selection, click and drag the handles at the beginning or end of your selection. You will notice that the duration of selection changes and appears at the end of the selection.
4. If you want to keep the duration of the selection the same but move the starting point, click on the yellow line that is either on the top or bottom of your selection and drag it to the left or right to move the entire selection.
5. When you have the clip selected like you want it, click and hold in the middle of the selection and drag it up and drop it in the project area.

Video 3 (Sharing Your Video)

1. This video will demonstrate how to share your video out as a digital file.
2. If your project is complete, then within iMovie click on the Share menu at the top and choose Export Movie.
3. Give the movie a name. Choose the location of where you want to save the file. In this example we will choose the Desktop.
4. Under Size to Export: Choose the Mobile option. Click Export. It will begin exporting to the location you chose, this process might take several minutes.