

Level	Intermediate
Type	Group Assignment (2 people)
Topic	Jay Walking – from <i>Jay Leno and The Tonight Show</i> or <i>Are you Smarter than a Fifth Grader</i> .
Points	75 points
Media	1 minute Video Presentation
Objective	<p>This assignment will be your first opportunity to work with cameras and the editing software for the course. Take your time, this is a learning experience and can be a bit frustrating.</p> <p>Almost weekly on <i>The Tonight Show</i> with Jay Leno, he did an on-the-street interview with the unsuspecting public. In each interview Jay Leno would ask questions which are considered general knowledge. For example, he might show a picture of a famous painting, landmark or individual and ask his unsuspecting person on camera to identify them. His goal in each interview is to show the gap in levels of education by exposing the ignorance in the answers by his interviewees.</p> <p>You can also consider the hit television show <i>Are You Smarter Than a Fifth Grader</i>, as a source for material. The objective is to film two simple shots in an interview format, the twofer shot and the individual shot, a few coverage shots will also be needed to show reactions. If you are unfamiliar with these shots make sure to ask your instructor or look them up on the internet before you start filming. Get organized; don't waste your time with needless shots and subjects.</p>
Directions	<p>Film five or more individuals answering the same general knowledge questions. Make sure that each interview is framed identical in composition. Attempt to get as much information about the answers they provide by talking with them in the interview, it should be a casual give and take situation. For example, if they identify the Statue of Liberty as Mona Lisa, ask them "Why do you think she was named the Mona Lisa?" Make sure to film the interview using only medium close-up shots, twofers and individual shots. If you are unfamiliar with these shots make sure to ask your instructor or look them up on the internet before you start filming.</p> <p>Check NBC for Jay Leno examples. <a href="http://www.nbc.com/The_Tonight_Show_with_Jay_Leno/video/clips/jaywalking-102/725701/">http://www.nbc.com/The_Tonight_Show_with_Jay_Leno/video/clips/jaywalking-102/725701/</a></p> <p>Check here for 5<sup>th</sup> grader questions. <a href="http://www.orlandosentinel.com/entertainment/custom/funstuff/ny-et5thgrade0227-quiz,0,7657791.triviaquiz">http://www.orlandosentinel.com/entertainment/custom/funstuff/ny-et5thgrade0227-quiz,0,7657791.triviaquiz</a></p> <p><b>Example #1:</b> At the University of California Los Angeles graduation ceremony, as students exited the stage from picking up their diploma's Jay Leno stopped them to ask them two questions.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">How many moons circle the earth? (One) What is the closest planet to the earth? (Mars)</p>

	<p>What were Neil Armstrong’s famous words when he walked on the moon? (One small step for man, and one giant leap for mankind.)</p> <p><b>Example #2:</b> On the streets of Los Angeles Jay Leno approached several people with three photos of famous locations, and asked them to identify the locations. The photos included: The Parthenon (Athens, Greece), Mount Rushmore (Black Hills, South Dakota), and Golden Gate Bridge (San Francisco, California).</p> <p><b>Example #3:</b> On the streets of Los Angeles Jay Leno approached several people with three words and asked them to tell him the meaning of the words. The three words were: Parchment (Paper), Amateur (non professional), and Desponded (depressed or loss of hope).</p> <p><b>Example #4: Although these are example questions they follow the format of testing questions.</b></p> <p>Do they have a fourth of July in England? (No)          How man birthdays do the average man have? (One)          Why can’t a man living in Washington, D.C., be buried in a spot west of the Mississippi River? (he is still alive)          If you had only one match and entered a room in which there was a kerosene lamp, and oil heater, and a wood burning stove, which would you light first? (the match)          Some months have 30 days, some months have 31 days, and how many months have 28 days? (one) What four words appear on every denomination of the U.S. coins? (In God we trust)          How many outs are in an inning of baseball?          Is it possible in Colorado for a man to marry his widow’s sister? (no)          How many animals of each species did Moses take aboard the ark with him?          If “y-e-s” spells yes, what does “e-y-e-s” spell?          How long was the hundred year war?          Who was the first president of the United States?          Who was president before George W. Bush?          What is the mascot for the Denver Football team?</p>
Format	Your presentation can be submitted by display, email, or R-DVD.