

■ Adobe Premiere Pro Beginner Project – My Mini Video Journal

■ **Objective:** Learn the basics of video editing in Adobe Premiere Pro using only simple tools like import, trim, title, and export — without effects or transitions.

■ **Project Description:** Students will create a 30–60 second video journal showing a short theme such as 'My Favorite Memory,' 'My School Day,' or 'My Pet.' The video should include a title at the start and end, arranged clips or photos, and clear audio — no effects or transitions.

■ Step-by-Step Instructions:

1. **Create a New Project:** Open Adobe Premiere Pro → click New Project → name it 'My Mini Video Journal.'
2. **Import Files:** Import 3–4 short clips or photos from your folder.
3. **Arrange in Timeline:** Drag clips onto the timeline in the correct order.
4. **Trim Clips:** Use Selection (V) and Razor (C) tools to shorten or cut clips. Keep the total length under 1 minute.
5. **Add Titles:** Add opening and ending text using Graphics → New Layer → Text.
6. **Adjust Audio:** Ensure sound levels are balanced and not too loud.
7. **Preview:** Watch your full video and check the sequence.
8. **Export:** File → Export → Media → Format: H.264 (.mp4) → Preset: Match Source – High Bitrate → Save as 'My_Video_Journal.mp4'.

■ Skills Learned:

- Creating a project
- Importing and organizing clips
- Using the timeline
- Cutting and trimming
- Adding titles
- Adjusting audio
- Exporting a video

■ Assessment Rubric (Total 25 marks):

| Criteria | Marks |
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| Story flow and sequence | 5 |
| Proper trimming of clips | 5 |
| Use of titles | 5 |

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| Audio clarity and balance | 5 |
| File exported correctly | 5 |