

Sweding

Plan

To Swed is to “re-making something from scratch using whatever you can get your hands on.” In the movie *Be Kind, Rewind*, store clerks (Jack Black and Mos Def) mistakenly erase the footage from all of the video tapes in their rental store. In order to keep the business running, they re-shoot every film in the store with their own camera, with a budget of zero dollars. To see what it’s all about check out the trailer: <http://youtu.be/J7C8nHAAs70>.

Do

Inspired by the film, you must recreate a short scene (under 30 seconds) from a famous film using whatever you can find. This does not have to be a fancy or professional video, just a simple, yet fun, one which reproduces a short part of a famous film. In choosing and making your Sweded versions of a famous scene, it might be helpful to try and replicate clips found online, such as Jurassic Park (<http://youtu.be/PJImYh27MHg>) or The Avengers (http://youtu.be/QIQ_thbFtDA). These do not have to be complication or technically brilliant, they are meant to be fun! While everyone in the patrol may not be performing in the scene, everyone will have a role doing things like filming or getting customs together. Also, check out Star Wars: The Empire Strikes Back Uncut which is a version of the film remade by fans (<https://youtu.be/GjsFAZWnA00>).



Review

Why did you choose the scene you made?

What was your role in making the clip?

What was the hardest part?

Can you use your new video making skills to promote your unit or a project?

