

Storyboarding



Module IV



Course 2



T1



L5

Activity

- **Short Description:** The goal of the storyboard is to gather initial ideas for the presentation of the topic and sketch an actual storyboard showing how the comics should follow and how the topic will be presented.
- **Methodology:** Ideation process for a story
- **Duration:** 2-3 hours
- **Difficulty (high - medium - low):** medium low
- **Individual / Team:** Teams 2-3 students
- **Classroom / House:** Classroom
- **What do we need to do this activity?**
 - Papers
 - Pens
 - Sticky notes,
 - Computers with internet access

Description:

The goal of the storyboard is to gather initial ideas for the presentation of the topic and sketch an actual storyboard showing how the comics should follow and how the topic will be presented. One of the options is to use a blank paper and put sticky notes on it. Another, more common option in generating video presentation storyboards is to use a storyboard template.



Instructions

Storyboarding should follow certain steps to map your story:

1. Establish a timeline with the order of events (linear, flashbacks, time travel, etc.)
2. Identify key scenes (important key scenes to draw the attention of the viewer)
3. Decide about the details (make sure that all the scenes are presented at the same level of detail)
4. Write the title of each cell in the storyboard.
5. Design scenes by hand (basic drawing knowledge is needed)
6. Describe details of the scenes below the cell (background, colors)
7. Add important information (write a short description about what is happening in the scene)
8. Finalize the storyboard with your colleague.

Illustration: The template for a storyboard is presented in the following figure.



Expected outcomes

- List of notes, images, which describe the script of a story

This activity can be used in other (module, course, topic, lesson):

- Course IV. 2 Creativity / L1: Creativity and Problem solving



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