



The Director in the Classroom • The Director's Tasks

Development

- Participates in brainstorming and developing ideas
- Researches content material related to the project
- Researches visual and audio ideas for the project
- Works with writing department to complete script

Pre-production

- Supervises Storyboards
- Studies script and becomes familiar with its goals, ideas and themes
- Meets with all departments to discuss production requirements
- Meets with producer to discuss schedules and budgets
- Rehearses actors

Production

- Prepares Shot Lists for each scene
- Works with Camera Department to set up each shot
- Ensures visual elements (sets, wardrobe, props, etc.) are as required
- Directs actors on set
- Determines when a shot has been performed competently
- Records the preferred shots for editing

Post-production

- Works with editing department to determine how to best tell the story with the audio and video materials available
- Works with editing department to find or produce additional material as required
- Attends test screenings and provides input for revisions
- Works with editing department to complete final version

Distribution

- Meets with media and provides interviews