

Video Tutorials on Using Alexander Street Press Streaming Video

Alexander Street press tutorial/ Crash Course - <http://youtu.be/vafcNOM2wDU>

Using the new video player - <http://youtu.be/-iE7adNWSYg>

Helpful Hints to Know:

1. Create an account. (Directions are located below.) It is the best way to keep track of videos you want to use and videos that you want your students to access.
2. The search box does not have autocorrect for spelling. For example, if I search for *The Belle of Amhurst*, I will get no results. If I search for *The Belle of Amherst*, I can get 4 results. Spelling is important
3. You can insert links to clips into Sakai. Sakai will not let you embed videos from Alexander Street Press because it is streaming and has different requirements. However, you can insert links to clips as well as full-length movies.
4. When you are creating clips from your video, you must use the times marked on the thumbnails. Do not try to use the times on the "elapsed time line". They are not always in sync.
5. "Send to mobile" – You can use this to put a short link or a QR code into your syllabus that students can access with their smart phones.
6. Transcript section will highlight text as the video plays – a great feature for hearing impaired students.
7. You can also search the transcript section for certain terms.
8. Bookmarks save directly into your clips section. This is great if you are watching a movie in class and want to know where you left off

Creating an Account

1. Click on "Sign in to save playlists" on the top right of the screen.



2. Click on "Create new account" tab
3. Type in the following information and record it here:

Username: _____

E-mail Address: _____

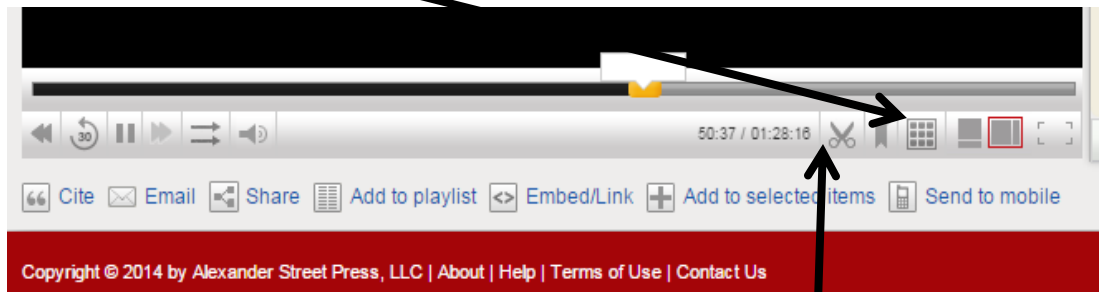
Password: _____

Display Name: _____

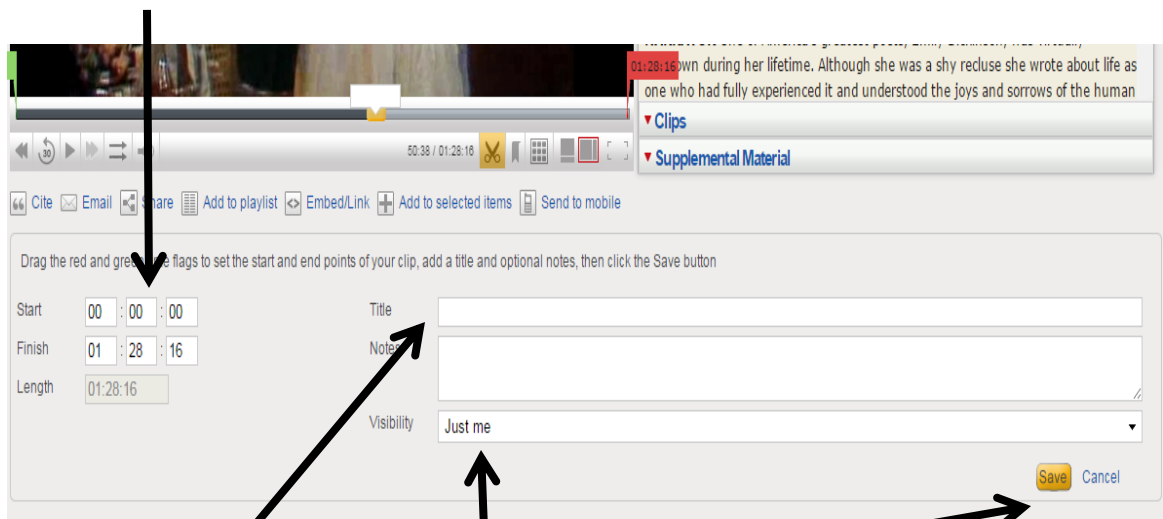
Let me know if you have any problems.

How to Create a Clip for Alexander Street Press Videos

1. Select your video
2. Click on the thumbnails icon at the bottom of the video



3. Hold the cursor over the thumbnails and write down the start and end times of the thumbnails at the beginning and end of your clip.
4. Click on the scissors icon at the bottom bar of the video.
5. In the start and finish boxes, fill in the times from the thumbnails



6. Type in a title
7. Under "Visibility" select "just me"
8. Click on "Save"
9. Click on "Show Navigation & Search" at top of screen.



10. Click on "Clips"



11. Click on "Show only my clips"



12. Your clips should show up in the list.