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## Handy YouTube Tools for Teachers

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In Steven's [Web20Classroom blog](#), he shares his top 5 favorite teacher tools on YouTube.

Many districts are realizing the potential that YouTube learning can have in the classroom. There are lots of great videos and channels out there on 1000's of topics.

I have put together a list of some of my favorite tools to use with YouTube. Some are for the creation end, while some are for the consumption end.

Overall, they hopefully will give you a good start on getting more out of your favorite video service.

### YouTube Video Editor

When it comes to video editing, my skills are definitely lacking. And lets face it, sometimes Movie Maker won't cut it or you just don't have the funds for iMovie. The YouTube Video Editor is a great alternative. Upload your raw video and you can make cuts, transitions and add text to your movie.

Do you find you are missing something for your video? Do a Creative Commons video search right there and find what you need. You can also upload sound tracks to ambiance. Once done, the video saves right to your YouTube account. Easy!

### Quiet Tube

We all know there is some junk out there on YouTube, whether it is in the related videos or in the comments. Quite Tube might be the answer for you. This is a bookmarklet that, when you are on a video you want to watch, you click and it strips away all the content on the page except for the video.

No annoying comments. No inappropriate suggested videos after. Just the video you want to show.

### Tube Chop

There are some videos where all you need is a small portion. When I am designing Moodle courses, I will sometimes only need small parts of videos to embed. Welcome Tube Chop.

Take the URL of the video you want to chop and trim both the beginning and end to what you need. You can then share it via a link or embed the chopped video on your site or page.

### Drag On Tape

There may be times you need a series of videos and they would be better off watched one right after another. Drag On Tape does just that. Insert the videos via their YouTube URL. You can trim to the sections you want, add another video and another and another, creating your own personal mixed video that you can then post via a link or embed.

### Watch2gether

Sometimes watching a video as a group is just what you need. Watch2gether does just that. You create your own, private screening room. You then share the room via a link with your group. They enter and you can watch the video, synced together. There is an option to create playlists and the chat feature works great

for collaboration.

**So there are 5 of my favorite YouTube tools. Do you have a favorite tool or maybe a tick to share? Leave a comment below.**

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