SNAP CHAT Extension Activity

**Creative Film Making**

You are one of the boy’s friends. After receiving the photo and message “If only I could talk” from the boy, you felt sorry for him. You have decided to help him make a two-minute video for the girl. The clip may help the boy:

* express his feelings for the girl
* explain the mishap and clear misunderstanding
* win friendship or build up trust and goodwill

Before you shoot the video, consider the following questions and complete the plan:

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| 1. **What type of video will be made (e.g. a confession monologue, a mime, a short dramatic scene, a parody of the mishap, a short musical / music video)?** |  |
| 1. **What is the theme / message of the clip (e.g. romance, forgiveness)?** |  |
| 1. **When and where will the video be shot (i.e. setting)?** |  |
| 1. **What props are needed? Are there any objects with symbolic meaning?** |  |
| 1. **Who are the characters?** |  |
| 1. **How would the characters be dressed (i.e. costumes and hairdo)?** |  |
| 1. **What will each of the characters do and/or say?** |  |
| 1. **What cinematic techniques will be used? Explain why such techniques are used?** | □ Camera angles (high / eye-level / low)  Shot lengths (long / medium / close-up)  Camera movement (pan / tilt / track / dolly)  Special effects (e.g. animation / change of colour / time lapse / slow motion / others: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_)  Editing (e.g. jump cuts, cross cuts)  Reasons for using the techniques: |
| 1. **What music or sound effects will be added (e.g. pop love songs as background music, live acoustic / electronic guitar music)** |  |
| 1. **What do you expect the girl to feel after watching the clip (e.g. sweet / touched / amused / sorry / awakened)?** |  |

Rehearse a few times and use your smart phone or tablet device to shoot the video.