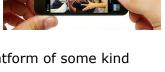
Remote Video Capture Best Practices

<u>Using a Tablet / Smartphone</u>: (Preferred Method)

- → Using Camera App Settings:
 - ◆ Landscape Orientation (horizontal)
 - ◆ Record Video: 1080p at 30fps
 - Resolution: 1080 HD
 - Frame Rate: 30fps
- → Keep Phone/Tablet secured
 - ◆ Use a stand, or propped up on a table or platform of some kind
 - ◆ No Zooming or Panning
- → Make sure the camera is at eye level or slightly higher
- → Background
 - ◆ No obvious brand logos, artwork, or other media properties
 - You want something interesting but not too busy
 - Bookshelf = good
 - Blank wall = bad
- → Lighting
 - Make sure the primary light source (window, lamp, etc) is on your face, not behind you
- → *Ideally* use a supplementary microphone
 - could be:
 - Headphones or earbuds (Apple or other)
 - Bluetooth headset

Using a Computer:

- → Using Photo Booth app settings
 - ◆ Video mode
 - ◆ Using FaceTime HD Camera
- → Keep camera stationary/locked off
 - ◆ Keep computer in a secured position
 - Desk, table, or computer stand are good
 - ♦ No Zooming or Panning
- → Make sure the camera is at eye level or slightly higher
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 - You want something interesting but not too busy
 - Bookshelf = good
 - Blank wall = bad
- → Lighting
 - Make sure the primary light source (window, lamp, etc) is on your face, not behind you
- → Audio
 - ◆ *Ideally* use a supplementary microphone
 - could be:
 - Headphones or earbuds (Apple or other)
 - Bluetooth headset
 - USB microphone
 - USB audio interface with XLR microphone



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