



How to Share Videos from Google Drive by Embedding Them into Webpages

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Warning

SOU uses [Box.com](https://sou.box.com) now for cloud storage. We recommend that all users store data in Box instead of Google Drive. Visit <https://sou.box.com> to get started.

This article will show you how to share videos stored in your SOU Google Drive by embedding them into web pages that you control, such as a [Moodle course pages](#). If you need help with uploading content to Google Drive, contact your [Computing Coordinator](#).

If you are unfamiliar with Google Drive and want to learn how to manage your files and share them out, you can consult [Google's online support webpage for Google Drive](#), or you can look through the [handout from the IT Department's Google Drive training class](#). Both are helpful resources.

Step 1 - Set up the proper sharing permissions on your video

Right-click on the video and select **Share**.



Select the sharing setting that is most appropriate for your content if you are not using copyrighted material.

- The "**On - Anyone at Southern Oregon University with the link**" setting makes your content available only after viewers have authenticated with a valid SOU account.
- The "**On - Anyone with the link**" setting makes the content available to anyone without a login.

Make sure that the Access setting is set to **Can view** before you click Save. You could change it to "Can comment" if you want to allow that. Do not change it to "Can edit."



Step 2 - Open your video and get the embed code

Open your video file by double clicking it or by right-clicking and selecting **Preview**.



Your video will open again now in its own window. Find the three vertical dots again in the

top-right corner of this new screen, click on them, and then select **Embed item** from the menu.



Step 3 - Paste the embed the code where you want your video to appear

[For embedding videos into Moodle, click here.](#) For all other web platforms, ask your [Computing Coordinator](#) for guidance.