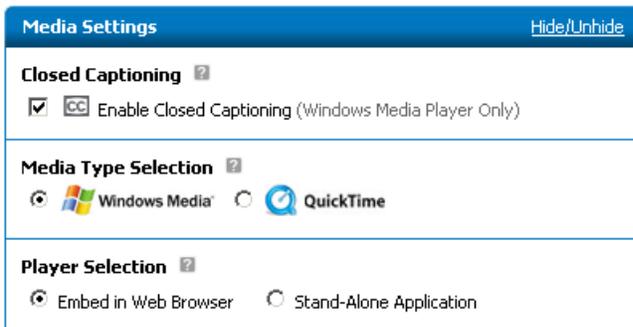




# Discovery Education Closed Captioning on Promethean

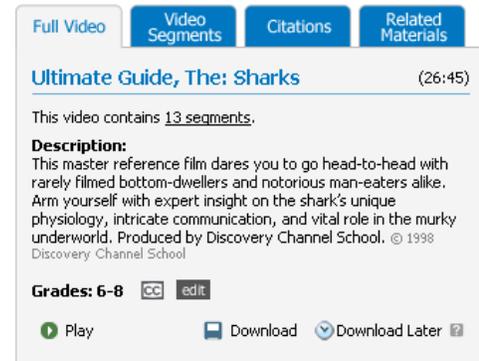
## Directions for viewing DE streaming videos with closed captioning

1. Log into DE Streaming.
2. Choose a video with the  icon.
3. In Media Settings, check the box to *Enable Closed Captioning* and choose *Windows Media* as the Media Type Selection.



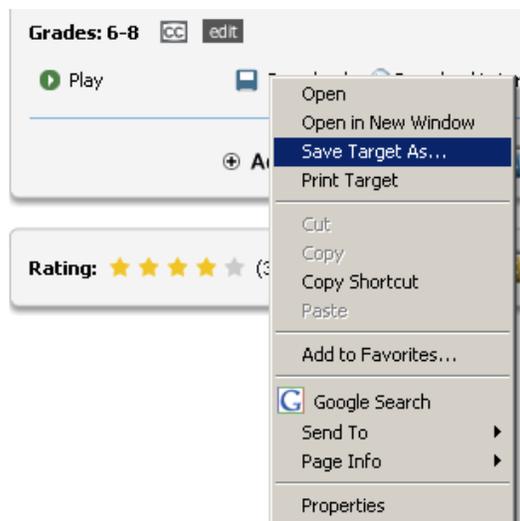
The screenshot shows the 'Media Settings' dialog box with the following options:

- Closed Captioning**:   Enable Closed Captioning (Windows Media Player Only)
- Media Type Selection**:   Windows Media   QuickTime
- Player Selection**:  Embed in Web Browser  Stand-Alone Application



The screenshot shows a video player interface for 'Ultimate Guide, The: Sharks' (26:45). It includes tabs for 'Full Video', 'Video Segments', 'Citations', and 'Related Materials'. The video description states: 'This master reference film dares you to go head-to-head with rarely filmed bottom-dwellers and notorious man-eaters alike. Arm yourself with expert insight on the shark's unique physiology, intricate communication, and vital role in the murky underworld. Produced by Discovery Channel School. © 1998 Discovery Channel School'. It also shows 'Grades: 6-8', a Creative Commons icon, and an 'edit' button. At the bottom, there are buttons for 'Play', 'Download', and 'Download Later'.

4. Right-click on the Download icon and choose *Save Target As* to save the .asf file.

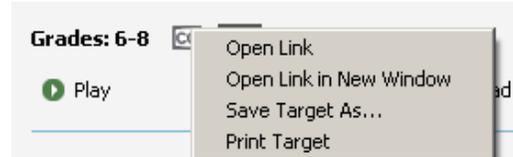


The screenshot shows a context menu opened over the 'Download' icon in the video player interface. The menu options are:

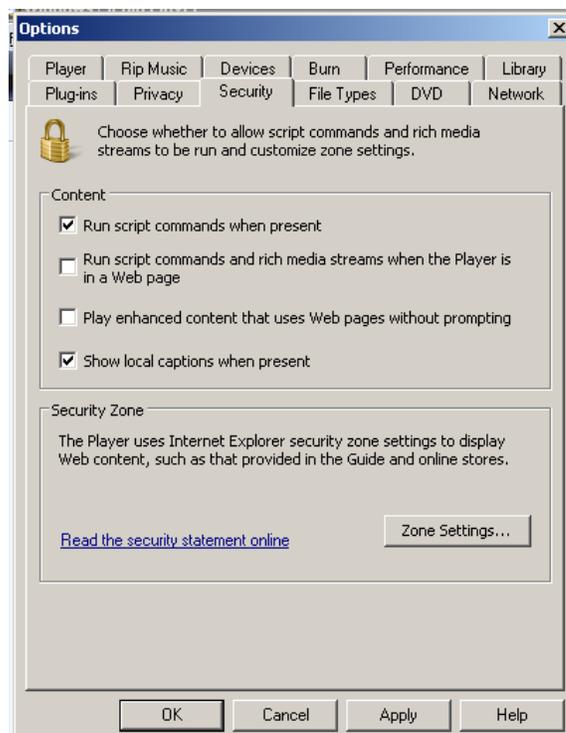
- Open
- Open in New Window
- Save Target As...
- Print Target
- Cut
- Copy
- Copy Shortcut
- Paste
- Add to Favorites...
- Google Search
- Send To
- Page Info
- Properties



5. Right-click on the  icon and choose Save Target As to download the .smi file.  
Please note: Make sure to save both files in the same folder.



6. Open the Windows Media Player program by going to Programs and Windows Accessories.
7. In the Navigation bar, click on Tools and open Options.
8. Under the Options window, click on the Security tab.  
Please note: You may NOT have access to the Security tab, but your ITSS does.
9. Under Content, choose **Run script commands when present** and **Show local captions when present** and click on OK.

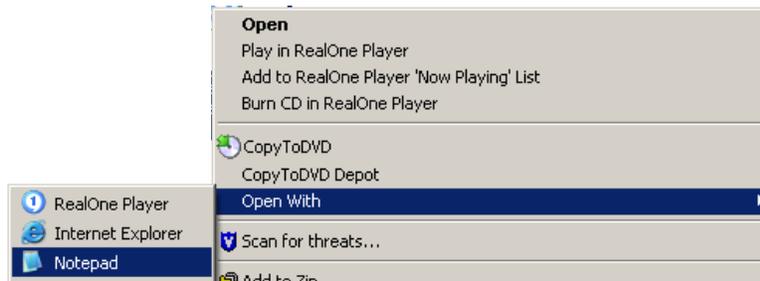


10. Go to your saved video folder and open the Windows Media Player file (.asf)
11. You should see the closed-caption play as soon as the narrator begins speaking.



## Editing the closed-caption (.smi) file

1. Right-click on your downloaded .smi file and click on Open With Notepad.



2. Change the font size to make the closed caption text larger (10 pt to 30 pt)
3. Change the color from WHITE to BLUE.

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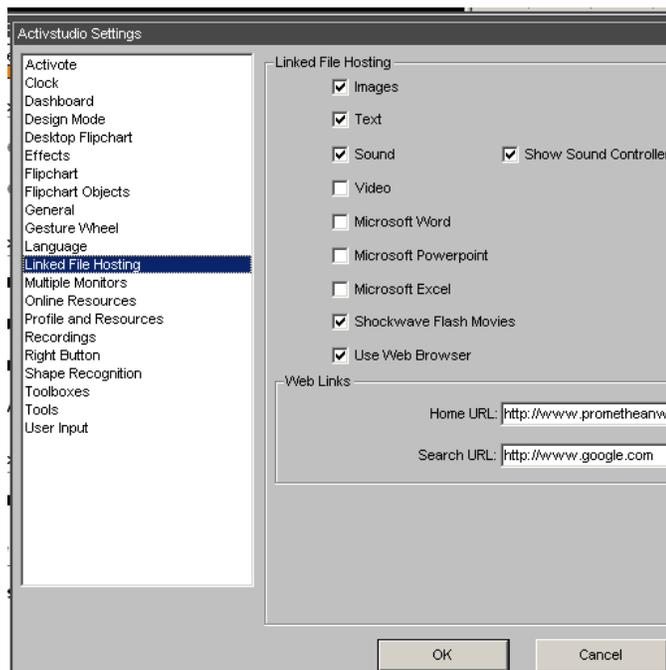
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4. Edit/add your own text into the closed-caption .smi file.
5. Save all changes and close the .smi file.
6. Open the .asf to view your video.



## Inserting Closed-Caption Videos into Promethean Flip Charts

1. Click on the Configure tab.
2. Click on General Program Settings.
3. Choose **Linked file hosting** under the Activstudio Settings.



4. Uncheck video (to link to WMP)
5. Click OK.
6. Open the flip chart.
7. Right click on the screen and choose Insert video file link.