

Films on Demand through the Fisher College Library



Films On Demand

Curated videos for campus-wide learning
and informed, critical engagement

Trusted content providers include



This database features more than 40,000 films. You can search Films on Demand directly through the Library's website by going to <https://www.fisher.edu/library> and choosing "Films on Demand" from "The Six Pack."

Library Resources - The Six Pack

As a member of the Metro-Boston Library Network (MBLN), Fisher students, faculty, and staff have access to resources from several libraries, including the Boston Public Library (all 26 branches), Chelsea Public Library, Malden Public Library, and Fisher College.

BiblioCommons

Access millions of books and films through our Integrated Library System through BiblioCommons.

BROWSE

Online Databases

Access resources on any subject you need to research in Fisher College's online databases.

BROWSE

APA and MLA Citation Guides

APA CITATION GUIDE

MLA CITATION GUIDE

Films on Demand

Access a wide variety of videos and movies both on campus and remotely through Films on Demand.

BROWSE

Fisher Library: Serials Solutions

Search Fisher College's databases for full text availability by journal title.

BROWSE

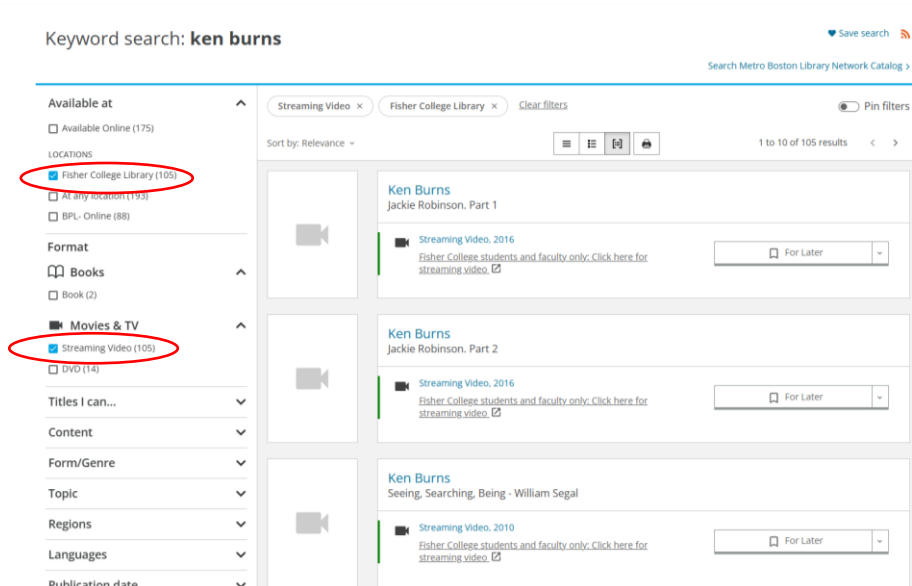
Boston Public Library: Serials Solutions

Search BPL databases for full text availability by journal title.

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If you are off campus or using a laptop on campus, you will be asked to enter your "256" Library barcode to gain access. If you do not know your Library barcode, please e-mail the Librarians at library@fisher.edu or give them a call at (617) 236-8875.

You can also access Films on Demand through BiblioCommons, our online catalog. This example features a “keyword” search for *Ken Burns*.



Under “Available at,” you can update the location to “Fisher College Library” and to “Streaming Video” under “Movies & TV” on the left-hand side of the screen.

The streaming collection is available both on campus and remotely with your Library barcode (a “256” number). When you decide on a film, select the link that reads, “Fisher College students and faculty only: Click here for streaming video,” and you will connect directly to Films on Demand.

After selecting a title and entering your Library barcode, you will be able to watch the program in its entirety or view segments from the film. Many of the films include closed captioning and the ability to generate a citation.



Infobase

Films On Demand

Search your Infobase resources and collections

Explains

Saved

Settings

Viewer discretion is advised.
Adult Language, Violence, Alcohol

Log Out

00:25 / 01:51:59

jammed with trophies, awards, and

Closed Captioning

This Resource

Jackie Robinson: A Film by Ken Burns - Part 1

1. Powerful Voice for Black Americans	00:20
2. Robinson's Early Childhood	05:36
3. The Great Migration	08:19
4. The Great Depression	11:54
5. Jackie Robinson Emerges	15:27
6. Future Mrs. Robinson	18:00
7. Rise of Black Society	20:12
8. Negro Leagues	22:14
9. Racism in the Military	24:17
10. Second Lieutenant Robinson	26:50
11. Brooklyn Dodgers	29:33
12. Branch Rickey	32:49
13. Challenging White Authority	36:05
14. Kansas City Monarchs	40:16
15. Boston Red Sox Tryouts	42:47
16. Reinvigorated Campaign to Integrate B...	46:19
17. Campaign to Integrate Baseball Intensi...	48:55
18. Public Announcement of Signi...	
19. Experiencing Discrimination in the South...	

Give Feedback

Adding links to Films on Demand within Canvas

It is wonderful to be able to add films and film segments to your courses in Canvas. Here is how you do it!

1. Find a film that you want to include in your course.

Infobase

Films On Demand

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Save

Share

Site #

Step 10

Stories of Africa: Elephants in the Room Full Video

DESCRIPTION

Give Feedback

Search in Transcript

00:00 - (narrator) The largest creature that walks this planet

00:01 is shrouded in mystery.

00:02 It's the elephant.

00:03 (elephant music)

00:04 Majestic, intelligent, dangerous.

00:05 (elephant trumpeting)

00:06 They can be man's best friend or his worst enemy.

00:07 This is the story of an elephant called Winky Tusk.

00:08 She's the matriarch of a family of five.

00:09 One of her impressive skills is her backside.

00:10 and this makes her instantly recognizable.

00:11 But she is famous for quite another reason.

00:12 Once a year, Winky Tusk and her family

00:13 visit a lodge in Zambia.

00:14 (elephant music)

00:15 While other elephants sneak in over the back wall,

00:16 Winky Tusk does the unsung hero.

00:17 She uses the front door.

00:18 and when she steps into the house,

00:19 everything we know about elephants is turned on its head.

00:20 (elephant music)

00:21 (elephant music)

00:22 Nathan Fletcher is a qualified wildlife guide

00:23 and cinematographer.

00:24 (elephant music)

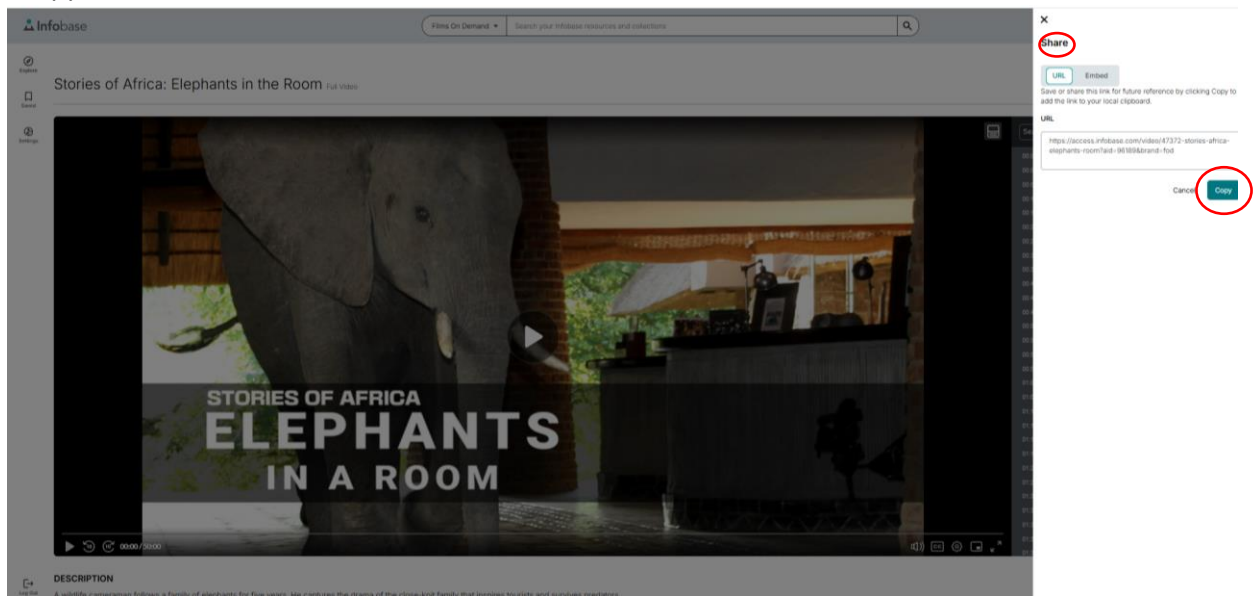
00:25 When he hears of this strange behavior

00:26 of wild elephants walking through a lodge,

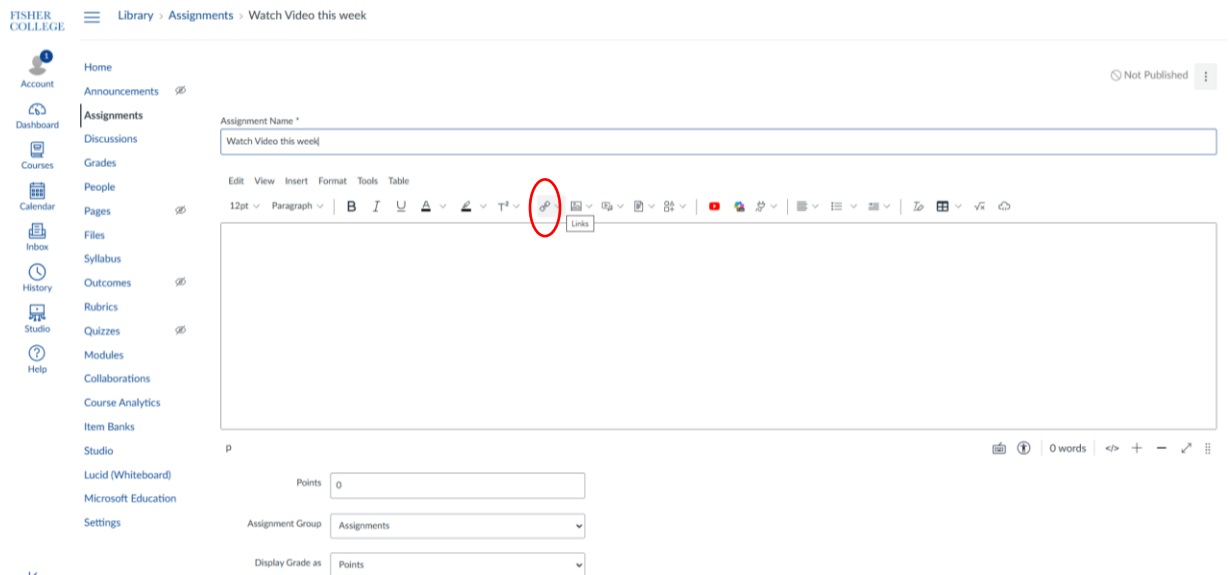
00:27 he heads on to the South Luangwa Valley in Zambia.

2. Click on "Share" in the upper right-hand corner.

3. "Copy" the link under "URL."



4. Go to your course in Canvas.
5. Within an "Assignment," select the hyperlink icon to add the Films on Demand URL.



6. Select “External Link.”

The screenshot shows the Canvas LMS interface for Fisher College. The top navigation bar includes 'FISHER COLLEGE' and a breadcrumb trail: 'Library > Assignments > Watch Video this week'. On the left is a sidebar with icons for Home, Account, Announcements, Assignments, Discussions, Grades, People, Pages, Files, Syllabus, Outcomes, Rubrics, Quizzes, Modules, Collaborations, Course Analytics, Item Banks, Studio, Lucid (Whiteboard), Microsoft Education, and Settings. The main content area is titled 'Assignment Name *' with the value 'Watch Video this week'. Below this is a rich text editor with a toolbar. A link selection menu is open, showing 'External Link' and 'Course Link' options. The 'External Link' option is highlighted. Below the editor are fields for 'Points' (set to 0), 'Assignment Group' (set to 'Assignments'), and 'Display Grade as' (set to 'Points').

7. Use the “Text” box to personalize your link and the “Link” box to paste the URL from Films on Demand.

This screenshot shows the same Canvas LMS interface as the previous one, but with the 'Insert Link' dialog box open. The dialog box has two main sections: 'Text' and 'Link'. The 'Text' field contains the text 'Stories of Africa (Films on Demand)'. The 'Link' field contains the URL 'https://access.infobase.com/video/47372-stories-africa-elephants-room?aid=961896&brand=for'. Red brackets highlight both the 'Text' and 'Link' fields. The dialog box also has 'Close' and 'Done' buttons at the bottom right.

8. Click on “Done.”

9. The link appears and, for students viewing it off campus, they will be prompted to enter their “256” Library barcode.

The screenshot displays the Fisher College Canvas LMS interface. The top navigation bar shows the user is logged in as 'FISHER COLLEGE' and is viewing the 'Library > Assignments > Watch Video this week' page. The left sidebar contains a navigation menu with options: Home, Account, Announcements, Assignments (selected), Discussions, Grades, People, Pages, Files, Syllabus, Outcomes, Rubrics, Quizzes, Modules, Collaborations, Course Analytics, Item Banks, Studio, Lucid (Whiteboard), Microsoft Education, and Settings. The main content area shows the assignment details for 'Watch Video this week'. The assignment name is 'Watch Video this week'. The description area contains a link to 'Stories of Africa (Films on Demand)'. The assignment is worth 0 points and is assigned to the 'Assignments' group. The display grade is set to 'Points'. The interface includes a rich text editor with various formatting options and a word count of 6 words.