#### **Pre-production list**

#### **Mood board**

- 1. Mind map
- 2. Developing ideas
- 3. Proposal
- 4. Structure of documentary
- 5. Focus group
- 6. Production Schedule
- 7. Storyboard
- 8. Personnel/ roles/ cast members
- 9. Identification/ contact information
- 10. Shot list and shot log
- 11. Call sheet
- 12. Rehearsals
- 13. Dub chart
- 14. Sound report
- 15. Consent to property
- 16. Contingency plan & Risk assessment
- 17. Visual script
- 18. Screenplay
- 19. Props
- 20. Editing Workflow

## **Mood board**



- Sports
- Athletes
- Travel
- Student
- Working man in office

### **Actor profiling**

#### **Main Cast**

Name	Ag e	Ethnici ty	Email address	Phone number	Living area	Conta ct perso n	Charact er name
Ipsita Narula	18	Indian	16narul@kgv.hk	941379 42	Sai Kung		Interview 1
Avinash Dashinga ni	18	Indian	16avi@kgv.hk	513068 08	Whamp oa		Subject 2
Bhavik Malkani	17	Indian	16mali@kgv.hk	664370 92	Central		Intervie w 2
Theodore Waters	17	Half	16waters@kgv.hk	916359 90	Sai Kung		Interview 3
Kellen Osborne	18	Half	16kel@kgv.hk		Sai Kung		Interview 4
Nathan Chan	18	Chines e	16sadas@kgv.hk	922482 92	Ho Man Tin		Subject 3
Cherie Chan	17	Chines e	16chan@kgv.hk	605157 79	?		Intervie w 4
Rocky Choi	17	Chines e	ROckychoi@gmail. com	605157 79	?		Subject 1

#### Work flow sheet

No.1	Tasks
1	Mood board/ developing ideas

	Mind map
2	Treatment/ proposal
3	Location scouting
4	Gathering actors and asking their permission
5	Sound design plan
6	Storyboard
7	Shot List
8	Shooting schedule
9	Daily call sheet
10	Edit decision list
11	Permission

### **Extract of Production schedule**

March

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
				1	2	3	4
				-			
	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	12	13	14	15	16th	17th	18th
					- Ask actors for permission - Ask Ipsita to location scout her apartment - Think of Locations to choose from	- Storyboard	- Moodboard - Mind Map - Developing Ideas - Proposal - Production Schedule

2	19th	20th	21st	22nd	23rd	24th	25th
	Scouting - Equipment - Props? -	-No lesson -Finalise actors -Location scouting - Planning Props	Identification/contact information	- Storyboard - Shot list - Screenplay?	- Budget - Props	- Dubchart - Sound Report -	- Contingency Plan - ScreenPlay
3	26th	27th	28th	29th	30th	31st	1st April
		No lesson	Risk assessment Consent to property	Shot list- Half Day Risk assessment Contingency plan	- Easter start	- Rehearsal	
4	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
		No lesson		Editing Workflow		Change locations and change plans	Location scouting Green screen room
5	9th	10th	12th	13th	14th	15th	16th
	Location scouting write up		Filming	- End of easter		First Draft	
	17th	18th	19th	20th	21st	22nd	23rd
No	Filming in the green screen room	Filming in the screen screen room	Filming in the Green screen room	Editing Utrakeying	Editing Ultra Keying	Editing	Editing
	24th	25th	26th	27th	28	29	30
	Editing 1 Editing	REfilming  2 Editing	Editing  3 Refilming	Re filming 4 Editing	Editing 5 Editing	Editing 6 Editing	Re filming 7 Editing
	8	9	10				
	Refilming	Editing	Final deadline				
	Weeks of Holiday						
	Mr spashett Lessons						

Possible filming dates			
Days of Holiday			

## Structure of documentary

### Task completion

Yes	
No	
In progress	

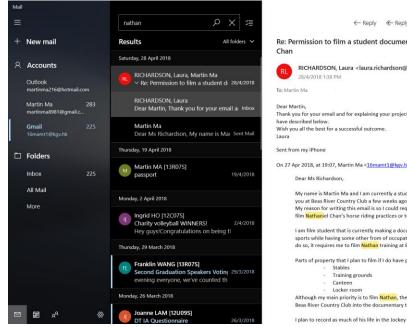
#### List

Things to do	Complete?
Filming	
Gathering Actors/	
Booking	
Test shot	
Time schedule	
Editing Workflow	
Asking actors permission	
Equipment list	
Props	
Shot list	
Budget	
Proposal	
Mind map	
Contingency Plan/ Risk assessment	

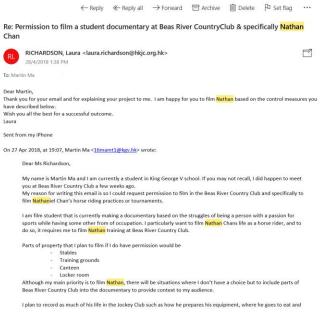
Storyboard	
Consent for property	
Dubchart	
Location Scouting	

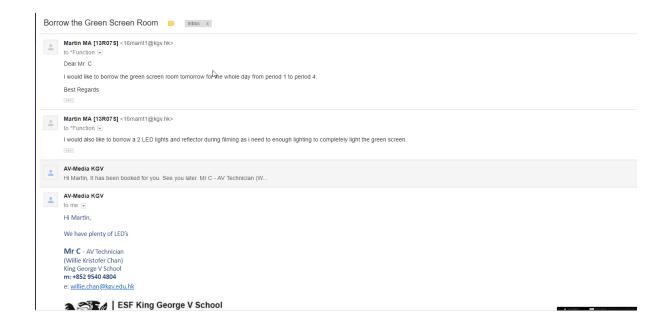
#### **Evidence**

### **Use of property**



Use of equipment





### **Location scouting**

### Interview 1 (Rocky)

#### Location 1



Location	Office
Sound	<ul> <li>Computer typing</li> </ul>

	<ul> <li>Conversations with coworkers</li> <li>Foot steps</li> <li>Books</li> <li>Printing</li> <li>Aircon</li> </ul>
Lighting	<ul> <li>Ambient light from windows</li> <li>Artificial light from head lights</li> <li>Cold light</li> </ul>
Obstructions	<ul><li>Office areas</li><li>Chairs</li><li>Cramped walk ways</li><li>Paper</li></ul>
Problems	<ul> <li>Need to ask permission to film people</li> <li>Tripping on wires</li> </ul>
Health and safety Budget Projections	- Make sure that No need

#### Location 2 Office



Location	Office
Sound	- Computer typing
	<ul> <li>Conversations with co</li> </ul>
	<mark>workers</mark>
	- Foot steps
	<mark>- Books</mark>
	<mark>- Printing</mark>
	<mark>- Aircon</mark>
	<u>-</u>
Lighting	<ul> <li>Ambient light from</li> </ul>
	windows
	<ul> <li>Artificial light from head</li> </ul>
	lights
	- Cold light
	-
<b>Obstructions</b>	- Office areas
	- Chairs
	- Cramped walk ways
	- <mark>Paper</mark>
	-
<u>Problems</u>	<ul> <li>Need to ask permission to</li> </ul>
	film people
	<ul> <li>Tripping on wires</li> </ul>

Health and safety	<ul> <li>Make sure that</li> </ul>
<b>Budget Projections</b>	No need

## **Location 3 Beas River Country Club**



Location	Beas River Country Club
Light	Advantages-
Sound	Advantages  • Barely any environmental sounds inside the room.  Disadvantages  - Too much ambient sound - Tress bustling  Sounds

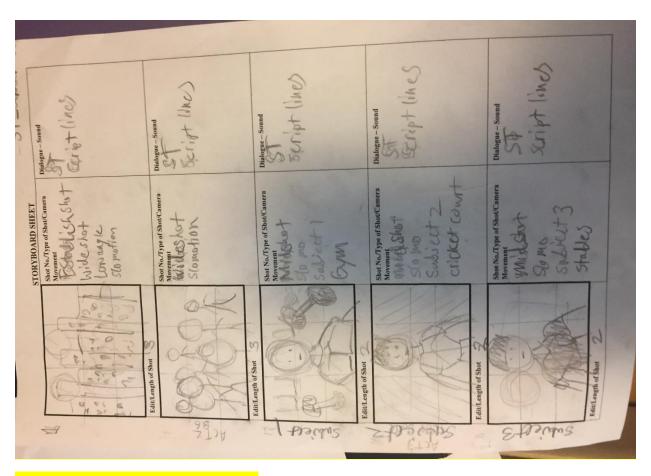
	- Cricket players - Talking - Running - Trees - Wind Birds
Obstructions	<ul> <li>Need to gain the coach or head manager of Beas River permission to film</li> <li>Restricted areas</li> </ul>
Problems	<ul> <li>Need to gain the coach or head manager of Beas River for permission to film</li> <li>Too much ambient noise.</li> <li>Cannot record the subjects voices clearly</li> <li>Unable to film certain things</li> </ul>
Health and safety	<ul> <li>The actors will be in a controlled area where they will be acting in a spacious area. This is to ensure no actor damages the equipment or damage furniture.</li> <li>Actors are ensures that they stay hydrated</li> </ul>
Budget projections	<ul> <li>Bus usually costs \$5-10 from Ho Man Tin to KCC</li> <li>Taxi costs \$30</li> </ul>

Location 4 KCC Cricket pitch

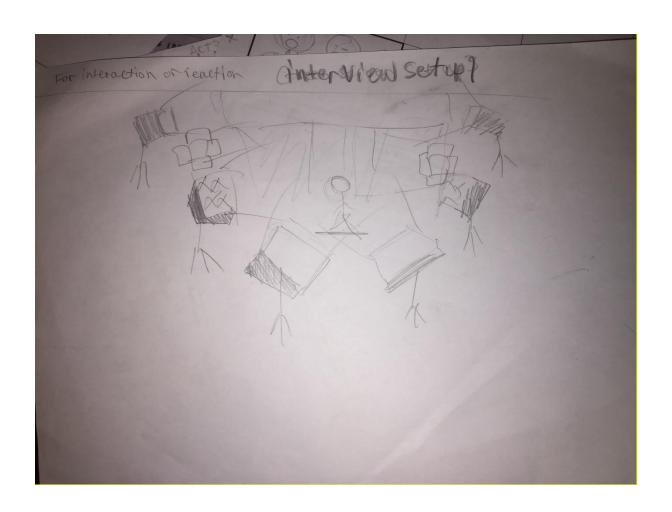


Location	KCC Cricket pitch	
Light	Advantages-	
	<ul><li>Can sometimes be too sunny or shady</li><li>Cannot perfectly light up a persons face</li></ul>	
Sound	Advantages  • Barely any environmental sounds inside the room.  Disadvantages  - Too much ambient sound  - Tress bustling	
	Sounds - Cricket players - Talking - Running - Trees - Wind - Birds	
Obstructions	<ul> <li>Need to gain the coach or head manager of KCC permission to film</li> <li>Restricted areas</li> </ul>	

Problems	<ul> <li>Need to gain the coach or head manager of KCC permission to film</li> <li>Too much ambient noise.</li> <li>Cannot record the subjects voices clearly</li> <li>Unable to film certain things</li> </ul>
Health and safety	<ul> <li>The actors will be in a controlled area where they will be acting in a spacious area. This is to ensure no actor damages the equipment or damage furniture.</li> <li>Actors will be ensured to stay hydrated outdoors at all times</li> </ul>
Budget projections	<ul> <li>Bus usually costs \$5-10 from Ho Man Tin to KCC</li> <li>Taxi costs \$30</li> </ul>



Lighting set up for interview



### **Personnel**

<mark>Subject</mark>	<mark>Name</mark>	<mark>Age</mark>	<mark>Phone</mark>	Living Place
			<mark>Number</mark>	
<mark>Main</mark>	Nathan Chan	<mark>18</mark>	<mark>+852</mark>	<mark>Ho Man tin</mark>
<mark>character 1</mark>			<mark>14347675</mark>	
<mark>Main</mark>	Rocky	<mark>35</mark>	<mark>+852</mark>	<b>Netherlands</b>
<mark>character 2</mark>			<mark>7684</mark> 56344	
<mark>Main</mark>	<mark>Avinash</mark>	<mark>18</mark>	<mark>+852</mark>	<mark>Whampoa</mark>
<mark>character 3</mark>	<b>Dishingwani</b>		<mark>463464252</mark>	
MC 1	Nathans Dad	<mark>40's</mark>	<mark>+852</mark>	HO Man tin
<mark>interview</mark>			<mark>4252343423</mark>	
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Mc	<mark>Ingrid Ip</mark>	<mark>20's</mark>	<mark>+852</mark>	<mark>TST</mark>
Interview(2)			<mark>62352452</mark>	
MC 3	<mark>Avinash</mark>	<mark>16-17</mark>	<mark>+852</mark>	<mark>Whampoa</mark>
<mark>interview</mark>	<mark>Friends</mark>		<mark>26246422</mark>	
<mark>(1)</mark>			<mark>23523411</mark>	

## **Budgeting**

<b>Things</b>	Cost	<mark>Uses</mark>
<b>Transportation-</b>	5-8 for bus	Every day
Buses, Cars and	<mark>30-50 car</mark>	
trains	4-10 train	
<b>Borrowing</b>	<mark>Free</mark>	<mark>Everyday</mark>
<mark>equipment</mark>		
Paying for venues	Free or \$200 per	Depending on the
	<mark>hour</mark>	<mark>situation</mark>

## Equipment list

Tools	<b>Explanation</b>	
Canon 700D	Advantages	
	- Can switch lenses	
	<ul> <li>Can change the exposure manually</li> </ul>	
	<mark>- Portable</mark>	
	- Able to connect tripod on	
	- 1080p 30fps max	
	- Takes good photos	
	<ul> <li>Decent shutter speed, iso and aperture settings</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Easy to use system</li> </ul>	
	<u>Disadvantages</u>	
	- Heavy to carry	
	<ul> <li>Requires carrying multiple lenses in a camera bag</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Auto focus is not very accurate and slow</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Switching in between lenses take a long time</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Decent battery life</li> </ul>	
<mark>Sony A5</mark>	Advantages	
<mark>Digital</mark>	- Extremely light weight	
Camera	<mark>- Portable</mark>	
	<ul> <li>Able to record at 1080p 50fps</li> </ul>	

	- Can switch lenses
	- Digital camera
	- Can connect to a tripod
	<ul> <li>Good for vlogging or documentary</li> </ul>
	- Great auto focus
	- Easy to use digital system
	<b>Disadvantages</b>
	- Cannot record in 60 fps
	- No stabiliser
	- Decent battery life
	Reason why it will help with my documentary
	-
2 LED lights	Advantages
	<ul> <li>High voltage of light</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Can change colours depending on filters?</li> </ul>
	- Adjust the brightness settings
	- Portability
	- Light weight
	Disadvantages
	<ul> <li>Heavy if holding two or more LED lights including the batteries</li> </ul>
	ricary in notating two of more ELD lights including the batteries
	Reasons
Deflecter	Advantages
Reflector	Advantages
	- Light weight
	- Portable
	- Easy to take out
	<u>Disadvantages</u>
	- Can be used effectively outdoors and indoors
<b>Tripod</b>	Advantages
	- Portable
	- Medium weight
	- Adujustable height
	- Useful for still shots and
	- Able to pan or tilt the camera
	- Can be connected to most cameras
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	<b>Disadvantages</b>
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	<ul> <li>Can be annoying to carry for a long period of time</li> <li>Time consuming when adjusting the height or angle of the tripod</li> <li>Need to hold the tripod by hand</li> </ul>
Monopod	Advantages  - Portable - Light weight - Adjustable height - Useful when recording hand held shots - Stabilises camera for smoother handheld camera movements
	Disadvantages  - Cannot smoothen camera movement 100% - Cannot be placed still like a tripod - s
Sound recorder H2N or H4N	Advantages  - Crystal Clear sounds  - Can recive sound from al types of angles depending on the settings  - Record in high quality WAV sound files  - Able to connect it to your camera or other devices
	<ul> <li>Disadvantages</li> <li>Takes time to boot up the system</li> <li>Usually used for recording interviews rather than recording outside or while walking with the recorder</li> <li>Low battery life</li> </ul>
SD Card	Advantages Able to store up 64gb of video or audio files - Extremely light weight - Portable - Can be used for most video, photography or audio technological device - Transfers files quickly  Disadvantages - Too small that it could be lost

Portable Chargers and batteries	- Sometimes it requires reformatting - Short term storage - Short term storage - Can help with recording - Keep electronic devices running  Disadvantages - Medium weight - Carrying puts a burden on the weight of your equipment - Carrying puts a burden on the weight of your equipment
Adobe Premier Pro	Advantages  - Complex editing programme  Disadvantages  - Too complex sometimes  - Rendering is annoying
Dead Cat	<ul> <li>Advantages         <ul> <li>Cancels out noise and other environmental ambient sound such as wind or background noise</li> </ul> </li> <li>Disadvantages         <ul> <li>Needs to be put on a sound recorder and taken off later</li> <li>Annoying because it's somewhat time consuming</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
RoadMic	Advantages  - Can be added on a DSLR camera - Replaces the DSLR recording mic. This avoids editing separate audio files and video files together during post production - Light weight - Portable - Disadvantages - Cannot record people from a distance because it's connected to the camera - Unless you borrow a cable

Shots	Location	Angles	Shots	Duration	Successful	Camera movements?
1	Central	Mid angle	Wide	2	Yes	No
2	Mong Kok	Mid angle	Two shot	4	Yes	No
3	Central	Mid angle	Mid	3	Yes	No
4	Central	Low angle	Mid	4	Yes	No
5	Central	Mid angle	Close up	3	Yes	No
6	Sports ground	Mid angle	Wide shot	2	Yes	No
7	Sports ground	Mid angle Mid angle	Insert shot	3	Yes	No
8	Apartment Interview	Mid angle	Wide shot	3	Yes	No
9	Green screen room	Mid angle	Insert shot	4	Yes	Yes
1	Apartment Interview	Mid angle	Wide shot	5	Yes	No
11	Sports ground	Mid angle	Insert shot	10	Yes	No
12	Green screen room	Mid angle	Wide shot	12	Yes	No
13	Sports ground	Mid angle	Insert shot	15	Yes	Yes
14	Apartment Interview	Low angle	Wide shot	2	Yes	No

15	Apartment Interview	Mid angle	Insert shot	4	Yes	No
16	Sports ground	Mid angle	Wide shot	5	Yes	No
17	Sports ground	Mid angle	Mid shot	6	Yes	No
18	Sports ground	Mid angle	Wide	2	Yes	No
19	Sports ground	Mid angle	Wide shot	3	Yes	Yes
20	Sports ground	Low angle	Mid shot	4	Yes	No
21	Sports ground	Low angle	Wide	2	Yes	No
22	Sports ground	Mid angle	Wide shot	3	Yes	No
23	Apartment interview	Mid angle	Mid shot	5	Yes	No
24	Sports ground	Low angle	Wide	5	Yes	No
25	Apartment interview	Mid angle	Wide shot	5	Yes	No
26	Green screen room	Low angle	Mid shot	10	Yes	No
27	Apartment interview	Mid angle	Wide	7	Yes	No

28	Green screen room	Low angle	Wide Wide	8	Yes	No
29	Apartment interview	Mid angle	Mid	12	Yes	No
30	Mong Kok	Mid angle	Mid	10	Yes	No

## **Shot Log**

No.	Take	Rating	Evaluation
1	3	2	Take 1 Re angle shot Take 2 Subject going out of frame

			Take 3 Focus need re adjusting Take 4
6	3	2	Take 1 Re angle shot Take 2 Subject going out of frame Take 3 Focus need re adjusting
12	2	2	Take 1 Re angle shot Take 2 Subject going out of frame
16	1	3	Take 1 Re angle shot
17	3	1	Take 1 Re angle shot Take 2 Subject going out of frame Take 3 Focus need re adjusting
20	2	2	Take 1 Subject going out of frame Take 2 Adjust focus
21	2	2	Take 1 Subject going out of frame Take 2 Adjust focus
22	2	2	Take 1 Subject going out of frame Take 2 Adjust focus
25	3	1	Take 1 Re angle shot Take 2 Subject going out of frame Take 3 Focus need re adjusting
27	3	1	Take 1 Re angle shot Take 2 Subject going out of frame Take 3 Focus need re adjusting

**Extract of Dub chart when recording at Mong Kok** 

Shots	FX 1(soundtrack)	FX 2 Foot steps	FX 3 Other people talking	FX4 Subject speaking	Street	Fx 6 Vehicles	Fx 7
1							
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`Task	Location	Risk level	Hazards	How to prevent
Tripping on wires or equipment	Apartment	Medium	<ul> <li>Injuries from tripping</li> <li>Damaging equipment in green screen room or camera equipment</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Organise wires properly</li> <li>Tape the wires on the ground with red tape</li> <li>Warn the actors before they enter the green screen room</li> </ul>
Damaging furniture or equipment	Apartment/ office	Medium	<ul> <li>Damage         equipment</li> <li>Bruises or         injuries from         hitting furniture         or equipment</li> </ul>	Warn the actor to avoid the equipment or damage equipment
Getting actors to location	Everlocation	Low	<ul> <li>Actos getting lost or aren't sure where to go</li> <li>Cannot go due to bad weather conditions</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Provide them with details on how to get to the location on text or calls.</li> <li>Provide a map to them</li> <li>Change schedule date of filming</li> </ul>
Bad weather condition	Outside filming	Low	Cannot get to location due to bad whether	Change schedule     date of filming to a     better day with     good whether

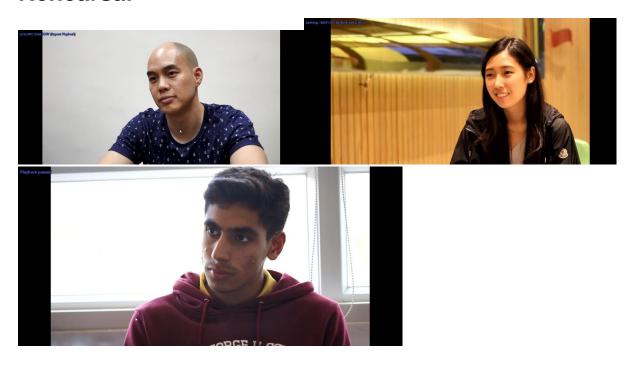
## **Contingency Plan**

Losing equipment	If I do happen to forget or my
	equipment or lose it.
	<ul> <li>Change the dates of filming</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Look for my equipment</li> </ul>

	- Contact all actors to
	postpone filming
Bad whether conditions	I would contact all my actors and change the filming dates to another day. Another option would be finding another location or filming another part of my documentary that requires an interior location.  - Send an email or text message to all actors in advance and postpone it to another day.
Facilities	If we can't use the facilities due to not having permission or being unable to film certain things in the facilities. I will find another location to film at or film at the same place on another day. It would be best to ask for permission to film in the facilitates.
People	If by any chance the actor does not turn up on time, I will have to contact the actors about what seems to be the problem and their situation. I will contact them through text message or a call as it's the fastest way to communicate with my actor. Depending on how dire the situation is, I could postpone filming to a few minutes of hours prior to the schedule or

	change it to another day of
	change it to another day of
	filming.
	If the actor cannot come for
	filming due to an injury or an
	appointment, I may call a
	replacement to film as my actor
	for my documentary.
<b>Policies</b>	If cannot gain the permission
	from the owners of the facilities,
	I would find another location to
	film at or change the date of
	filming.
	<ul> <li>Ask for permission through</li> </ul>
	<mark>email or text</mark>
Running out of battery	<ul> <li>Buy extra batteries from</li> </ul>
	nearby shops
	<ul> <li>Buy backup batteries</li> </ul>
	beforehand beforehand
	<ul> <li>Postpone filming by</li> </ul>
	sending a text or call to
	other actors
	<ul> <li>Change dates to another</li> </ul>
	day
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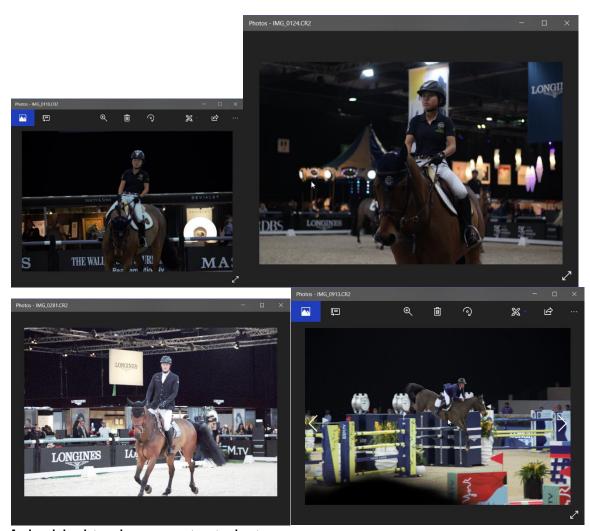
#### Rehearsal



# I have rehearsed what I plan to say to the interviewer and have rehearsed it with the actors too. This ensures that.....

- · Actors are more in tuned with their acting skills
- Less time consuming when filming the real interview
- Less mistakes between actors and filmmaker
- Everything proceeded more smoothly as everyone knew what to do.

#### **Test shots**



I decided to do some test shots

I have gone to the locations in advance to take a variety of camera angles and shots with different types of lenses. In addition, I have considered the way the subject will move and what frames are most suitable for the documentary. I have evaluated the most suitable shots to be......

- 10mm- 18mm wide lens- Establish shots
- · Low angle wide shot- Establish shots
- Mid angle Wide shot- Establish shots
- 50mm lens- Mid shots close up shots
- Low angle close up- Still shots on tripod
- 18-135mm lens- For general handheld shots
- 35mm mid angle mid shot- Mid shots
- 35mm mid angle wide shot- Mid shots
- 25mm low angle wide shot- wide shots