

Playback Modes for Screen Recordings

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Storyline captures and saves a full video recording of your capture. However, you can add it to your project in one or more of the four different playback modes.

Video	View Mode	Try Mode	Test Mode
Additional objects, such as captions and shapes, can be added and timed.			
Students watch the capture.		Students perform the steps themselves.	
Capture plays as a single video on a single slide. Actions show in real time.	Each action is converted to its own slide.		
	Slides and slide elements can be edited.		
	Automatic captions describe the steps.		Slides advance when the student performs the step properly or reaches the designated number of attempts.
	Caption text is used as the slide title.		
	Captions are available in 11 languages.		
	Captions are designed to instruct. Slides advance automatically. Slides can include animated mouse movements. Slides can include a highlight box to highlight the step being performed.	Captions are designed as hints, showing up either automatically or when the student hovers over the target area. Slides advance when the student performs the step properly.	Student can have more than one attempt. Steps are graded as questions. Results can be tracked or used for conditional logic.
		Correct and incorrect feedback can be added.	



DESIGN TIP

How do you decide which mode to use?

- First, decide if you want the student to watch or perform the steps themselves.
- If the student will be watching, decide if the procedure is simple enough to use as captured or if it is likely to need some fine-tuning and editing.
- If the students will be practicing, decide if you want to give them hints or ask them to remember the steps on their own without help.

Keep in mind that you can modify individual settings in case you want a hybrid approach, such as providing hints and tracking results.

