

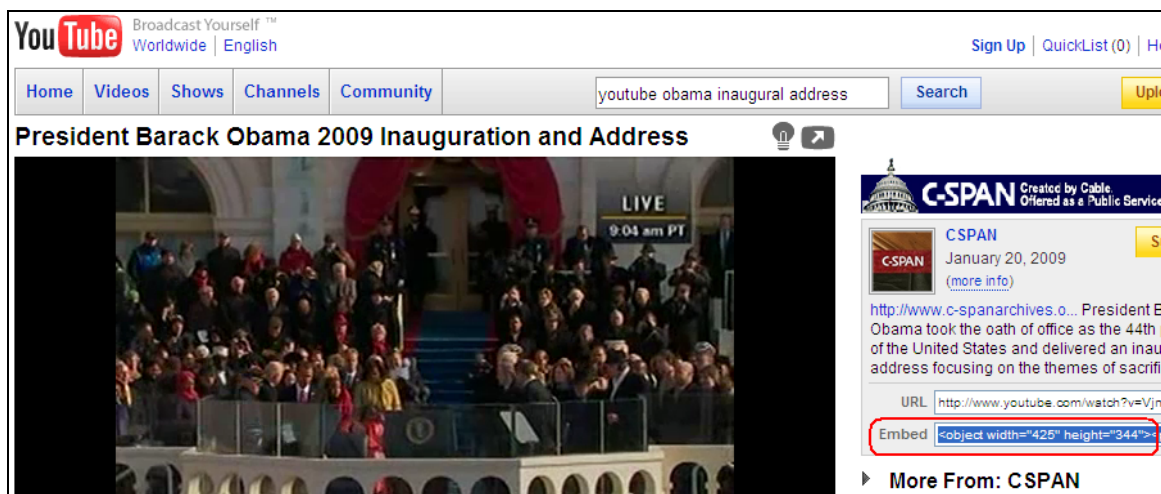
Embedding YouTube Videos into Blackboard

YouTube is a repository of video content on the Web where instructors may find useful content for instructional purposes. If you find a video on YouTube that you would like to include in a Blackboard course site, you can either link to it by adding an external link or by embedding it into a content area. Embedding a video in a content area has the advantages of putting it into the context of a course and preventing students from getting distracted by other videos on the YouTube site. Students are able to click on the video within Blackboard to play it.

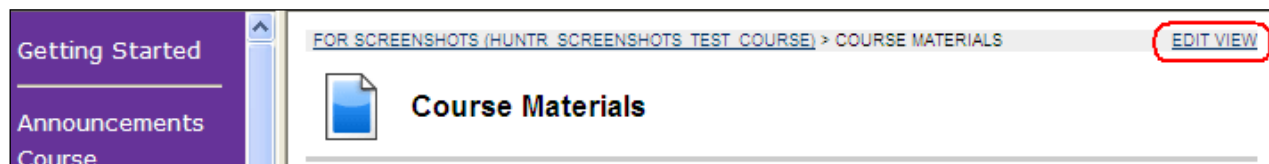


Follow these steps to copy HTML code for embedding a video from YouTube and paste it into a content area in Blackboard:

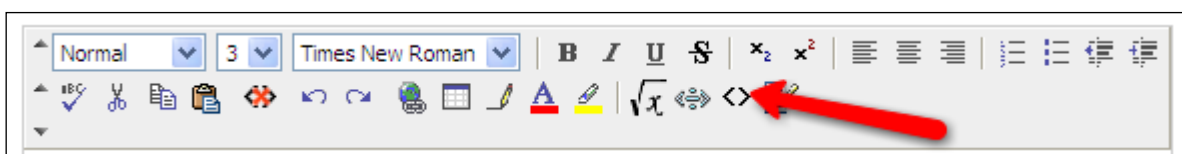
1. Find the video you want to download on the YouTube site.
2. Copy its **Embed** HTML code from the box on the right.



- Go to the content area of the Blackboard course site where you want to embed the video. (In our example, the content area chosen is **Course Materials**.)
- Click on **EDIT VIEW** link on the upper right hand corner.



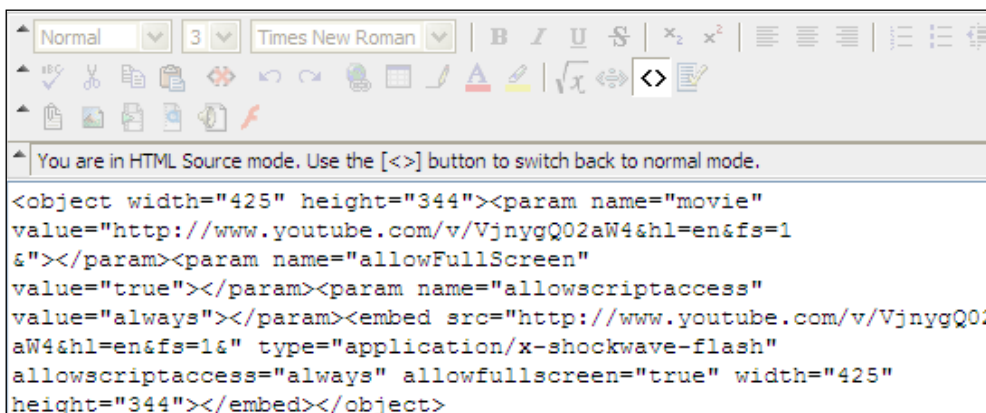
- Click on the **+Item** button to insert a new course item.
- Enter a descriptive name for the video in the **Name** box.
- Click on the **Toggle HTML Source Mode** icon (**<>**) on the second editing tool bar.



If the editing tool bar does not appear and the arrow in front of the row of tools is pointing down, click on the arrow once.



- Paste the embed HTML code.



- Scroll down and click on the **Submit** button.

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