



SON 214 Technology Classroom Help Sheet

Starting Your Presentation:

1. Locate the black "Removable Wall Panel" and if the screen is black (in sleep mode), touch the screen to wake it up . The beginning screen is designated by the Fairfield University logo and a picture of the Crew Team. You will notice Up and Down buttons for the electric screens. You may lower the screens at this time or it will be done automatically when you select the projector that projects to its respective electric screen.
2. You may detach the removable wall panel at any time . Removing the panel will not disrupt any of the equipment that is in use. To remove the wall panel, touch the "Undock Panel" button on the screen. You will be brought to a numerical keypad screen to enter the code to undock the panel. Enter the code (3506) and press "Enter." The panel will unlock. Do not be alarmed by the unlocking noise; the panel will not fall out of the dock. If the panel does not undock, press the "Clear" button and re-enter the code. You may exit the screen as well by pressing the "Exit" button.
3. Next, Press the " SYS ON " button at the top right-hand side of the wall panel.
4. You will be asked "What type of presentation would you like to have?" Select the "Single" or "Dual" option . The "Single" option will allow you to choose the left <u>or</u> right projector while the "Dual" option will allow you to choose the left <u>and</u> right projector.
5. If choosing the "Single" option, select it, and then select the left <u>or</u> right projector . When you select the projector its respective screen will automatically lower for you. If you select the "Dual" option, both screens will automatically lower and the projector will go through a warming up process. Then move on to the next step.
6. Then you will need to select an option from the buttons on the left of the console. There are five options to select from: <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ The "LAPTOP" button will show the image on your laptop.▪ The "COMPUTER" button will show the Instructor's computer.▪ The "Remote" button is not being used at this time.▪ The "DVD" button will show the DVD player and▪ The "VCR/TV" button will show the VCR player.
7. Make your selection by pressing the associated button.

Presenting from a Laptop

1. Before starting your presentation, you must connect your laptop via the VGA and Audio cable (if you need sound) to the multimedia system. One end of the cable will be plugged into the media console and the other end will plug into the VGA port on your laptop. **IMPORTANT NOTE for Mac Users:** you must use a VGA dongle to connect to the VGA cable.
2. When done, follow the "Starting Your Presentation" instructions. When you reach Step 6, choose the "**LAPTOP**" button to display your laptop. **IMPORTANT NOTE:** You may have to adjust your laptop's resolution to properly display your screen image through the projector. PC users may have to press "**F8**" or the function button associated with your external display to display their image through the VGA port on their laptop. Mac users may need to press "**F7**."
3. The "Now Displaying Laptop" screen will now appear on the removable wall panel and the Laptop image will appear from the selected projector.

To use the Instructor's computer and/or to present using the StarPanel

1. To use the Dell computer in the console you must select the **COMPUTER** button on the wall panel first. To do so, follow the "Starting Your Presentation" instructions. When you reach Step 6, choose "COMPUTER" to display the Instructor's station. The "Now Displaying COMPUTER" screen will appear on the removable wall panel and the Instructor's computer image will appear on the StarPanel and from the selected projector.

If you would like to use the StarPanel options, please refer to the StarPanel documentation for instruction.

Presenting from the DVD player

1. To start, follow the “Starting Your Presentation” instructions. When you reach Step 6, choose the **“DVD” button** to display the DVD image. The DVD control screen will appear on the removable wall panel.
2. In the upper right-hand corner of the screen, you will see a button for “more controls.” This button allows you to toggle back and forth between controls. Place the DVD into the player; it will automatically start playing. Use the controls on the removable wall panel for DVD playback options.

Presenting from the VCR player

1. To start, follow the “Starting Your Presentation” instructions. When you reach Step 6, choose the **“VCR/TV” button** to display the VCR image. The VCR control screen will appear on the removable wall panel.
2. The VCR will prompt you on the wall panel to insert a tape if there is no tape present. Place a tape into the VCR and use the controls on the removable wall panel for VCR playback options.

Ending your Presentation ****You must shut down the Audio Visual System when done!!!****

1. To turn off the projectors as well as raise the electric screens, select the **“SYS OFF” button** on the right-hand side of the removable wall panel. Select the “YES” option if you wish to shut down the audiovisual system. The projector will go into a cool-down mode and the electric screens will automatically rise back into the ceiling. The wall panel will go back to the start screen.
2. If you have removed the wall panel, **place it back into the dock with the bottom part of the panel first**. Then push the side or top of the panel to the back of the dock until the panel locks into place. The panel must be replaced to recharge in the dock. Remember to take out any DVD or VCR tape that you have used.

▶ Volume for the system can be adjusted by pressing the Volume Up and Down buttons on the removable wall console.	▶ Do not shutdown the Instructor’s computer.
▶ The StarPanel has many advanced functions, including an stylus pen, which acts as a mouse while using the StarPanel’s software functions. Training for the Panel is provided by Jeff Potocki at x4069.	▶ All devices can be controlled from the removable wall panel. There is no need to manipulate any controls in the multimedia console rack.
▶ If you are switching from COMPUTER to another mode, the Instructor’s station monitor will go blank when you switch to that mode. You will not be able to use the Instructor’s station until you switch back to the COMPUTER function.	▶ To display another device through the projector, simply press that device’s button and select where you want to project it to.
▶ If you see a log-in screen when you wake up or turn on the computer, enter the username and password supplied on the monitor to login to the computer. (Username = son214, password = son214lab)	▶ When you shut off the Audio Visual System, you will not be able to use the Instructor’s computer.
▶	▶ The “HELP” button on the removable wall console can contact the Media Center for equipment problems.

Image Viewing Tip

- You can mute the projector images and raise the screens without having to shutdown the whole audio/visual system. To do so:
 1. **Select the “SYS OFF” button** on the removable wall panel.
 2. **Select the “Proj Mute” button** on the upper left or upper right part of the screen depending on which screen you want to mute. When pressed, the button will turn red and the image on the projector will be muted. To un-mute the image, simply press the “ProjMute” button again.
 3. When the projector image is muted, you can raise the electric screens by using the up and down arrows on the wall panel, and then you can use the whiteboards.