Evaluation

Overall, for my documentary I think I did good, because I managed to get it done in time even though my documentary got deleted. I did the documentary project about mental health and so it was a serious and important topic. I chose mental health because being a student myself I understand the struggles students go through I wanted to give the message to all students that they are not alone. The target audience was mainly for students because I understand the struggles students go through while studying and so I wanted to create an awareness and let students know where to get help and this gives an idea to everyone to be more aware and kinder.

The thing I struggled with was organisation and time management. My work got deleted from the computer a day before presenting the documentary to the class, this was a so stressful because the documentary didn’t go as planned first. I wanted to do interview people regarding mental health and what it means to them also how they cope with their mental health but then I didn’t have enough time. I also then had to quickly edit my documentary as I didn’t want to waste any time.

The thing that went well was the clips and camera shots. I added facts and sentences about mental health in between the clips. I did this because it gives more ideas and educates the audience about mental health. As my project didn’t go as planned, my friend filmed me walking around town and college. I chose these town because that’s where students be at break and lunch with their friends. I also recorded in college because my target audience was aimed at students.

I really enjoyed editing. I used lots of different transitions and fonts for the text to make it interesting. The music I added went well, I chose an inspiring and motivational sound, since I did mental health, I wanted to give a strong message to everyone and so the sound made it more powerful and intense. It went well with the video clips and facts. The sound makes the documentary look inspiring and motivational.

The thing I want to focus on next time is planning the project schedules in order and focusing more on time management. This would make it easier to do my project and make it less stressful.