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**Mr. Coady A1**

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**Journal Entry 4**

**Dates and Hours:** April 27th, 2011

4pm-8pm for editing

**Tasks Accomplished:** I completed the editing process for my documentary, and added the final sequencing and music. I now need to watch it, and critique it to see whether the documentary evokes the kind of emotion I wanted.

**Who:** For this portion of my project, I worked primarily alone. I will, however, watch my video with my mentor, Daniel Bell, to gain another perspective for my video’s progress and to determine whether my video has conveyed all I want it to convey.

**Where:** I worked at home to finish my editing.

**Description of Day:** During this day, I completed my video, piecing together the last footage from South Philly High, as well as interviews with administrators at both schools. I also worked to establish a link between the two schools and worked to create an adequate ending to my documentary that stresses the importance of charter schools and their place as an alternative to traditional public school.

**Reason for Experience:** This concluded my documentary, and left me in the review and revision stage of the process, which provides me the time to fix any problems and incorporate any other material I think is necessary to better understand the dilemma within the Philadelphia Public School System, and the benefits of considering charter schools as an alternative to the traditional public schools.