Changing Webcams in the Browser

You can change Webcams in your browser. This is useful for Video Notes in D2L or changing the camera in Google Meets. Note: in either case, for changes to take effect, you will have to reload the webpage so this cannot be done on the fly-- whatever camera you are using is the one you will be using for the rest of the meeting/recording. Also note that these changes will only take effect for that particular website and you will have to go through a similar process for other websites to grant permission. In this tutorial, three of the major web browsers will be discussed: Firefox, Chrome, and Edge. If you would rather a more visual tutorial, you can click on this link here.

[ Firefox ] [ Chrome ] [ Edge ]

Firefox
Video Note, you will need to go to D2 Land, in this case, click on the description for your module.

When you click on the module,
description, you will get a few options to add to it. In the upper left corner is a rectangle with a triangle pointing to the right. Click on
Upon clicking on the menu, a menu will popup. Click on Add Video Note.

When you click on Video Note, D2L will show a popup.
By clicking on the drop-down menu, Where it's a
popup in the upper lef
tasking you what Camera and Audio device to use.
"I'm grateful Webcan digging the webbing."

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step and really only useful if you are making multiple Video Notes or using Google Meet constantly or another website that requires
access to your camera. You can click on the checkbox to the left of Remember this decision so that this pop-up window does not
Once you have the camera and microphone, you want to use, click on Allow.

If you selected the Remember this decision, then...
If you want to change the camera (maybe you got a new camera), you will need to click on the red button in step 7.
You will have to go through steps 1-3 again.

When you do that, Firefox will show you analogous steps 4-7, execute steps...
You have
the Camera Allowed
and
the Microphone Allowed instead of the dropdown. Click on the X to the right of Us
e the Camera Allowed and reload the webpage.

Follow steps 1-7 again. Also note that this is saved only for this particular website.
Chrome is much easier to change the camera than in Firefox. When you open Chrome, click on the vertical dots in the upper right.
In the drop-down menu that appears, click on Settings.
In the search bar that appears in the upper mid of your screen (beneath the address bar), type in Camera.
In the list that appears, click on Site Settings.
In the next list that appears, scroll down habitually until you find Camera, which should be highlighted.

When you do that, there will be

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In the drop-down menu, choose the webcam you want to use.
In that list, underneath Camera, is Microphone. In a similar process, click on the arrow to the left of Camera to return to the list shown in step 5.
ss to Camera, choose the microphone you want to use. Often, but not always, it may say USB Microphone or Integrated Microphone.
edepending on what the browser has detected. If you are using headphones/earbuds, some browsers are smarter enough to
When you first go to a website that requires the use of your camera, a pop-up will appear in the upper-left area.
sking if you want to let the website use your Camera or not. Click on allow if you wish for this to happen, otherwise click on block.
change the Camera/ Microphone, simply follow steps 1-8. If you have D2L or another site open that is currently using your Camera.
a you may have to reload the website for the changes to take effect. You will also have to do step 9 to reach the new website that yo
you want to allow the use of your Camera or Microphone.

Edge
Changing Cameras in Edge will have a similar process. First, click on the three horizontal dots in the upper right of the browser.
In the menu that appears, choose Settings; it has a little gear icon on the left of it.

In the Search Bar in the upper-left, type in Camera.
When you type in Camera, the menu options on the right will change; find and select Camera in the menu on the right.
In the dropdown, you can select the camera you wish to use; in this case, Edge had automatically detected the external webcam.
By clicking on the arrow pointing to the left of Sarah Results, you will be taken to the menu for System Messages.
You can change the Microphone in the browser by clicking on Microphone and following similar steps for changing the...
When you go to a site that you want to use your camera for the first time, Edge will have a little pop-up in the upper-left skin.
If you want this site to use your camera and microphone. After this first time, you will not be asked again. You will have to repeat this process.
step every time you go to a new website that you want to use your camera or microphone for.