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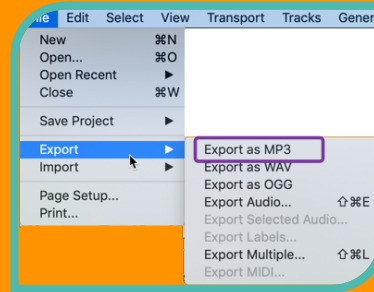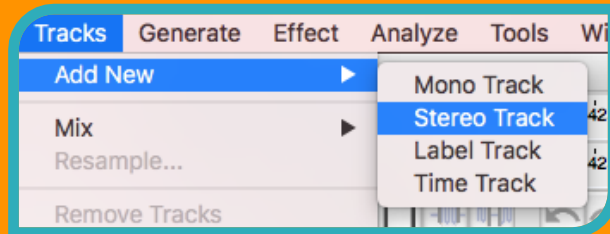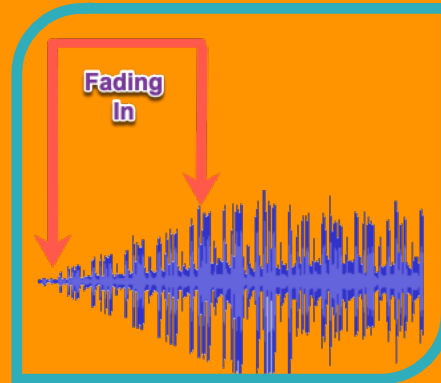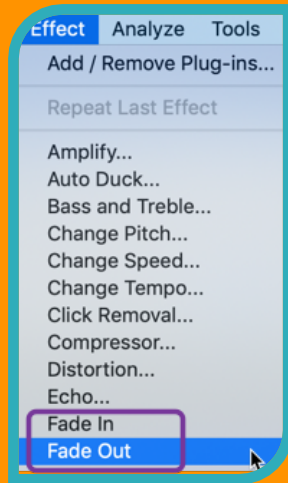
- To understand that technology can be used to control sound
- To understand that sound can be stored digitally
- To understand what a podcast is
- To plan and record a podcast
- To use digital tools to edit a podcast
- To combine audio sound and effects
- To identify the good features of a podcast
- To suggest improvements for a podcast

Key Vocabulary

Podcast	An audio file, similar to a radio broadcast, hosted online that can be listened to and/or downloaded
Audio	Recorded sound
Record	Capture sound using a digital device
Track	A stream of recorded sound
Edit	Make changes
Trim/Crop	Cut parts of the audio track
Effects	Sound, echo, fade in/out

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Examples

Key Questions

What is a podcast? Recorded sound (like a radio programme)

What is audio? Recorded sound

Who publishes podcasts? E.g. Radio broadcasters

How can you improve a podcast Edit it

Why would you edit a podcast? To make improvements. E.g. to remove mistakes, background noise, make shorter, add other tracks, add effects etc.

What are the features of a podcast? E.g. jingles, sound effects, music, host, guests, conversation

What makes a good podcast? Good audio quality, clear voices, engaging content, length, use of effects (e.g. fading, music)