# Week 2 Learning Journal

## What I Did

This week, my main task was to try inserting a video into a webpage built in the Joomla CMS environment.   
At first, I mistakenly thought that the Week 2 task was to use Joomla to add a video into the static website I had already created in Week 1 with VS Code.   
However, I soon realized that this would be very difficult and far beyond my current ability.   
Therefore, I changed my plan and decided to only try inserting a video link into a new webpage created in the Joomla environment.

## What I Learned

I learned how Joomla connects Articles and Menus, and how an article can be accessed from the frontend via a menu.   
I also tried to paste iframe code into the Joomla editor to insert a video.   
I realized that Joomla, as a CMS, is designed to manage and organize content, rather than directly embedding static HTML like in a simple webpage.

## Challenges I Faced

The biggest issue was that the video insertion failed.   
Each time I pasted the iframe code into the Joomla editor, it was automatically reset or removed.   
Because of limited time, I could not fully troubleshoot these issues.   
For now, I had to paste the intended iframe code as plain text in the article to keep a record of my attempt.   
Another challenge is that my lack of prior experience with CMS made it difficult to progress quickly.

## Reflection

This week helped me understand that Joomla is not as straightforward as writing static webpages, as it has its own logic and restrictions.   
Although I did not succeed in embedding the video, I documented the problem and thought about possible solutions for next week.   
The process was still valuable because it helped me get familiar with Joomla’s backend operations and limitations.

## Next Steps

Next week, I plan to explore how to properly insert a video link in Joomla (possibly by disabling editor filtering or installing a plugin).   
After achieving this, I will try to add more content and pages to make the site more complete.   
I also aim to gradually improve my CMS skills in preparation for future assignments.