

## How To Run An Online Film Club

Watching films, TV shows, and documentaries together online can be a form of political education as well as a way to socialise.

### Netflix Party

[Netflix Party](#), which can be downloaded for free, synchronises Netflix streaming and adds group chat.

To set up Netflix Party you'll need:

- [A Netflix account](#) - free trials are available
- [Chrome browser](#)
- [Netflix Party extension](#)

To install Netflix Party, start off by clicking the 'Install Netflix Party' button on this page. Once you are redirected to the Chrome Web Store, click 'Add to Chrome' to finish installing Netflix Party.

To create your party, first go to Netflix's website. Choose any show you would like to watch and start playing the video.

Next, click on the red 'NP' icon located next to the address bar. Then click 'Start Party' to get the party started, and share the party URL to invite friends.

To join a party click on the party URL, which will redirect to Netflix's website. Then click on the 'NP' button next to the address bar, and you should automatically join the party.

### Watch2Gether

[Watch2Gether](#) is a website that allows groups to stream Youtube, Vimeo, and Dailymotion videos together. Like Netflix Party, it adds group chat to the stream.

To get started, visit [www.watch2gether.com](http://www.watch2gether.com) and click 'Create Your Room'. Once your room has been created, use the text box at the top of the screen to search for videos, or paste the URL of a specific video to watch.

To invite others to your room, simply share the URL in your browser's address bar.

### Organising Streams

Put together a schedule of screenings in advance and ask for volunteers to 'host' each screening. The host will set up the group stream and share the URL so that others can join.

You may want to create a WhatsApp group (or similar) and an online spreadsheet to help organise the schedule and invite suggestions for future screenings.

Publicise your film schedule and the individual streams using social media and email.