

# Module 1 Session 1 Transcript

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Hello and WELCOME to the Dreamer to Doer course. I am SO excited that you're here. We're starting off with a quick orientation so you can get the most out of the course.

First up, it's SUPER IMPORTANT that that you join the Dreamer to Doer private facebook group so you can connect and interact with fellow writers who are also serious about pursuing their dream of writing a book. This course is an investment in yourself and to get the most out of that, long-term, it's important to connect with other writers, who can help motivate you and keep you focused once you do make the time to write.

Additionally, this course material may not *directly* address a specific concern you have, but there's a great chance that someone else in the group has the same obligations or responsibilities as you and may be able to give you tips on what exactly has worked for them. And of course, I'll be active on that group as well to help answer any questions you may have.

[1:15] Next up is the platform itself. So a quick way to get back to this platform and all of your course material is to go to [VIVIENREIS.COM/COURSES](https://VIVIENREIS.COM/COURSES). You can always bookmark that or the specific course page to make things easier.

So if you ever click on your course and you know you're enrolled but it tells you otherwise, that just means you've been logged out of the course. Browsers are finicky sometimes and seemingly randomly log you out of websites, so be sure to check. Once logged in, you should see the My Courses and All Courses tabs at the top.

That's how you get to the course, and you'll have lifetime access to this course and any modifications I may make to it, so you never have to worry about that.

[2:04] Opening the course, you'll see the different Modules for each course, and the Sessions under each of those. Click on your next Session and you'll see the video content, either a recording of me, or a slideshow and voiceover. Underneath that you'll see a transcript. You can download that, highlight, make notes, whatever you want.

Directly under the video content, you'll see a Download link so you can download the video on whatever device you're using and view it whenever it's most convenient for you.

Let's look at the global settings really quickly, and this will apply to all the videos in the course. I have it automatically set to NOT autoplay your next video, so you don't feel rushed through, but of course you can change that here.

Autocomplete marks that video as complete once you get to the end, so you can see in the Course overview exactly where you're at. If you turn that off, you'll have to manually click Complete & Continue.

**[3:08]** If you're having any issues with the player and seeing the videos, try changing this feature first to see if that fixes things. You can also try a different browser if it's still giving you issues--I use Chrome and haven't had any issues with this platform.

You can also vary the speed if you like, and this is something I enjoy doing in the courses that I take. Setting it here will apply to all videos, but you can also individually adjust in each Session by clicking the settings icon here. I recommend setting the quality to Auto, just to make sure you don't have any playback issues, especially if you're travelling or you're not sure how good your internet connection might be.

In the video, you can also toggle on Closed Captions, so if you don't have headphones or whatever the case may be, you can still watch the video without audio.

**[3:55]** Going back to the Course screen, you'll see a session in Module 1 titled Library. That has both your Dreamer to Doer Workbook and the Resources Checklist. Make sure to download that as it's FILLED with tons of exercises, checklists and additional information to help you transition from dreamer to doer. Additionally, the Resources checklist has every website, app, software or product that I mention in this course, so be sure to download that as well.

Alright, those are the basics! Thank you so much for watching this video, I am SO HAPPY that you're here with me, and I'll see you again in Session 2!