Learning How to Work with Titles in Movie Maker
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Placing a Title at the Beginning of Your Project

1. Click the Task button to move to the Task Pane

2. Now in the Task Pane, click on the Make titles or credits blue hyperlink.

3. Once the Where do you want to add a title screen appears, click the title at the beginning blue hyperlink.
4. The Enter Text for Title will appear. Notice that you have two windows where you can type in information. The top window is for your main title and the bottom is more for your subtitle. Go and type in the top window “My First Movie in Movie Maker”.

**Note:** When you type in the top window as well in the below window, the screen to your right will show you a preview of what your title will look like. At the moment, it applies the Fade In and Out text animation by default. Later on in this exercise we will change the text animation for our title.

5. Now in the bottom window type in “By” then press the return key and then type in your Name.

**Changing the Title Animation**

1. Click on the Change the title animation blue hyperlink located at the bottom of the screen.
2. The Choose the Title Animation screen will appear, just scroll and click on the different animations. When you click on a particular animation, refer to the window to the right to see a preview of that title animation.
3. When you’re done exploring the different title animations, go ahead and select Moving Titles, Layered.

**Changing the Text Font and Color**

More options:
- [Edit the title text](#)
- [Change the text font and color](#)

1. Go ahead and click on the **Change the text font and color** blue hyperlink located under the More options.

2. You’ll now see the Select Title Font and Color screen.
3. Go ahead and play around with the options and make some changes to the font and color attributes. You’re creating a title for your movie.

4. Now we’re done with this title, and we want to add this to the beginning of your project located in your timeline, so click the **Done, add title to movie** blue hyperlink.
Now you should see your new title at the beginning of the timeline.

**Moving the Existing Audio Clips**

You need to keep in mind that if you insert a title, the audio clips that you placed at particular locations will not move with the existing video clips. You’ll need to adjust the audio clips, so they play at the right spot in your video. Look at the above illustration and notice that the first audio clip is starting at the very beginning of the movie when it should be starting at the beginning of the first video clip. All of the audio clips will need to be adjusted.

1. Move the second audio clip (Walk of Life.mp3) so it’s starting right after the transition ending before the Training video clip.
2. Now move the first video clip (Why Worry.mp3) so it’s starting at the same time as the College Entrance video clip.

3. Move the fourth audio clip so it starts up when the first picture displays and then move the third audio clip so it starts when the College Entrance (1) video clip starts.

4. Test out your movie at the beginning and make sure it looks and sounds fine.