

My Movies-Windows Live Movie Maker

HOME Add photos or videos from my pictures, disk, memory stick, or card whatever is on or plugged in to your computer.

Go to ANIMATIONS- TRANSITIONS or PAN & ZOOM, arrow at end of patterns gives more options.

For more options on Transitions there is also an arrow.

Click - Apply to All- if you want to put the same transitions or pan & zoom to each photo, or you can add Individual transitions or pan and zoom to each photo.

HOME –Add music from computer- click on the track you want to open , this will import music.

HOME-To add TITLE, You can change type, background colour, size and boldness here. You can also add CAPTIONS to any photo after clicking on individual photos and typing the caption and you can also add the effect to change the way the caption shows, move the caption around the photo to place, and resize the type.

PROJECT –Click "Fit to music" so that the music ends when the photos end. If you have lots of photos you can add more music from where the last piece finishes – don't click fit to music until you have decided if you need more than one piece of music or if you do and change your mind don't forget to fit to music again before you finish the project.

PROJECT – Also allows you to change appearance from Standard to Wide Screen – depends on your photo- be it landscape or portrait – if photo has been cropped you will get background of colour – whatever you chose in the beginning, so individual choice.

EDIT- Allows any changes to Volume and Duration of each photo.

DON'T FORGET TO SAVE PHOTOS MUSIC ETC INTO A FOLDER FOR YOUR PROJECT. Also saving as you go along will be beneficial if you have a large movie and want to go back to it later – saves time in the long run if you hit the wrong button (like me)!

I don't mind if you call me if you get stuck. You can get info on this programme if you just Google – Instruction for Windows Live Movie Maker.

Enjoy,

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