Tech Tip: Creating a Digital Narrative with Photostory

Step I. Pictures

- Make a folder on the desktop
- Search Google images for pictures or load your own images onto computer. Place all images in your Folder. Images with a higher resolution will look sharper (500 pixels width or height is acceptable.).
- Open *Photostory* and import images into timeline. Arrange images in proper sequence.
- Import one black image for the background of your title slide.
- Edit photos—remove black edges, crop if necessary, add effects to create homogeneity
- Add pan-and-zoom effect to pictures if desired (See "custom motion").

Step II. Text

- Add title—make a black slide if you don't want your title on an image
- Add subtitles.
- Note: adding text to a slide turns off the pan-and-zoom effect which is automatically added to each slide.

Step III. Sound

- Script a dialogue for each slide in the textbox provided.
- Click on record button and add voice-over narration to each image.

Step IV. Music

 Select / create background music from program choices or import your own mp3 file

Save

• Save project for re editing as a wp3 file in YOUR folder. Be careful to NAME your movie project

AND

- Save for computer playback as a .wmv file in your folder. NAME your movie.
- Save folder in thawspace /or on your flash key.