

BOOK TRAILERS

To create a custom book trailer, follow these steps:

1. Create a storyboard with the title, author, and important events (make sure to not give anything big away!) from the book.
2. Plan what pictures best portray your message.
3. Write a script detailing what you want to say.
4. Decide the type of music you would like to add to your book trailer. Use [Bensound](#) for this. (Do not forget to credit the source at the end of your trailer!)
5. Once you are ready, use Movie Maker to create your book trailer.

Requirements:



1. Your Book Trailer needs to be between 1 ½ - 2 minutes in length.
2. At the end, there should be credits for all pictures and/or music used, unless it was from the public domain.
3. There needs to be music and voice recordings throughout the movie.

Searching for pictures:

You will need to find pictures that are representative of the book. Pictures from the movie or actual book cover are probably copyrighted. **You must make your own book cover using Publisher*.**

Final Steps:

Once your Movie Maker project is finished, you must turn it into a movie. Use one of the two options to save as a movie:

-  Movie Maker—Home Tab—Save movie OR
-  Movie Maker—File Tab—Save Movie

Save this movie to your H: drive. Call the file the name of the movie with your initials. (CityofEmberMO)

Upload the movie to Google drive and share it with me.

MAKING a BOOK COVER IN PUBLISHER

- 📖 Use an 8 x 11 (normal size paper, portrait)
- 📖 If you want your book to be a color other than white, insert a shape; make it the size of the page, and change to the color you want to use. Do NOT change the background color---this won't work,
- 📖 Use pictures, shapes, etc. to create your cover.
- 📖 Use Word Art for the title and the author of the book—make sure you capitalize correctly.
- 📖 Once you have your cover the way you would like it, select all objects and group.
- 📖 Right click and “Save as Picture.” Save this to your Digital Literacy File on your H: drive.