

## iMOVIE BASICS :Margit Boyesen W4C 2010

<b>SCRIPT (WRITING)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Write your script</li> <li>• Reread / Edit</li> <li>• Make sure your script includes all the detail/ description you want</li> <li>• Your script is the “roadmap” to your movie</li> </ul>
<b>IMAGES (PICTURES)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Choose pictures to represent your writing</li> <li>• Save pictures in the folder you made in <i>documents</i></li> <li>• Drag pictures to <i>iPhoto</i></li> <li>• Add pictures <i>in the order</i> you want them to appear</li> </ul>
<b>TRANSITIONS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Add a transition (cool way to get to the next picture!) between each image if you want to</li> </ul>
<b>VOICE OVERS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• When you’re ready, record your script</li> <li>• You can use the basic principles of editing from Garageband to help you edit in iMovie (remember, you can split a voice clip and delete the parts you don’t want)</li> </ul>
<b>TITLES (Introduction) (Credits)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Think Hollywood movies! What’s the first thing you see when you start up a movie? (The title!)</li> <li>• Create a title slide to introduce your movie</li> <li>• Be sure you have your name and the title of your movie</li> <li>• The title slide can be over black or over a picture</li> <li>• You can choose if you want to say the title as part of your voice over, or if you want it to be silent</li> </ul>
<b>TIMING</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• So important!</li> <li>• Adjust your picture length to fit your edited voice over</li> <li>• What you say should match your pictures</li> </ul>
<b>EXTRAS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If you have time, you can add music (but make sure the music isn’t so loud that we can’t hear your voice recording ☺)</li> <li>• If you have time, you can add words to each slide to add to your script</li> </ul>
<b>SAVING</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• iMovie automatically saves your project even if you close iMovie</li> </ul>

### Starting a Project in iMovie

1. **open** iMovie
2. select “**New Project**” and give it a name; it will stay in iMovie unless you delete it (iMovie saves your project automatically).