Steps for beginning your work on I-Movie – Weather Forecasts!

1. Save your POWERPOINT of all slides as pictures

a. Open your powerpoint

b. Go to File – Save As Pictures

c. Be sure to save it to a space where you can get it onto the computer your movie clips are saved to. Either onto your jump drive or onto the actual desktop if you are currently working on that computer.

d. A box will come up that says a folder has been made – click ok. A folder will appear, named the same thing as said in above.

e. Find this folder on your desktop or on your jump drive to be sure the slides are all there – they will be saved as .jpg

2. Double-click on folder with the slides pictures in it

3. Open up i-movie

a. Get into PROJECT LIBRARY

b. Click on New Project

c. Name your project: 5ER+ names of you during your weather forecast

d. For format, you want STANDARD (not widescreen)

e. Nothing should be checked where it says Cross-Dissolve, leave blank

f. Click ok on bottom right to continue and finish

g. You should now have blank spaces in the new I-movie in which to drag your actual slide pictures – which we will do next!

4. Back to your Folder of Slide Images (remember they are now .jpgs)

a. Drag each slide, in order, to your newly named I-movie project.

b. Once all slides are in order, you will need to go to each slide to get the little blue box on each slide to change the Ken Burns effect. You may choose either: FIX or CROP.

c. That little blue box is the tool you will use later again when you need to switch the time of the slide to match the video clip.

5. Now you are ready to match video clip to the slide

a. Get a set of headphones – with a splitter – so that both you and your partner can listen.

b. Find the video clip for the first slide. Determine how long this clip should be (this is when you get the yellow bars on the outside and the red play line across it as you SCRUB across the clip – remember this?!)

c. When you know how much time you will use, go to your slide up top, get the blue box, top item is clip adjustment.

d. Put in the correct amount of time so you can match the video time e. Go back to the video clip and capture the correct part (yellow lines on the outside as brackets and the red play list –the little white hand will appear)

f. Drag this to the edge of the red line on your slide.

g. Box will come up where you will select either GREEN SCREEN or AUDIO ONLY.

6. Repeat this step #5 for all slides and video clips

7. When you have successfully matched all video and slides, you are ready to move to Title Slides.

b. This is when you will be choosing backgrounds, adding music or jingles,

etc.

c. You are allowed to add credits, etc., but only when and if you get the actual movie clip successfully created.

HAVE FUN. STAY PATIENT. EXPLORE A LITTLE AND TAKE DEEP BREATHES WHEN YOU FEEL YOURSELF STARTING TO RUSH.