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Comic Life & Adobe Acrobat Pro Version 8 Teams Up for Reading Comprehension

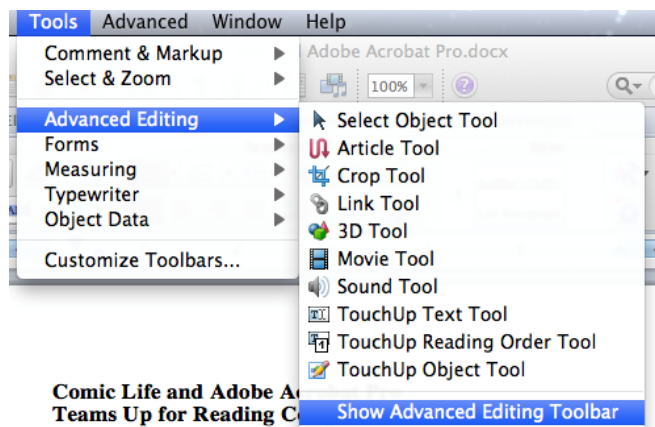
Comic Life (www.plasq.com)

Adobe Acrobat X Pro (www.adobe.com)

Quick Start

- After creating a Comic Life social story, set of sequenced pictures for visual cues or any other picture based lesson your student needs. If you are going to add a movie clip to one of the cells, leave it blank in Comic Life. Use voice and thought bubbles as well as text boxes that you might have read to the student.
- From the finished and saved file, create a PDF in Acrobat X Pro.
- Now complete the file to add recorded sound, sound files, or movie clips to your Comic.

- First we need to locate our tools
- Click “Tools” in the ribbon
- Click Advance editing, you then choose your tool or instead click “Show Advance Editing Toolbar” this way your tools are a floating toolbar ready whenever you need it.



- From Left to right the tools are
- Select
- Marquee Select
- Crop
- Hyperlink
- Insert Shapes
- Insert Video
- Insert Sound
- Edit text
- Right click for touch ups



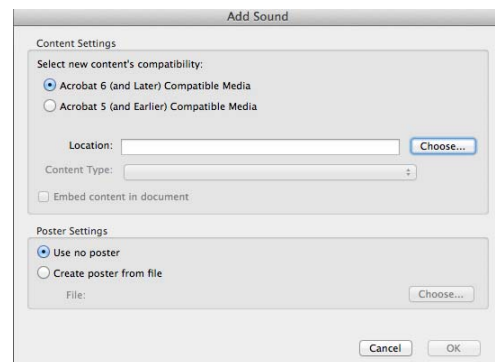
Adding Audio Comments

Pre-recorded Sound Clip (wav, mp3...)

- Click the audio Icon
- Cross hairs appear, Click down and drag the mouse over the area where you want the sound to play.
Be sure to make it large enough for students with mouse deficiencies, Draw a box over the speech/thought bubbles.



- A pop up window will appear, click browse and locate the sound file you wish to attach.



- Audio file types supported
- Click OK

Click here to select a content type.

- application/sdp
- application/smil
- application/x-rtsp
- application/x-sdp
- audio/aiff
- audio/basic
- audio/mid
- audio/midi
- audio/mp3
- audio/mp4
- audio/mpeg
- audio/mpeg3
- audio/mpegurl
- audio/vnd.qcelp
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- audio/x-midi
- audio/x-mp3
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- audio/x-mpegurl
- audio/x-sd2
- audio/x-wav

- Now your sound is attached, as seen from the red box.

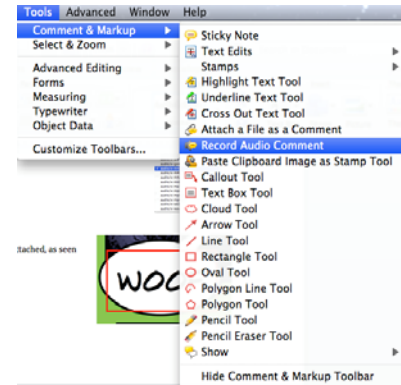


- To test the sound you need to select the hand tool.
- Then click where in inserted the sound, Then it should play.



Record Live

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- Click “Tools” in the ribbon
- Click Comment & Markup, you then choose your tool or instead click “Show Comment & Markup Toolbar” this way your tools are a floating toolbar ready whenever you need it.



- From Left to right the tools are
- Add a sticky Note
- Text edits
- Mark with a stamp
- Highlight text
- Make a live recording
- Callout
- Text
- Drawing tools



- Click the make a live recording button
- Then your cursor appears as a speaker
- Click on the page where you wish the sound to be attached



- Then a pop up window will appear
- Click Record, Wait 2 seconds then speak
- Click stop, then click play to playback your recording
- Click OK
- You can move the sound if desired
- Here is the live sound symbol in the upper left of the Food Though bubble.

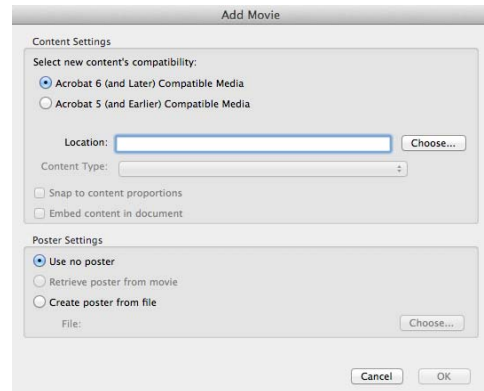


Adding a Movie Clip to a Blank Cell

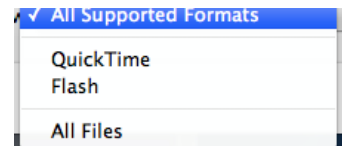
- On the advance editing toolbar click the insert video icon



- Your cursor when turn into crosshairs, click and drag the mouse on the page where you wish the video to be attached. Be sure to cover the entire the entire Comic Life Cell. That was left blank.
- Click on Browse and locate the video file



- After clicking Browse, To see supported file types, click on the bottom left on "aAll Supported Files" here you see Mac supports Quick Time ".mov) & Flash .flv types only.



- Be sure that the radial button Embed content into this document is selected or when saving the document the file will not play on another computer.
- Click ok

