

Year 4

Animation

Information Technology



Key Words	
Frame	Each picture or image created within the animation is called a frame.
Clone	We can copy or duplicate a frame to make an identical one, which speeds up the process of making the animation
Onion skin	This shows where the objects were in the previous frame (a lighter version is shown like a see through onion skin), making it easier to move the objects in the new frame.
Timeline	The order the frames will be played. In presentation software this is the slides down the left side but in other software this is often at the bottom of the screen.
Frame rate	How quickly the frames will play, this is measured in frames per second. The higher the frames per second, the quicker the animation will be.
Transition	The effect of one slide (frame) moving to another

What do I already know?

- Add and edit backgrounds.
- Add and edit characters, including changing posture, expression and clothing.
- Add narration and speech bubbles, including formatting text.
- Duplicate objects to match scenes.
- Search for objects to use.



Our Learning Steps

1. Background and shapes

Create stop motion animation in Google Slides by duplicating slides with background colour and shapes

2. Animation

Add and edit backgrounds, shapes and text in Google Slides for a purpose. Create animation of objects between slides.

3. Animating maps

Take and edit a screenshot. Duplicate slides and add text.



4. Using Wick Editor

Animate individual elements of objects Clone frames to create stop-motion animation.





5. GIFs

Animate individual pixels. Create layers of animation.

