

## How to Show a YouTube Video in a PowerPoint Slideshow Updated (4/27/11)

1. Note: These instructions are for PowerPoint 2007. You can do the same thing with earlier versions of PowerPoint but since the interface is different, I can't tell you what to click on.
2. Open your presentation.
3. Insert a blank slide, where you want the video to play.
4. Click on the Developer tab (If you don't have the Developer tab, you will have to activate it by clicking on the Office button, Click Word Options, and check "Show Developer tab in the ribbon" and click OK.)
5. Click the More Controls button (looks like a hammer and wrench crossed like an X)
6. Scroll down the list and click on "Shockwave Flash Object" and click OK.
7. The mouse will turn to a crosshairs.
8. Draw a box on your slide the approximate size that you want the video to display.
9. Open Firefox or Internet Explorer and navigate to your YouTube video
10. ~~Click on Share and copy the URL from the Share box.~~ Note (4/27/11): The previous method no longer works. You'll have to copy the URL from the address bar leaving off the end of the URL that begins with **&feature**
11. Go back to your PowerPoint
12. Right-click on the box that you drew and click Properties.
13. Look for Movie in the list
14. To the right of Movie, paste the URL of the YouTube video into the box
15. Look at the URL you just pasted. You will see something like this:  
***http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p2sDII2M5M0***  
What follows the equal sign on yours will be different but everything else should be the same. You will need to change a couple of things on the URL
16. Remove ***watch?***
17. Remove the ***=*** and in its place put ***/***
18. Now your URL should look something like this  
***http://www.youtube.com/v/p2sDII2M5M0***
19. Make sure Embed movie is NOT selected
20. Choose the other options that you want for your movie from this screen and then click OK and then close the Properties box.
21. Test your presentation and the save it.