

FFF10

This year we are receiving all film entries to the FÍS Film Festival 2010 (FFF10) via the EuroCreator.com web site. We have teamed up with EuroCreator which is run by the Institute of Art Design and Technology DunLaoghaire. EuroCreator is the Irish Schools Digital Media Network and is a really safe way of sharing content that we create in schools.

So what does this really mean? Well it means that it is now much easier to submit your film to the FIS Film Festival. This is because you now no longer have to create a DVD of your film and then post it to us. Instead you will be able to upload the video from your computer, fill in a short form and the submission process is complete. It also means that parents and friends of the school will be able to view your school film from home via the website.

Now if you are new to using web sites and the World Wide Web - Don't panic! We have created a lot of easy to follow tutorials for you. The tutorials are clearly labelled below and they will guide you through uploading your film from a PC or a MAC. Also, if you are having any difficulties at all, you can ring the FIS technical crew here back at base (01-2144990).

So let's get started:

To upload your film you must export it from whatever video editing application you are using. You need to export the movie as a full quality film or the best quality possible - we want to see the film in all its glory. When you are exporting make sure you save it to your desktop, this will make it easier to find later. If you are unsure how to export your movie there are 3 video tutorials on the FFF10 web page to show you what you need to do.

(Please note there is also a video tutorial on the below text if you run into any trouble. the tutorial can be found on the FFF10 web pages) Now that you have the video file ready for uploading. You need to click on to <http://www.eurocreator.com/join>

Click on the "sign in" on the left hand side and then use this username and password

Username: fff10 Password: fff10

Follow the text instructions for uploading in the "Name on Certificate" box please enter your school's details and the name and contact number of the Lead Teacher involved. Once you have completed this you are done! You will have successfully submitted your film into the FFF10.

Within a few hours you will be able to view your film online at <http://www.eurocreator.com/channels/fff10>
You will also be able to send this link around to parents and friends so they too can view the film from home