Interactive PowerPoint – An Oxymoron?

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What We Will Cover
- Interactive Text Box
- Multimedia
  - Sound
  - Video
- Question/Answer
- Hyperlinks
- Games

What Does This Mean?

Quiz Example

When was the War of 1812 fought?
1. 1811
2. 1812
3. 1813

Links to Material
- http://www.harpercollege.edu/doit/res/games.html
- http://websiteestates.com/free_education_powerpoint_templates.php?osCsid=7cb98553ff2d088e2e876e1c880b3b
- http://www.pbs.org/americanfieldguide/topics/livelihoods/index.html#

Your turn to play!
- Tutorials can be found at: http://www.harpercollege.edu/~jkiener/ppt/
- Open PowerPoint and begin new presentation
Your title page
- Type in your title page stuff (technical jargon)
- If your DRAWING toolbar is not visible, go to VIEW menu, Toolbars and check “Drawing”
- Add an AutoShape “Action Button” and direct it to play a sound (from your default sound files)
  - This is the dialog box that will open

Add a new page: Open-ended question
- Use the question as the “title” of the slide
- Insert a miniature “blackboard”
- Refer to Flash Tutorial for instructions, OR
- Refer to these written instructions

Multimedia
- Add a new slide to your menagerie.
- Add an Action Button
  - Select “run program” for a video
    - C:\Programs\Windows Media Player\wmpplayer.exe is just one example
  - Select “Play a Sound” for audio
  - Refer to this image!

Objective Quiz
- Add a new slide for this quiz question and its possible answers
- Use the Action Buttons to provide navigation for each possible answer
- Build the “destination pages” before adding the action buttons
- Hide the destination page so it only shows up when directly invoked
  - Click on the “Slide Show” menu item and select “Hide Slide”

Hyperlinks
- Add a new PowerPoint slide
- Type in your school’s name in the body of the slide
- In Internet Explorer (or whatever browser of your choice),
  - Find your school’s home page
  - Click on and highlight the URL
  - Copy it to the clipboard
- In PPT, highlight the name of your school
  - Right-mouse click and select “Hyperlink” from the context-sensitive menu that appears
  - Paste the URL toward the bottom of that dialog box

The End
- Thank you for a great session.
- Feel free to email me at: jkiener@harpercollege.edu
- For PowerPoint Interactive games, check out: http://www.harpercollege.edu/doit/res/games.html