

# Getting Started: Tab 5: Multimedia

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All Hillingdon Libraries PCs have a large range of media players, plug-ins and viewers installed on them to enable you to enjoy a wide variety of learning and leisure activities. Some of the more popular media players and software have icons on this tab, others (for instance, Adobe Acrobat Reader 7) will be launched automatically as necessary



- **Media Players:** each Hillingdon Library PC has 5 to choose from:
  - **DivX Player:** play every type of DivX video file ever created.
  - **iTunes:** play CDs, listen to the Radio, download Podcasts and more. Tutorials are available from the built in **Help** files.
  - **Quick Time Player:** play video, audio, graphics, and virtual reality (VR) movie files.
  - **RealPlayer**
  - **Winamp**
  - **Windows Media Player**
- **HP Director:** the **View & Print** option will launch the **HP Photo & Imaging Gallery** which will enable you to view and print images stored in the **My Documents** folder or on a removable device. When using a scanner PC, the **HP Director** will enable you to access more advanced scanning options. **Helpsheets** on **Scanning** are available in the intermediate section.
- **OCR:** Turn scanned images of text into editable text documents. **Helpsheets** on **OCR** are available in the Intermediate section.
- **Roxio:** (only on PCs which have CD-writing capabilities) back up your existing data CDs or compile a new data disk. **Helpsheets** are available in the Intermediate section.
- **Google Earth:** explore, search and discover our planet through stunning satellite imagery, maps and more! **Helpsheets** to get you started are available in the Intermediate section.
- **Scorewriter (Finale):** write your own music scores or songs, play back and hear what you have written. To get started use the built-in tutorials: click on **Help** and then on **Tutorials**.
- **Print'N Stitch:** a little utility to create cross-stitch patterns and thread lists from any image.

Play video and audio files, listen to the radio and much more via different media channels.