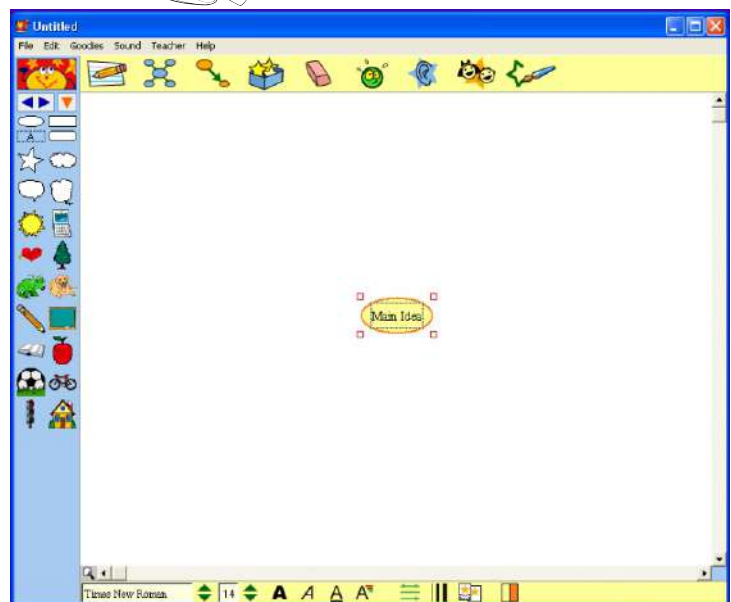
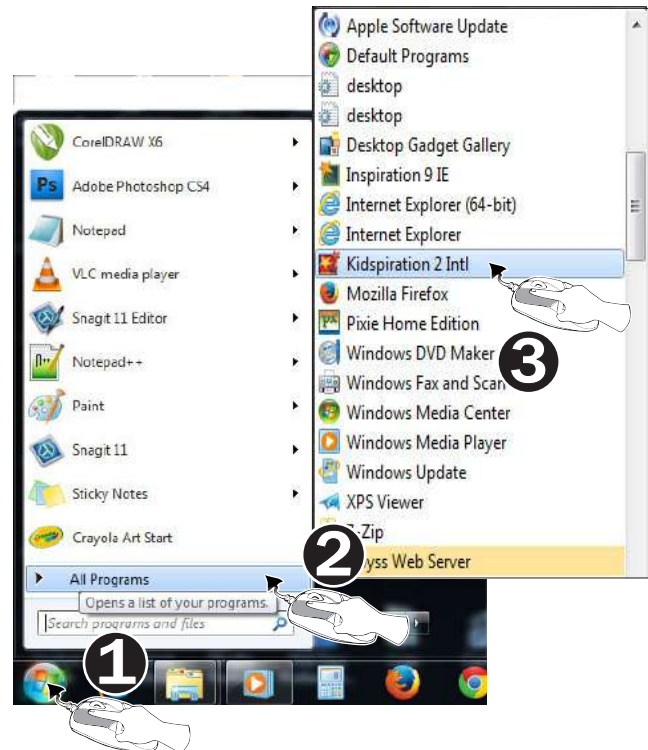


Starting and Saving Kidspiration

Starting Kidspiration in Windows

1. Click the **Start** button.
2. Click **All Programs**.
3. Click on **Kidspiration**.
The Kidspiration Starter will open.

It is in Kidspiration Starter where you can start new projects, open existing projects, and use different Kidspiration activities. You will begin by starting a new diagram.

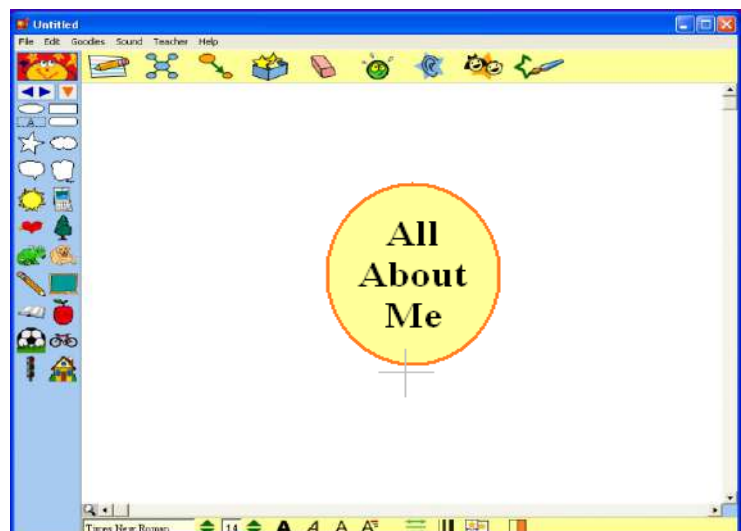
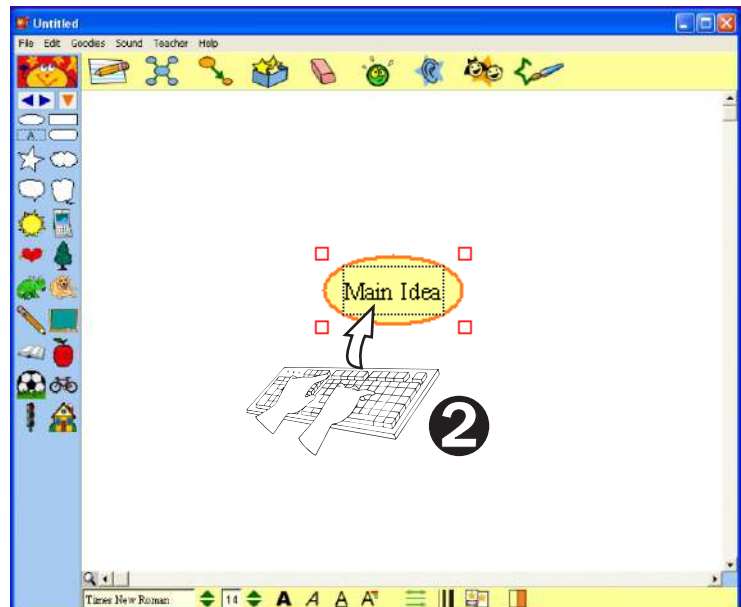


Starting a New Diagram

1. To start a new diagram, click the **Picture** button.

A new document opens with the Main Idea symbol. The Main Idea symbol provides a starting point for your work in Kidspiration.

2. In the **Main Idea** symbol, type All About Me.



Adding Name to a Project

1. In the Picture toolbar, click the **Student Name** button.
2. Type your name in the box where it is indicated.

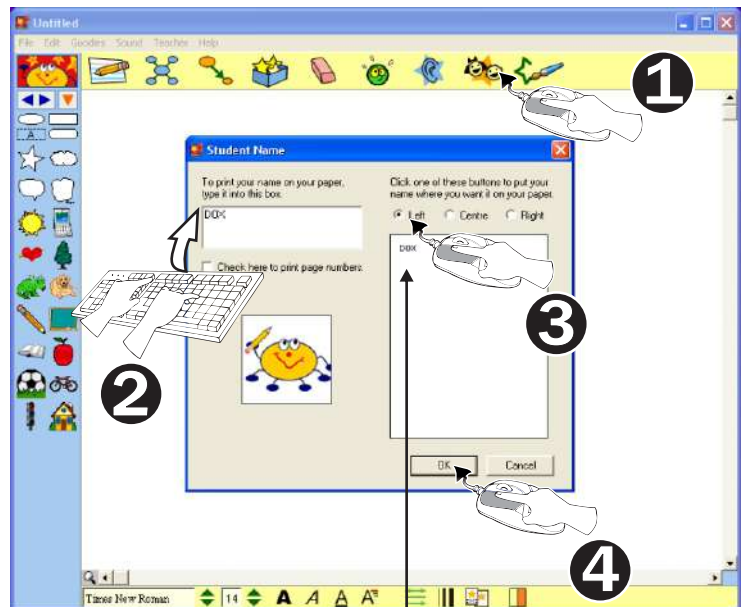
Example : DOX

3. To choose where you want the name to appear on the page, select **Left**, **Center** or **Right**.

A preview of how the name appears on the page will be displayed in the box on the right side of the Dialog box.

4. Click the **OK** button.

The student's name appears in the title bar of the document.



Saving Your Work

You should save your work often to avoid losing your file when the computer quits unexpectedly. Type the name of your project if you save it for the first time.

1. In the **File** menu, click **Save**.
2. From the folder list, click the folder where you want to save the project.
3. Type a name for the project.
4. Click **Save**.

Kidspiration suggests the name DOX based on the student's name. You can use another name if you want.

