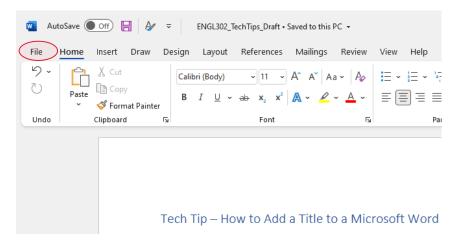
Tech Tip – How to Add a Title to a Microsoft Word Document

This tutorial shows you how to add a title to a Microsoft Word document in Office 365 for Windows. Adding document titles guarantees that your Word documents and PDFs will be more accessible for assistive technologies. Including a title allows screen reader software to read the title instead of the filename when a document is opened. This is especially helpful if a filename is long or complex, such as filenames containing dates, multiple underscores, or version numbers.

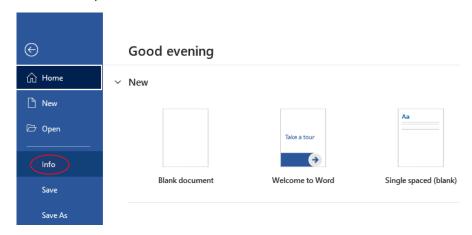
Step 1: If your document has a Heading 1 or Title text, copy that text. If not, skip to Step 2.



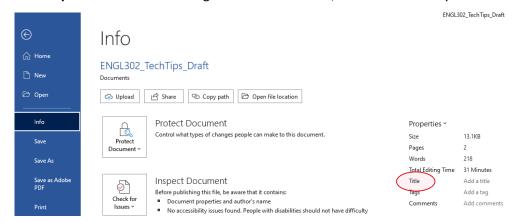
Step 2: Click on the File button in the top left of the toolbar.



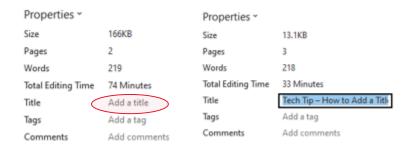
Step 3: From the File menu, click on the Info button in the sidebar on the left.



Step 4: In the Properties section on the right side of the screen, locate where it says Title

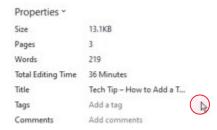


Step 5: Click where it says **Add Title** and either paste the text you copied in Step 1, or type any title you want!



Note: It is a good accessibility practice for the title to match the Heading 1 or Title in the document itself.

Step 6: Click anywhere outside of the Title text box to store the new title.



Step 7: Save your document to save the changed title.

