



Tips and Tricks for Hiding Text

Paint Can Trick

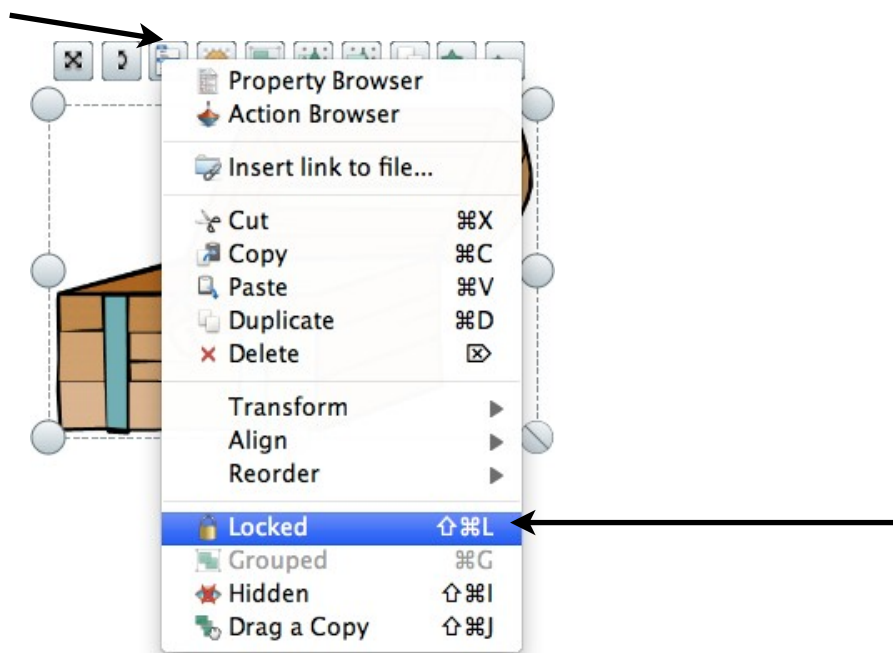
1. Choose a background color for a page on your flip chart using the paint can .
2. Using the text tool , type a word. Then using your paint can and the same background color click on the text. It will “disappear” because it is now the same color as your background.
3. Choose the paint can and another background color. Paint the background with the new color. Your hidden text will reappear.


Pulling an Item Out of the Treasure Chest

1. Type the words or insert the pictures that you want to hid. Then group them all in a bunch, like this:


triangle
circle
square
diamond
heart

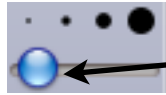
2. Draw an object or use a piece of clip art and place it on top of the group of words.
3. Click on the object or clip art and lock it.



4. Using the pointer or mouse tool , drag the hidden words or pictures out from behind the object to reveal them.

Using the Eraser as a Reveal Tool

1. Using the text tool , type a word or groups of words.
2. Using the pen tool, choose a color and a line thickness that will cover the text.



Move the slider
button to increase
line thickness.

3. Using the pen tool, draw a line over the text you want to hide.
4. When you use the flipchart with your students, use the eraser to reveal the hidden text.