

#### <u>Introduction</u>

I chose to present information on the Italian national football team. It will be a Multimedia presentation which combines sound, animation, text and graphics. It will be programmed for user interaction. The audience I am prepared for are Football fans. The chosen audience will be interested in the Italian national football team, because they have won the World cup three times, and they have the most world class players in their current team.

I chose this topic because Italy are very well known, and many people support them. Also the world cup is being held this year, and people would want to know about the world cup, I have done one of the favourites for the world cup, The Italian football team.

### **Planning**

I made a rough plan before I created my actual database; the plan was used to make my presentation easier to produce on the Computer. The plan helped me to see in what order my slides were to go, where the images where to be placed, and also where my text was to be placed.

I planned to get my images form the internet, I also researched on the internet to gain further knowledge and to correct any mistakes in my presentation. I also used Encarta for 100% reliable information, and to obtain some information slightly quicker.

To test my results I pressed 'F5' this showed me what my presentation was going to look like, it also showed me what I needed to change in my timings, my animation and the sound used.

## <u>Method</u>

I created my database on Microsoft® PowerPoint, I could make Graphics animate, I could also add sound to the animation.

When I accessed PowerPoint a small window came up asking me how I wanted the layout to be for the Presentation, I chose the blank one with only a Text box for the title.

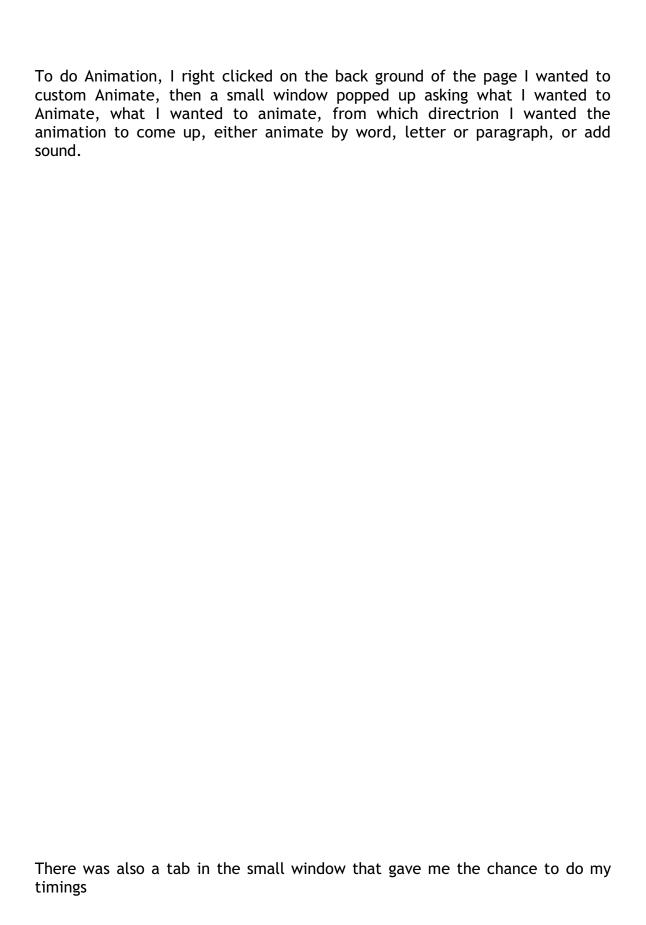
First when it opened I clicked on 'Blank Presentation', this then took me to another small window

I chose the lay-out which had only a space for a title already put in.

I used size 16 in the fonts that gave information on the Italian national football team, for the title's I used size 44. I used a preset Background colour, it was waves, and I also used an Italian flag for my first background.
This was the preset background.
This is the image of the Italian flag I used.

I used Images of The Italian Football team in action, to show how they played. I also used sound to make my presentation better and more people will be interested. I also used animation so people won't have to only listen to me and what I said, this also goes for the sound. I used hotspots or Hyperlinks to take me back to my Contents page, so I could go to the desired page.

I went to 'View Show', this showed me what my presentation was going to look like on screen, so I could see what the faults were.



I used hyperlinks that could be used to take me back to the contents page or from the contents page, to the page of my choice.

To test my presentation I pressed F5 and the presentation took up the whole screen, and showed me what it would look like my actual presentation.

# Results

This is a screen print of all of my slides in one.

#### **Evaluation**

My presentation was suitable for the audience because it was not too fast, and it had the right amount of information on it.

The structure of my presentation puts across my message well, as it has a nice amount of text mixed with the right amount of graphics, but not as much to make it look like that the page is too full to make it boring. But I think the oral presentation made it easier for the audience to understand as it put across my message clearly in a short sentence for each piece of information.

I would have improved my timings; if I had the chance, as when the contents page finished the animations it went directly onto the next page. Also some of the text was coming up too slow, and some was coming up to fast. I would also change the amount of texts as the audience got bored when they had to read a slight bit of writing, so I should have kept text to a minimum. I would have also changed my font colours and sizes, as sometimes it think the colours were not viewable with the background for the audience, and also the sizes may have been too small for the people sitting at the back of the audience.

The problems I had were that some of the animations that were on my home computer could not be shown on the schools computer, so I had to change some of my animations to make my work animate fully.

My presentation has met the audience's needs as it has shown all of the information needed to become a good starting fan of the Italian football team. This is because it has shown much information, but not so much that it makes them think about what I said afterwards, but my presentation showed only the necessities and a slight bit more.

To make sure that my work was safe and accurate I saved my work onto disc, and also kept one copy on the schools computer and one on my computer.