

Kurzweil 3000 (Win) v.20: Saving Image Files (Scanned Documents)

Introduction

Kurzweil 3000 can save text and image files in a number of file formats which can be read by other software programs. It can also open a variety of file formats that have been created by other programs. Its ability to handle different file formats makes it easy to integrate its use with other software programs typically found in schools.

Learning Objectives

Completion of This Tutorial will provide experience with the following:

• Saving image files (scanned documents) in Kurzweil 3000

This tutorial assumes that you have

- Kurzweil 3000 version 20 for Windows installed on your computer
- Access to Kurzweil 3000 (KESI) files and other files (like DOCX and PDF)

Case Study

Jayne is a Grade 10 student who regularly uses Kurzweil 3000 to support her literacy program. She has the software program installed on her laptop and she has access to a portable scanner to scan her books and worksheets. She is also given notes, worksheets and tests in the form of Microsoft Word (.doc) and Adobe Acrobat (.pdf) files from her teachers. Jayne is able to open these files directly into Kurzweil 3000, use the program's features to read and complete the assignments and then save the documents in a format that the teachers can open on their computers. Jayne transfers files back and forth from her laptop to her teachers' computers by either saving the files to her folder on the school network or Google Drive, or by directly transferring the files using a USB flash drive. The ability of Kurzweil 3000 to open and save a variety of file formats has made it easier for Jayne to integrate the software into her educational program on a daily basis..



Saving Kurzweil 3000 Image (Scanned) Documents

Step Instruction

Visual Depiction

Let's start by opening a sample Kurzweil document.
Go to the Kurzweil 3000 Tab and click Open Existing File.



2 Next Click Open from Local Computer. Locate the Sample Documents folder and open the file titled Horse's Tale.

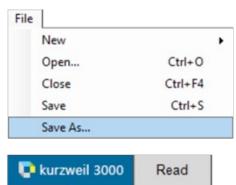
(My Documents > KESI > Kurzweil 3000 > Sample Documents > Horse's Tale)

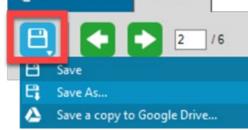


To save this file...

Go to File > Save / Save As
OR

Click the **Save** button on the toolbar.







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Most Kurzweil documents can be saved in a variety of formats. The choice of which format to use depends on the desired end use of the document. If the file will only be accessed from Kurzweil then it is best to leave as a KESI file. However, if documents are going to be opened with a different program, then choose the appropriate file type for compatibility.

To change the file type, click the **Save as type** menu and select the desired file type from the list. Then click the **Save** button at the bottom of the window.

Note: Documents **MUST** be saved as a **KESI** (.KES) file if annotations have been added.

KESI File Format (*.KES)

Compressed DAISY (*.BKS)

DAISY 3 File Format (*.OPF)

TIF Image File (*.TIF)

Rich Text Format (*.RTF)

Text File (*.TXT)

HTML (*.HTM; *.HTML)

MS Word (*.DOC)

MS Word 2007 (*.DOCX)

Save as type: KESI File Format (*.KES)

