

# Burn Baby Burn



Back up your data or create music/video cds.

*“What does it take to get music/files on this thing?”*



1. Choose your media. There are 2 types of burnable CDs:
  - **CD-R** (Compact Disc-Recordable) - These discs can be recorded only once. You cannot alter the files in anyway after you have finished recording.
  - **CD-RW** (Compact Disc-Rewritable) - These discs can be recorded, erased and rewritten. They are good if you routinely save and delete large chunks of data. However, many CD drives cannot read these discs, so be wary.
2. Place the blank CD into the burner and open your burning software if it doesn't open automatically (Roxio is on most school computers, but Adaptec's CD Creator, Nero and Toast are other popular burning software).
2. Follow the Wizard's instructions to burn the CD. Most CDs hold up to 650 MB of data.

Hint: You will have the most success burning a CD at slower speeds (8x vs 24x) and when the CD recording software is the **ONLY** program running.