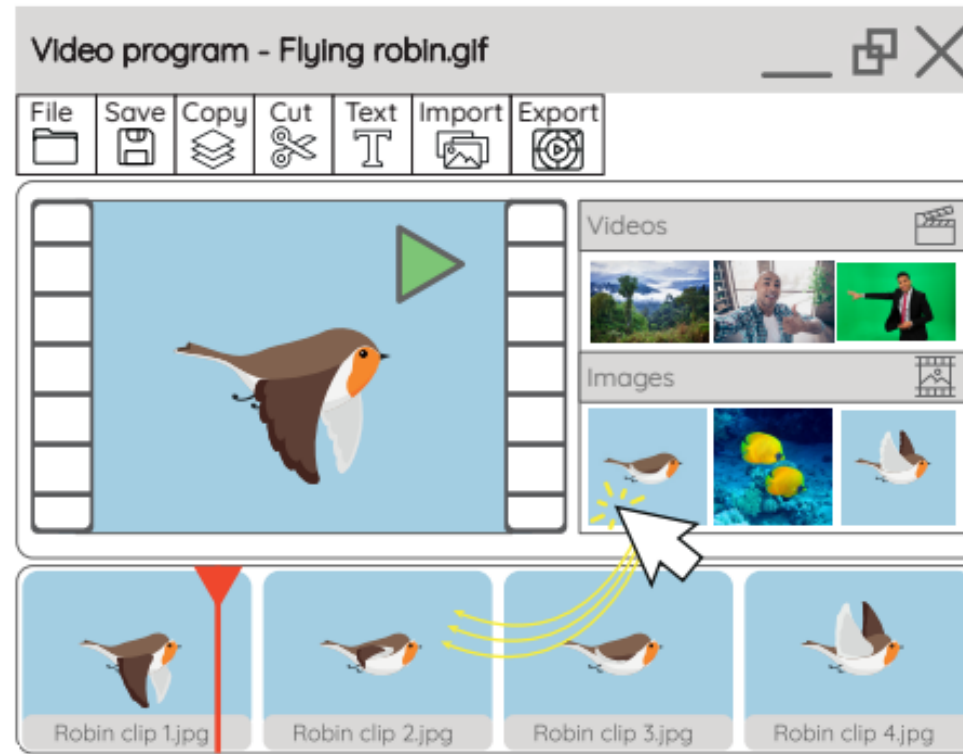


Key Vocabulary

animation	Pictures in a sequence to give the illusion of movement.
animator	Someone who specialises in the creation of animations.
digital device	Electronic equipment created for a certain purpose or job.
download	Saving files from another location (e.g. the internet or another device).
onion skinning	Creating animated cartoons and editing movies to see several frames at once.
stop motion	Sequence of photographs used to create an animation.
upload	Send files from one device to another.

Video Editing Software



Animations

Animations are made up of a sequence of still images.

The sequence below makes the robin look like it is flying.



To see the finished animation, ask an adult to scan the QR code:



Did you know?

Animators normally sketch a **storyboard** to plan their ideas.



This helps them to **sequence** images for an animation.

Onion Skinning

In stop motion animation, onion skinning is a technique used to make sure the object is in the correct place.



The onion skinning feature in stop motion software allows the last frame to be seen when creating the next frame.

This way, the animators can make small movements from frame to frame to make the animation smoother.

Movement In Stop Motion

Small Changes



Big Changes



Why which changes would make a **smoother** stop motion video of the Lego person walking?