

## **"Display is Currently Running in 16 Color Mode"**

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The information in this article applies to:

- Microsoft Graphics Studio Home Publishing 99  
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### **SUMMARY**

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If you start Home Publishing while the computer is running with a Colors setting of less than 256 colors, you may receive the following error message:

This computer's display is currently running in 16 color mode.  
For proper operation 256 color mode is required.  
Run the Windows Control Panel, select Display, and on the Settings tab, change the Color Palette value to 256 colors.

### **MORE INFORMATION**

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In order to display correctly, Home Publishing requires a minimum of 256 colors. To start Home Publishing successfully, set the Colors setting to 256 or higher. To do so, follow these steps.

NOTE: Because there are several versions of Windows, the following steps may be different on your computer. If they are, please consult your product documentation to complete these steps.

1. Click Start, point to Settings, and then click Control Panel.
2. In Control Panel, double-click the Display icon.
3. In the Display Properties box, click the Settings tab.
4. In the Colors box, select 256 Colors, and then click OK.