
Subject: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8
Posted by [Oblivion165](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 15:20:26 GMT
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This is our first video tutorial, if your new to mapping and you are currently up to speed and using 3dsmax for renegade you might be interested in this video.

I go over (im pretty sure) every tool i used, and is a full 1024x768 video showing all perspective views in max so you can see exactly what im doing.

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8
Posted by [FynexFox](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 15:24:37 GMT
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a one hour downlaod - delicious, how long did it take to uplaod lol?

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8
Posted by [Oblivion165](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 15:26:24 GMT
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About 2 hours.

I had to keep the quality up 50 minute movie at that resolution...so you know.

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8
Posted by [FynexFox](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 15:27:32 GMT
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yeah, no, I understand, good job, even though i dont mod anymore I look forward to watching the movie. GJ.

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8
Posted by [futura83](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 15:39:13 GMT
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how come its an exe?

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [FynexFox](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 15:42:51 GMT

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Prolly casue its full screen, has VCR controls, and such.

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [Oblivion165](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 15:49:23 GMT

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the17doctor wrote on Sun, 03 September 2006 11:39how come its an exe?

No worries, its just an SFX Rar. Everybody doesnt have winrar, and it has the best compression so i made it self extracting.

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [JeepRubi](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 16:09:26 GMT

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I know how to map, but im always looking for new ways to learn, ill watch in half an hour when its done downloading.

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [futura83](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 16:22:00 GMT

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can someone link me to the download please?

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [Oblivion165](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 16:29:43 GMT

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Its on the bottom of the page I posted in the first post.

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [futura83](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 16:34:40 GMT

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i cant see a 3dsmax link

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [TD](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 16:34:56 GMT

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I tried making a map before, but I got lost before I even started. Even though I probably won't map, I'll still watch this to see how it's done.

BTW, downloadin pretty fast:
that's 20 secs after I started downloadin'

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [FynexFox](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 16:48:54 GMT

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what codec do i need for this? I got divx and I can hear sound but see nothing.

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [Oblivion165](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 17:12:51 GMT

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Oh, good thing you mentioned that.

Link added on page, its a small codec used by camtasia.

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [FynexFox](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 17:41:16 GMT

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emmm, strange. The file doesnt paly for me, it just sits in WMP, it says its playing but yeah, it..isnt?

EDIT - Doesnt work in WMP, Locks up in Quicktime, works in real, thats just me though.

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [Oblivion165](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 18:09:42 GMT

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Hmm i know jeep rubi didnt have a problem with it, im using media player classic. Anyone else have a problem?

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [FynexFox](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 18:39:10 GMT

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I liked your jokes lol and when you said blues clues i had a lil laugh. Great tutorial, not only do you show us how to make a map but you really teach us how to use 3dsmax effectively. Good job, I'd love to see some more video tutorials from you.

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [Oblivion165](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 19:28:58 GMT

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Thank you, the next video won't be of much use to you I'm sure. I'll just be going over some of the most common questions we get here and the most problematic.

Then a video going over buildings and all of that charm.

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [StealthEye](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 19:30:33 GMT

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That's pretty much what I wanted to say Well done. I haven't done much mapping and am not really planning to, but I'm sure it will be useful sometime

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 20:58:28 GMT

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/me agrees yet again with StealthEye

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [YSLMuffins](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 21:57:16 GMT

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Great work! I love it.

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [StealthEye](#) on Sun, 03 Sep 2006 22:10:19 GMT

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Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [Zion](#) on Mon, 04 Sep 2006 00:11:01 GMT

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Great little tutorial. A must watch for beginners!

Tips: Press "o" (the letter) in max to stop the meshes from becoming "boxes" when you arc rotate and move in the viewport. Also, when vertex painting, don't select any of the tools, just the 2nd button at the top (in the dialog) and paint brush like you did on the second time you painted.

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [Spetz5](#) on Thu, 07 Sep 2006 02:01:34 GMT

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Great tutorial, I just finished watching it, and I learned alot of useful stuff from it. GJ

Subject: Re: Video: Creating a beginners map in 3DS Max 8

Posted by [Doitle](#) on Thu, 07 Sep 2006 16:45:17 GMT

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I learned a lot as well. My car models will be way better now that I know of the connect tool. One thing though is when you either hit your mouth on the mic or like... sighed on it, it shook my room. I had my stereo up really loud to hear you clearly and then you made that sound and my room mate was like wholly shit, I felt that. lol Not a big problem just something that happened.
