

## Sharepoint Workflow Questions

[what happens to existing workflow tasks if workflow dll is redeployed.](#)

[Could it be allowed to redeploy workflow dll. If yes what happens to the workflow tasks which are already started.](#)

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[What is the difference between method activity and event activity in WorkFlow ?](#)

Answer ::

A method activity is one that performs an action, such as creating or updating a task. An event activity is one that runs in response to an action occurring. .... [Read More](#)

[What are ways to create input forms for workflow ?](#)

Answer :: There are two ways to create input forms for sharepoint workflow.

1. You can create your forms by using custom application pages, which are standard .aspx pages deployed to run out of the \_layouts directory. ( disadv: lot of code required when compared to Infopath approach)

2. Using Microsoft Office InfoPath 2007 (disadv: picks up a dependenc on MOSS, i.e. it cannot run in a standalone WSS environment) .... [Read More](#)

[What are the types of input forms that can be created for a workflow ?](#)

Answer :: You can create four different types of input forms including

An association form

An initiation form

A modification form

A task edit form.

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[Can Workflow be applied to all elements of SharePoint ?](#)

Answer :: Workflow associations are often created directly on lists and libraries, a workflow association can also be created on a content type that exists within the Content Type Gallery for the current site or content types defined within a list. In short, it can be applied ...

At the level of a list/library

At the level of a content type defined at site scope

At the level of a content type defined at list scope

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[I am trying to setup a sharepoint calendar so a user can post an event on the calendar and it will go to a another user for approval before it gets posted. Does any one know if that is possible. I can't seem to find the answer anywhere and my attempts at setting up a workflow were unsuccessful](#)

- [Also is there a way to shrink the default calendar to a smaller size. I know you can shrink the pixels but then you have to scroll to see the whole calendar.](#)

- [Thanks for the help!](#)

Answer :: Yes, you can require approval on any list, including calendars. This is actually out of the box functionality, so you don't even have to build the workflow. You can simply go into managing settings for the list and then in general settings, click into version settings and require approval. When something is submitted, only admins on the list will be able to approve it. Note: if you are an admin it will automatically post, so you'll need to test with another account.

On your other question, I don't know of a way to shrink the calendar, but you may want to try another view, such as a data list if you have limited space to work with.

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[I need approval workflow for electronical document data such as PO which is stored in SQL server. Can I make it with infopath 2003 and Ms Sharepoint ?](#)

[I mean :](#)

- [1. An originator input data in infopath PO form, then submit it into SQL Server db \(it also sent to first approver\).](#)
- [2. 1st approver \(an authorized person to that PO only\) open it thru ms sharepoint. Approve it and forward to next approver.](#)
- [3. Next Approver is could be one or more, if one of them approve it thru ms sharepoint, then PO data will forward to next approver, and so on until approval is finished.](#)

- [Is it possible? if not is there any alternative solution for this ?](#)

[Pls help ..., thx all ...](#)

Answer :: Yes you can certainly fo that.

Steps

- Create an Infopath Form which will take the input value
  - Create an Workflow through IDE which will run the moment there is any new item added in that form library with which the Infopath form is being attached.
  - Create a BDC inside the workflow code and
- Bingo ur work is done

Enjoy.

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[I have downloaded the beta of sharepoint designer but I am unable to get the workflow part to work.](#)

- [The sharepoint designer video says it is available via the File, new menu.](#)

- [I have also tried downloading and installing winfx.](#)

Answer :: go to there help send mail and they will give you a key to open it .... [Read More](#)