

MAKE A DIRECTORY AND COPY FILES (VISUAL BASIC SCRIPT)

In VBS how do you make a directory and then copy a file into it?

Use the **FileSystemObject** object, namely, its **CreateFolder** and **CopyFile** methods. Basically, this is what your script will look like:

```
Dim oFSO

Set oFSO = CreateObject("Scripting.FileSystemObject")

' Create a new folder
oFSO.CreateFolder "C:\MyFolder"

' Copy a file into the new folder
' Note that the destination folder path must end with a path separator (\)
oFSO.CopyFile "\\server\folder\file.ext", "C:\MyFolder\"
```

You may also want to add additional logic, like checking whether the folder you want to create already exists (because **CreateFolder** raises an error in this case) or specifying whether or not to overwrite the file being copied. So, you can end up with this:

```
Const strFolder = "C:\MyFolder\", strFile = "\\server\folder\file.ext"
Const Overwrite = True

Dim oFSO

Set oFSO = CreateObject("Scripting.FileSystemObject")

If Not oFSO.FolderExists(strFolder) Then
oFSO.CreateFolder strFolder
End If

oFSO.CopyFile strFile, strFolder, Overwrite
```