



## What is Chatter Pix Kids?

Chatter Pix Kids is an iPhone/iPad app. After importing or taking a photo within the app, students draw a line for a mouth. This app allows students to add voice to their photo by recording 30 seconds of audio. This app features the ability to import a photo, add audio, apply a filter, add text, and export the video to the camera roll.

Teachers will learn how to use the Chatter Pix Kids App as a tool to allow students to create products that are integrated into the curriculum.

## Download the Chatter Pix Kids App from iTunes

[ChatterPix Kids](#)

**Uses in the Classroom** Chatter Pix Kids can be used as an independent or partner activity in a center to produce a technology integrated product like a book response, story elements, personification, retell/summary, point of view, autobiography, biography, explain your thinking, answer a question, facts, opinions, present research, tell a 30 second story.

## Links to Chatter Pix Kids Examples available on YouTube

[Problem in a story from the point of view of a character](#)

[Problem from the point of view of a character 2](#)

[Sea Animal Facts](#)

[Measuring](#)

[1st Grade Research](#)

[Sacagawea](#)

[Turtle Facts](#)

[Sam Houston Biography](#)

[Retell](#)

## Before using Chatter Pix Kids

- Check to make sure the Chatter Pix Kids App has been downloaded onto the devices your students will be using.
- Allow time for students to draw an illustration that connects to the lesson activity using paper, pencil, coloring tools, or using a drawing app on the iPad, or take a photo to be used with the app. (This can be a part of the center. Taking a photo will take less time than illustrating one.)
- Make sure the illustration/photo students will be using has been saved to the camera roll.



## Creating a Student Product with Chatter Pix Kids

- Launch the **Chatter Pix Kid** App

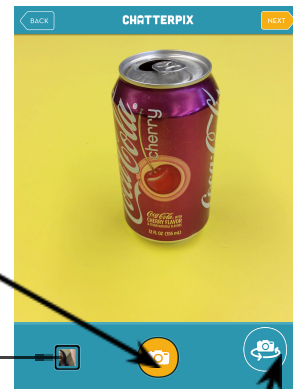


**TAKE PHOTO Button** – This button will launch the iPad camera. If you receive a message asking permission for Chatter Pix Kids to allow access to the camera and microphone, select yes.

**GALLERY Button**- This button will launch the gallery of saved student work and examples created by Chatter Pix Kids. It is possible to delete work in the gallery.

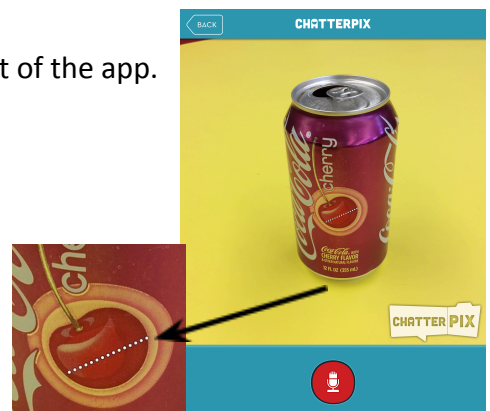
### Getting the right Photo

- Select the **TAKE PHOTO** button to take a photo. Capture your subject by pressing the **camera button**. I took a photo of a Cherry Coke can.
- Select the **Camera Roll** icon, on the bottom left, to select a photo from the camera roll of saved photos on the iPad.
- Select the **switch camera** button to switch from the front facing and rear-facing camera.
- Press the orange **next button**, located at the top right of the app.



### Recording Audio

- Draw the mouth- use your finger to draw a straight line on one object. The line will become animated to look like a mouth. If you make a mistake, just redraw a different line over the picture.



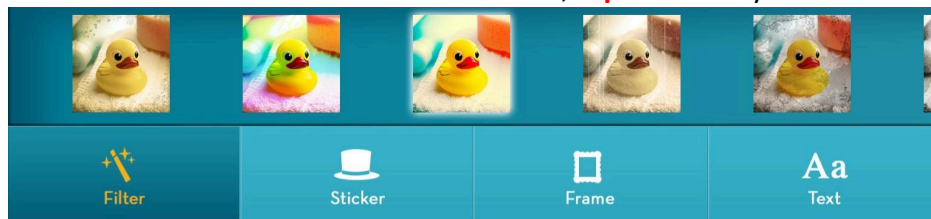


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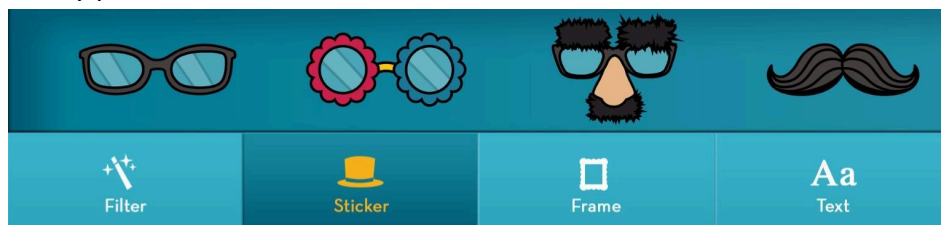
- Press the **red microphone** button at the bottom of the app.
- You will see the count down from 3-2-1.
- Begin recording up to 30 seconds of audio.
- Press the **microphone button** again to stop recording.
- Press the green **play** button (triangle) to listen to the recording.
- If you would like to record again, simply press the red **microphone** button again and re-record your work.
- Once you are satisfied with the recording, press the orange **next** button at the top right of the app.

## Extra Features

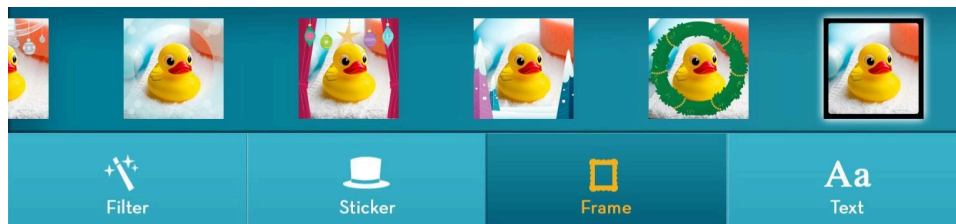
- The app has four extra features that can be applied to the recording.
  - Filter-scroll across to view additional filters, **tap the filter** you would like to apply.



- Sticker-scroll across to view additional stickers, **tap the sticker** you would like add to any photo.



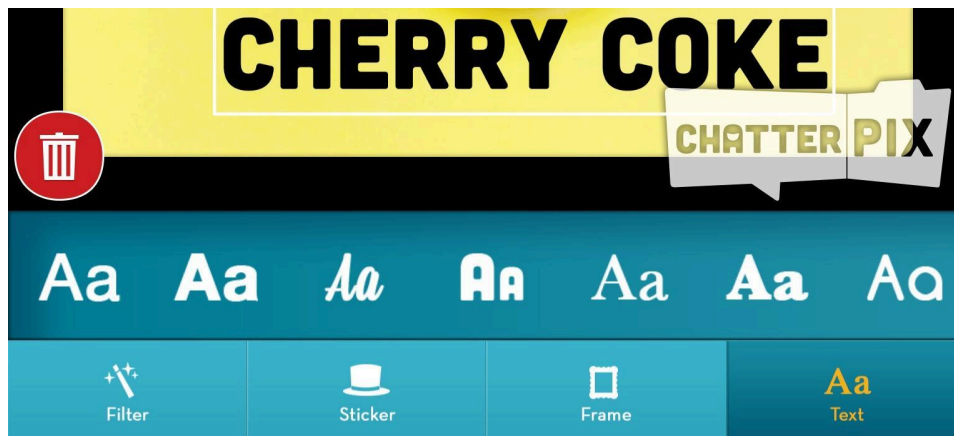
- Frame- scroll across to view additional frames, **tap the frame** you would like to apply to any photo.





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- o Text- scroll across to view additional text fonts, **tap the font** you would like to apply to any photo. Tap the text box, type your message and select a color, drag to the proper place. Use the Red trash can to drag any text or stickers you do not want to appear in the saved product.



- Press the orange **Next** button on the top right of the app.
- Press the Green **Play** button to watch the final product.

### Saving and Exporting Student Work

- Press the **Save Video** button to save the video to the camera roll.
- Press the **Trash Button** to throw away the project.

### Celebrate Student Work

- Share videos with the class.
- Post appropriate student work, with permission, to the class website for parents and community members to enjoy.
- Post appropriate student work, with permission, to a class or student blog or wiki.



## Resources

A Quick Intro Video

[ChatterPix by Duck Duck Moose - Make Anything Talk!](#)

Video Tutorial and Uses for the Classroom

[What's Appening - Chatter Pix Kids](#)