

Tools to Engage Students in Multiple Modalities

Top 100 Tools for Learning -17th annual survey- <https://toptools4learning.com/>

[Top 100 Tools PDF 2023](#)

Mentimeter: Create Dynamic Word Clouds, Live & Instant Polling, Entertaining Quizzes & Informative Q&A's



Activity #1: Getting to Know your students/audience/training participants **Mentimeter:** <https://www.menti.com/alfihucxr38j>:

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Education Presentation Templates:

<https://www.mentimeter.com/templates/education-templates>

Padlet:



Activity #2: What current technologies do you use in your courses?

Padlet Board: <https://padlet.com/dubuc/ODLM5>

Google Jamboard: a digital interactive whiteboard

Icebreaker example-

Social Justice strategies example:

<https://jamboard.google.com/d/1-U9upbeh38E6CaoArknD6WDDKgonDSgrWzdZNKtzbIw/viewer?f=0>

Syllabus Points Example: <https://www.screencast.com/t/lwE2uxeulG3>



What Zoom Tips can you share with your colleagues?

<https://jamboard.google.com/d/1L5OpuNWhxyYab7dyWRRVV5iuRzDtIPXDrIXzVkMCxMY/edit?usp=sharing>

Google Jamboard Resources

- JamBoard Teaching Examples:
<https://www.weareteachers.com/jamboard-ideas/>
- 5 Jamboard activities for any classroom (with templates) -
<https://www.chrmbook.com/jamboard-activities/>

Resources for Teaching Synchronously with Zoom:

- <https://online.suny.edu/onlineteaching/page/synchronous/>
- <https://www.niagaracc.suny.edu/academics/frcae/>

Google Slides: 6W's Activity

Example:

https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1JdZkYo1IJEp86QDtOxlXnXAuN7dfjvL1dLdy9IT1_BY/edit#slide=id.g132a3d17d7a_0_13

Google Kami - Kami is an online document annotation and markup tool. You can highlight, underline, and strikethrough text in PDF and other document formats.

Math Example: <https://www.screencast.com/t/x4Nu9HorG4o>

Kahoot - is a game-based learning platform that makes it easy to create, share and play learning games or trivia quizzes in minutes.



Activity 4: Can you Google Like a Pro example:

You can do this live or assign it for online learners:

Assigned Example:

https://kahoot.it/challenge/02362452?challenge-id=777d611b-91c1-4aab-a794-c63a11cf93d8_1699288587401

Game PIN: **02362452**

Canva - is a free-to-use online graphic design tool. Use it to create social media posts, presentations, posters, infographics, videos, logos and more.

Example infographic creation assignment using Canva and sharing for further discussion in Padlet: [Dubuc DIG110 course 2023](#)

<https://www.canva.com/>

Other Cool Tools:

Workload Estimator: Estimate the time it takes to complete the work in your course: <https://cat.wfu.edu/resources/tools/estimator2/>

Making and Tracking Short Custom Links with Bitly:

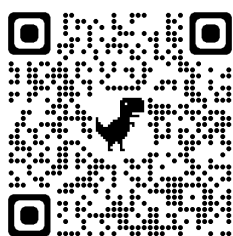
https://bitly.com/a/sign_in?rd=/bbt2/

How to automatically closed caption a Google slide presentation -

https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1sXoDEkSXhDcoLEt_HdAiIuj6Q17u1IpARLcqlDdDWIgl/edit?usp=sharing – in chrome only

Video Assignments

Flip Grid: With **FlipGrid**, teachers create discussion topics and students can respond with video recordings. Their peers can respond to keep the discussion going. This free app from Microsoft allows educators to create safe, online groups, for students to express their ideas asynchronously in short video, text, and audio messages.



Example: Using Chat Gbt for lesson planning – Higher Ed Thermodynamics course

Virtual Classrooms and Video Assignments by Bongo in D2L Brightspace

You can use the Virtual Classrooms by Bongo integration to create a virtual classroom session or set up video meetings with learners. You can choose to save your sessions and post them within Brightspace as a resource. You can also use Video Assignments to create video assignments, allowing learners to respond to course materials, or do presentations remotely.

Depending on your organization, you might have access to Virtual Classrooms, Video Assignments, or both.

For more information about Bongo, see the [Bongo knowledge base](#).

Getting Started for Instructors:

<https://bongolearn.zendesk.com/hc/en-us/articles/360000940613-Getting-Started-Instructors>

Final Activity #5



What tools do you want to learn more about or think you will incorporate into your course? Check all that apply.

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