

Hi and welcome to this short video dedicated to Buncee! So, what is “Buncee”? Buncee, it’s an award-winning tool that has been used by teachers not only in America but also around the world to inspire their students and have them be co-creators and use their imagination to contribute to class, and to create projects. Buncee is basically an online canvas to which you add anything from animation, to images to audio. And it’s pretty really cool because each slide that you create through Buncee can be a virtual scrapbooking, basically.

When you go to www.buncee.com, you will have several options. One in the blue box, to get started as an individual or as a business, and as for the orange box, it is for educators and for students. I will only go through the blue box today but as an educator, I encourage you to go to the orange box to learn more how to use buncee in the classroom and to decide which plan works best for you.

Buncee is not free. It is free for an individual but you have limited options and resources that you can use through your slides. Whereas as an educator, you can work through a payment plan with the Buncee customer service. So, I will recommend that you go there.

So, if you scroll down, you can see that you can use Buncee on your iOS devices and on your computer. And what is very interesting is that you can download your slides, print them and you can also create, generate and scan a QR code that you can give to your students so they can use them on their smartphones.

[*Scrolling down*] There are other tutorials here that I recommend you look at because they are full of great information and great resources and inspiration of what you can do with your Buncee.

[*Scrolling down*] It was interesting and reassuring to see all these awards that Buncee received and especially the American Association of School Librarians that is kind of a guarantee that you are using a tool that is very respectful of your students private data. And this is also emphasized in the Privacy Policy of Buncee.

So, let’s go back up [*Scrolling up*]. I am going to show you quickly how you can use a Buncee. So, I had already logged in. I had created an account as an individual. It took me two minutes to do so. So, I encourage you to do that as well: to play with Buncee before deciding if it is a tool you would like to use.

So, you get started, you click on that [*Clicking on “Get Started”*]. You are going to arrive on how to create your Buncee. I am going to click here [*Click Here to Choose a Background*] and I am going to choose the background. And I am going to choose an education one. And let’s say, I want my students to create a story. We read maybe *Charlotte’s Web* together and I want them to tell me what happened in their own words. I click here [*Clicking on a stage background*]. And I want to use some animation [*Clicking on add text, and then animation icon*]. And I want to click on “Imagination.” There are a lot of themes here you can choose from. I am choosing a magic box and I am going to put it here. So, when your students see your Buncee slide, they can open it up and see your animation there. I can click on “adding a new item,” I can another animation or I can add a text if I would like. Let’s say “who”, “when,” “where” and “why.” So, the students could be co-creators of the slide, and respond here to edit. So, it is a pretty cool tool to have your students use because they can customize it, they can use the media library that Buncee has for everybody to use. And if you have the account as a teacher, or if your school signs up for an account, you will have additional options such as recording voice over. So, if your

students would want to tell you the story as it happened in their own words, they could do that as well.

I hope this video inspired you to try Buncee out and I wish you a very good day. Bye bye.