NotebookLM *Video Maker* for CKLA Content- Great way to review a lesson with students

You can use Google's NotebookLM to attach a PDF (CKLA chapter or sections)to generate a video overview based on its content.

Step 1: Create or open a notebook in NotebookLM

1. Go to notebooklm.google.com.
2. Click Create notebook.

Step 2: Add your PDF as a source

1. Once you are in your notebook, click Add Source.
2. Select PDF or Text File (You can go to the Reader on Amplify and print selected pages as PDF)
3. Choose the PDF from your computer and click Open. Alternatively, you can select Drive if the PDF is stored there.
4. NotebookLM will process the document, making its content available for the generative AI.

Step 3: Generate a video overview

1. Navigate to the Studio panel in your notebook.
2. Select Video Overview and click Generate.
3. NotebookLM will create a video that summarizes the key information from your PDF and other sources.
4. To refine the video, click the three-dot menu next to "Video Overviews" and select Customize. Here, you can add a "steering prompt" to focus the video on specific topics or a target audience.

Step 4: Share the notebook in Google Classroom

1. Once the video is ready, you can share the entire NotebookLM file with students. This is better than just sharing the video because it gives students access to all the sources, notes, and other AI tools.
2. From your NotebookLM, find the option to share or export.
3. In Google Classroom, create a new assignment or announcement.
4. Attach the link to the NotebookLM file. You can follow tutorials from other educators on YouTube for specific instructions on sharing from NotebookLM to Classroom.