Tech Tools for Teachers:

	Create one display screen for your class with tools like QR codes, groups, timers, sound level monitors, polls, dice, and more. Import your class list (up to 3 classes in the free plan) and use Classroomscreen to randomize your students or form/display groups. https://classroomscreen.com/
	Use Diverse Book Finder to search for picture books on specific topics that feature characters from a wide variety of locations or ethnic backgrounds. This is a tool to find titles, not a lending library, and features books published since 2002. https://diversebookfinder.org/
	Search SlidesMania or Slides Carnival for free google slides (or powerpoint) templates you can use for your lessons or professional presentations. https://slidesmania.com/ https://www.slidescarnival.com/
	Wild Classroom features activity plans, digital reference materials (including videos and kid-friendly scientific articles), virtual engagement opportunities with World Wildlife Fund experts, online games, and project ideas. All of the materials are free to access and integrate a range of educational standards, including Next Generation Science and Common Core ELA/Math. https://www.worldwildlife.org/teaching-resources/
	Classroom is a teacher-led, research-based Social Emotional Learning (SEL) curriculum that provides teachers (K–3) with 20 sequential Workshops, support materials, and a flexible structure for classroom instruction. https://www.emotionalabcs.com/teachers/
	KidLit TV offers in depth interviews with authors and illustrators. On this website you will find book trailers, how to draw videos and other literacy related activities. This website offers curated resources for books geared toward PK-3rd grade. https://www.kidlit.tv/

iPad Apps for K-1 Learners

	Novel Effect uses voice recognition to compliment read alouds with sound effects and music. Novel Effect features a catalog of over 200 popular and well-loved titles for children, with new titles regularly being added. Parents, teachers, and librarians can use it to spice up their read alouds or revisit old favorites by adding a new soundscape. Students can practice their reading fluency as the app responds to their voice. This app is SO FUN! You will need a paper copy of most books, although some come with free eBooks through apple books.
	Give your photos a voice with ChatterPix! Chatterpix can make anything talk — pets, friends, doodles, and more! Simply take any photo, draw a line to make a mouth, and record your voice. Use Chatterpix to allow pictures of whatever content you are studying (biographies, dinosaurs, etc.) to tell the class about themselves. The videos are 30 seconds maximum.

P.S. Don't forget about Epic!, the fantastic online library of eBooks that is FREE for teachers!