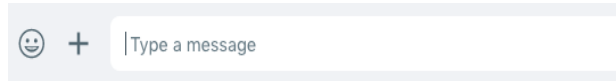


What's App Messenger Tips



What's App Messenger is a *free* social networking platform that allows you to:

1. Chat using text



boxes

2. See and hear your contact using the video icon or just using the phone icon



hear

3. Upload pictures and files from



your computer.

To download What's App Messenger and set up a chat:

1. **You must use a smartphone to initially download What's App Messenger free from your App Store.** Your phone is the hub through which all other devices connect. Simply put in your name and phone number to set it up. It will not connect to your other devices until you have sent an initial message and received a response from someone.
2. If you wish, download What's App Messenger from your App Store or from the internet on your computer **after** you have established initial phone contact. This will synch with your phone. You may prefer your computer so you can easily upload pictures and documents. What's App does not work well on an ipad.
3. To set up a chat with your student which **must be done initially on your phone**, click on the **green + icon** in the upper right-hand corner. Click on for a new contact and add name and phone number.
4. **Wait for your student to respond** before you add the app to your computer. A What's App icon will appear on your screen when you have a new message.
5. To upload files, Click on + next to the text box. You will then see a



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- Photos & Videos
- Camera
- Contact
- Document
- Poll
- New Sticker

6. You will not be able to open the file after you uploaded it until you **click the green send arrow. To make any file larger, click on it a few times.**
7. You will be able to see your student, the open file and the text message box simultaneously on your computer.
8. Occasionally, when the internet is not functioning, you can still send a text message.