

What is Nearpod?

An Introduction to Nearpod



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Nearpod is...

a fascinating solution to an "all-in-one" presentation for classrooms.

The app provides the ability to upload existing presentations as well as create new ones from scratch. Adding interactive features such as question/answer surveys, and drawings are easy and the pacing of presentation is controlled by the teacher.

Why should I use Nearpod?

- Teachers have complete control over student devices.
- Teachers can use it to assess student learning. Reports may be printed.
- Students can submit their work and it can be shared with the class.
- Students can work in small groups.
- It can be used across all subject areas.

Setting up Nearpod

There are two parts to Nearpod:

1. A free app- this is where you will be running your presentations and where your students will access your presentations.
2. The content tool- the website where you will create, upload, modify, and manage your presentations so that you can run them through the app.

SO LET'S GET STARTED...

Getting Started

- CREATE AN ACCOUNT

Go to www.nearpod.com and sign up.

*Write down your username and password.

- DOWNLOAD THE APP

1. Go to the "START" menu.
2. Go to the "STORE" search for "nearpod."
3. Click on the "INSTALL" button.
4. You will need to enter your Microsoft account and password here.

Let's log into a teacher created presentation...

- Go to the Nearpod app.
- Type in the pin from the teacher.
- Click "OK."

During this Nearpod you will be able to see the different types of content available to use in your presentations.

Creating your own presentation..

- To create your own presentation, you will need to go to the website.
- Sign into your account.
- Follow the step-by-step guide that was given to you on your way in, titled "Creating a Nearpod."

Next steps...

- Think about how you can use Nearpod in your classroom.
- Creating your first presentation is the most difficult, but after using it a few times it becomes easier.
- Start out simple!

Your students will love it!!

Questions for us??

We hope you use what you learned
today to engage students in your
classroom!