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Nine ideas for...

interacting with students using an iPad

Boost student engagement with useful apps for your iPad!

- 1 POLL YOUR STUDENTS.**
Socrative has student and teachers apps that turn an iPad or other web-enabled device into a virtual clicker.
- 2 SET UP AN ASSIGNMENT INBOX.**
Use the Dropbox app and DROPitTOME to securely receive files from your students. Perfect for a virtual assignment inbox.
- 3 KEEP STUDENTS FOCUSED ON LEARNING.**
Nearpod lets you send synchronized slides, quizzes, videos, etc. to all your students' devices so you control what they see during multimedia presentations.
- 4 MAKE YOUR OWN ONLINE TUTORIALS.**
Educreations lets you create narrated tutorials students can watch for just-in-time learning.
- 5 PUT YOUR FINGER ON CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT.**
ClassDojo and TeacherKit help you reward good student behavior and take notes on poor behavior. You choose whether to project the results for students to see.
- 6 HOST A GAME SHOW.**
Customize a Jeopardy-style game with questions from your curriculum using Zondle. Students buzz in their answer using their web-enabled devices.
- 7 SEND YOUR STUDENTS ON A DIGITAL TREASURE HUNT AROUND YOUR SCHOOL.**
Use a quick return (QR) code app like Scan plus www.classtools.net/QR/ to send students out to find clues, scan codes and answer your content-based questions.
- 8 PUT DIGITAL FLASHCARDS ON YOUR STUDENTS' DEVICES.**
Use the Quizlet website to create flashcard sets that can be downloaded to iPads with the Flashcards app, which also sends you reports on students' progress.
- 9 CREATE YOUR OWN CLASSROOM TEXTING SERVICE TO SEND REMINDERS.**
Remind 101 lets you build a short messaging service (SRS) just for your class. It handles student sign-up so you don't collect or see student contact information.

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