Energize Students with Interactive Assessments Using Computers and Mobile Devices

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The first site is

Get out your smartphones and/or tablets!
No tablet? Partner up!
Read the questions by looking at the screen in front of the room.
ANSWER the questions by clicking on the appropriate color rectangle on YOUR phone or tablet.
Let’s PLAY: navigate to kahoot.it

When I start the game, you will see a “Game Pin” number. Enter that number here.
It will look like this on the screen

Join at kahoot.it
With game-pin: 33354

Type the game-pin here.
The pin is different each game!
Next:

You will type your name here, or both names if you’re working with a partner.
Finally,

you will click on “Join game”
A quick tutorial: (This is not a hands-on workshop, but I want to show you how easy it is to create a kahoot!) You sign up at create.kahoot.it
create.kahoot.it

There’s a brief sign-up process...

GET YOUR FREE ACCOUNT
SCHOOLS, UNIVERSITIES OR BUSINESSES

1. WHAT'S YOUR ROLE?
Choose your role...

2. WHAT'S YOUR ROLE?
I'm a teacher
School or University

3. YOUR ACCOUNT DETAILS
Username
Email
Confirm Email
Password

CREATE ACCOUNT

By signing up you agree to the terms, privacy policy & children's privacy policy.
If you are stuck, please let us know.

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NEW! 5 ways to make a Kahoot awesome
create.kahoot.it

Fill out some information about your kahoot...

Click on “Ok, go”
create.kahoot.it

Click here to create your first question
create.kahoot.it

Question goes here!

Responses go here!
create.kahoot.it

Change time limit here!

One response must be correct!

Add an image or video.

Add more questions!
create.kahoot.it

Click on “Add question” and repeat as many times as you want!

When you’re finished, click “Save!”
create.kahoot.it

Click on one of the choices to continue!
Choose “Classic” until you have more experience!
You can also select some options...

Practice Kahoot

Player vs Player
1:1 Devices
Classic

Team vs Team
Shared Devices
Team mode

Game options
Enable Answer Streak Bonus  View details  ON
Randomize order of questions  ON
Randomize order of answers  OFF
TO PLAY: Tell students to navigate to kahoot.it

There are a few options you can select here!

Click here to start the game and generate the Game pin!
Click here to see all of the Kahoots you have created!

Click here to see Kahoots other people have created

Search “bbakin” to see Kahoots I have made.
QUIZLET

Create flashcards your students can access from their cellphones for 24/7 practice

First, try one I created!

Using your phone, get the Quizlet App by downloading it from wherever you get your apps now.

Search for “Quizlet”

Download and Install it on your phone as you would any other app. Usually, you click on “Install” and then wait for the app to download. Once it’s installed, create a login. You can sign in with a google account, a Facebook account or create an account using an email address.
After you have created an account and are logged in, Search for me by class. (click on the "CLASSES" tab.)

Type "esl bbakin" in the search box
Select ESL Intermediate High (for example)
Select “100 Irregular Past Tense Verbs” (for example)
Select “Cards”

(You should also see a list of the flashcard pairs below the three choices. Ignore those for now)

The first card should appear, and you should hear audio.
Tap the card to flip it and see the past tense of that verb.
Click on the speaker icon to hear the word.
Clicking on the “gear” icon (settings) while in flashcard mode allows you to start either with the “Term” side first, the “Definition” side first, or mix them up.
Clicking on the two crossed arrows “shuffles” the cards, so they appear randomly.
Create the flashcards at
QUIZLET.COM Click on Sign Up
Complete the fields as indicated, agree to the terms of service, and click on “Sign Up.” You can also sign up using Google or Facebook.
QUIZLET.COM
Click on “Create”
Add more cards
Click on “Create” when you’re done!

The features on the right require the upgrade.
You should see your set of flashcards!
Different Activities here
To study on the computer, students don’t need to sign up or log in. Just like on the phone, they can just search for your quizzes.
Quizlet has a new “LIVE” feature. It allows students to work in teams on a study set. It’s competitive!
Students navigate to quizlet.live instead of quizlet.com. and enter the unique code associated with your quiz.
As students join, they are randomly put in teams. Students move to work together. When the game starts, each student on a team sees the question on their phones, but ONLY ONE STUDENT has the correct answer! Students must work together to select the correct answer!
Students must work together to select the correct answer!
Quality over Speed! If they select incorrectly, the team score is reset to ZERO!
What are your thoughts about using Kahoot! and Quizlet with your students?

When poll is active, respond at PollEv.com/barrybakin

Text BARRYBAKIN to 37607 once to join

I have already started creating my first quiz and will use it in the coming week.

I would like to try using Kahoot! and Quizlet, but I don't know when.

I am not terribly impressed and probably won't bother using either of them at all.

More technology gimmicks that aren't worth the electrons. No educational value.
Signing up lets you save your polls.
www.polleverywhere.com

Choose your primary use

You're participating
Select this if you'll mostly respond to other people's polls.

You're presenting
Select this if you'll mostly create polls for others to respond to.

Whichever you chose, you'll still be able to access all of Poll Everywhere.

Select this.
Fill out the form
Just one more question...
How do you plan to use Poll Everywhere?

- An event or conference that I help manage
- Series of presentations/speeches
- Single presentation/speech I’m giving
- Teaching college and graduate classes
- Teaching K12 school students
- Corporate learning / continuing professional education
- Other...

Finish Account Setup

How will this information be used?

Select one and click here

Check email

Thanks! Please check your email for an activation link.
Start by typing one of your first question in the box. The form automatically expands.
Choose question type here

Add more questions here.

The responses go here

What's your favorite color? Red, Blue, or Green
When you have finished adding questions, click “Create.”
This page explains all of the options. (Roll your mouse over the buttons.)
The students study English at school, and they study at home.

The students study English at school and at home.

This is what you’ll see after activation. Students respond in one of two ways.
These bars will change in real time as students respond. Right now, only one response has been received, so 100% is displayed.
Which sentence is SIMPLE?

A. The students study English at school, and they study at home.

B. The students study English at school and at home.

Respond at PollEv.com/barrybakin460

Text BARRYB AKIN460 to 22333 once to join, then A or B

When you’re finished with this poll, click here to go to the next question.
They study English at school, at home, at work, and at the beach.

They study English at school, and they study at home.

They study and practice English at school, at home, and at the beach.

Click here to activate the new poll so students can respond.
Click here to change the way the poll appears.

Click here to stop students from answering.

Click here to clear the results.

Click here for full screen.
Which sentence is COMPOUND?

A. They study English at school, at home, at work, and at the beach.

B. They study English at school, and they study at home.

C. They study and practice English at school, at home, and at the beach.

Click here to try out your poll.

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Click here when you’re ready to present your poll.

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C. They study and practice English at school, at home, and at the beach.
Click here to see all of the polls you have created.

[Image of a poll creation interface]

**Heads up! This free account is limited to 40 responses per poll**

If more than 40 students respond to a poll, their responses will be discarded unless you upgrade to a larger plan. Learn more about paid plans.

**Need some help?**
- Frequently Asked Questions
- Contact Support

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