Welcome!
Today’s Agenda:

» Welcome
» Goals and Objectives
» Whole Group Sample Student Lesson
» Exploration of Tools
» Whole Group Debrief
» Nearpod Feedback
GCISD Lead 2.0 Goals

- Goal 1: Actively identify and remove barriers that limit access to and opportunity for learning
- Goal 3: Create a culture that fosters learning environments that reflect student voice and promote student engagement
Today’s Objectives:

1. Understand the main features and tools of Nearpod
2. Explore Nearpod features and tools
How This Nearpod Lesson Was Created...
Add Nearpod Extension to Google Classroom

- Go to the Chrome Store (chrome.google.com/webstore)
- Search Nearpod > Add to Chrome

- Add extension
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- Then, go to Google Classroom to create a “Nearpod Assignment”.

- It will open your Google Slides or you can choose a pre-made Nearpod lesson.
Use Nearpod in Google Slides

It will open a Google Slides where you will complete these steps:

1. Install the Nearpod Add-On
2. Add Interactivity with Nearpod
3. Save & Go To Nearpod
FYI...

- There are other interactive tools you could add.
- Make sure the web content that you add is not blocked.
- You can use Wakelet to curate many sites into one location.
- The “Collaborate” activity only works when you enable that feature in the “Advanced” tab.
- It also may take a few minutes to save your Nearpod lesson.
FYI...

-Any change you make to Nearpod slides should be saved in Google Slides
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