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WHAT IS JING?

JING

Chapter 1

Jing is a cross-platform application that can be downloaded from www.jingproject.com. It enables you to take static screen captures of your computer screen (called screenshots) as well as record short videos (less than 5 minutes) of onscreen action (called screencasts). You can then share your screen captures and screencasts instantly with others whether over the web, email, or even embedded in your online course shell. Jing's companion site, www.screencast.com, makes sharing easy and fast. Once your screen capture or screencast is done, with a click of a button you can easily upload it to Screencast.com. Once the upload is done, Screencast.com then copies the URL to your uploaded screen capture or screencast to the clipboard of your computer, enabling you to then easily paste the URL into an email or your course management system to share with your students. Screencast.com, also, generates HTML embed code which enables you to embed your screencasts seamlessly into your online course management system. But if you do not wish to use Screencast.com to share your screen captures and screencasts, you can save your screen captures as PNG image files and your screencasts as SWF Flash video files and distribute as you see fit (Margarita & Dave 2010).

BENEFITS OF USING JING

According to Patrick et al. (2009), Jing is useful because:

1. It is free.
2. It is available for Windows and Mac.
3. Ability to upload images and videos to screencast.com with a simple click of a mouse is something that none of its competitors currently offer.

USING JING IN EDUCATION

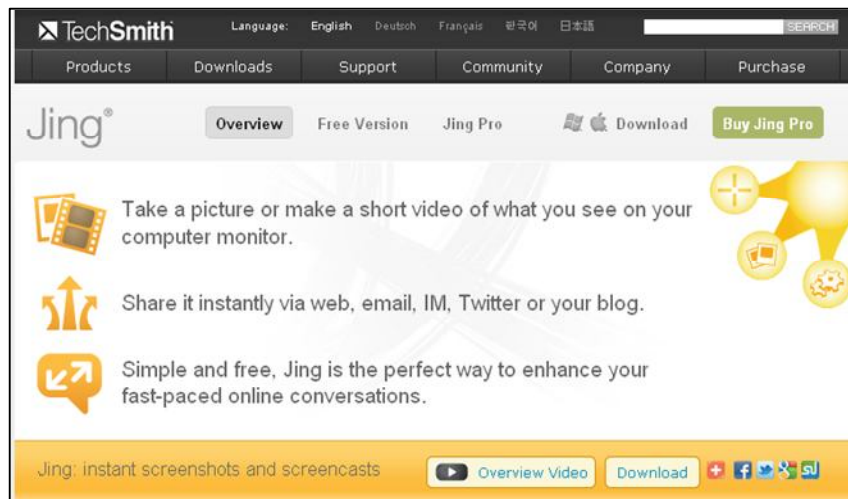
Elizabeth (2010) suggests some quick ideas using Jing in education as follows:

1. Create training videos for quick and easy access for students, or even yourself for refreshers.
2. Have your students record themselves solving math problems and then post on your classroom blog!
3. Have your students record their presentations
4. Have your students record themselves researching and presenting their findings
5. Don't stick to the norm! Have your students get creative – create a timeline of an explorer's life and then present it via Jing!

GET STARTED WITH JING

STEP 1

Go to <http://www.techsmith.com/jing/>



STEP 2

Downloading/Installing Jing

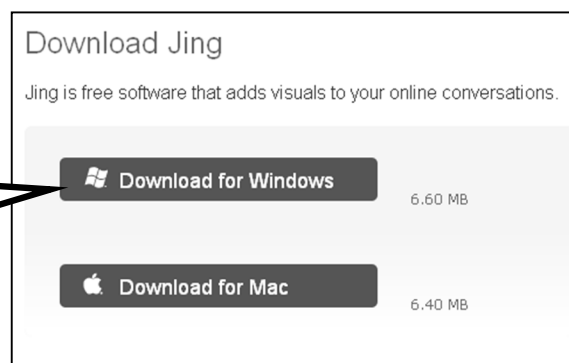


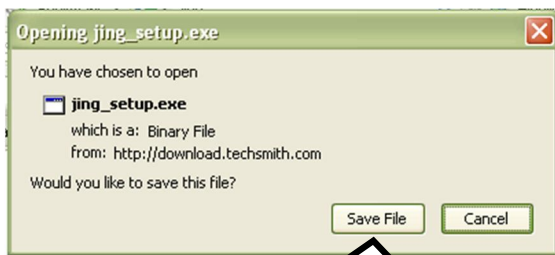
Click
'Download Free
Version' of
Jing.



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Next, click 'Download for Windows' if you are using Windows.





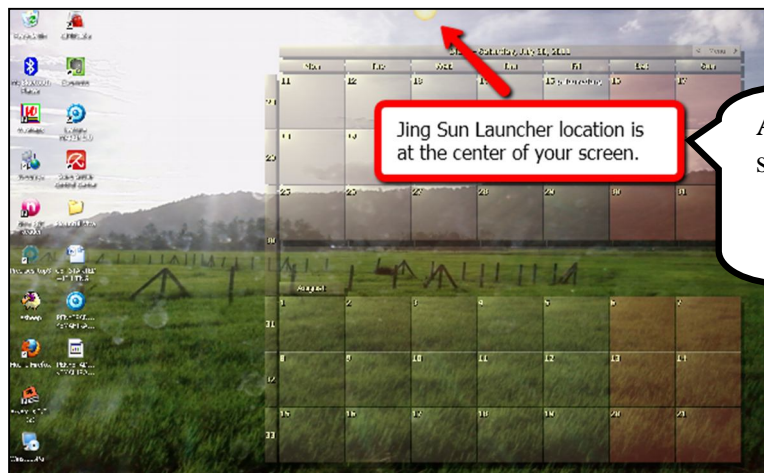
3 Jing_setup.exe will appear. Click 'Save File' to save the setup file in your computer. After you have completed saving, run the setup and start installing.



4 At the end of the installing process, you need to sign up online.

STEP 3

Finding and Launching Jing



1 After the installation and sign up is completed, the Jing sun will appear at your desktop screen.



2 When you move the cursor over the "sun", three options will emerge. The most useful one is 'Capture'.

STEP 4**Taking a Capture**

Click 'Capture'.

1

The highlighted bright area is the part that will be captured. Let go when you have got the area you have selected.

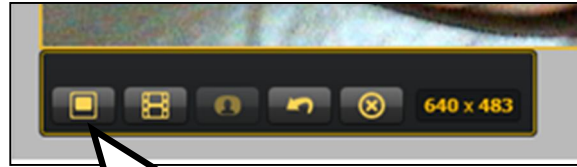
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You will see that your screen will go darker as you move the area around the screen.

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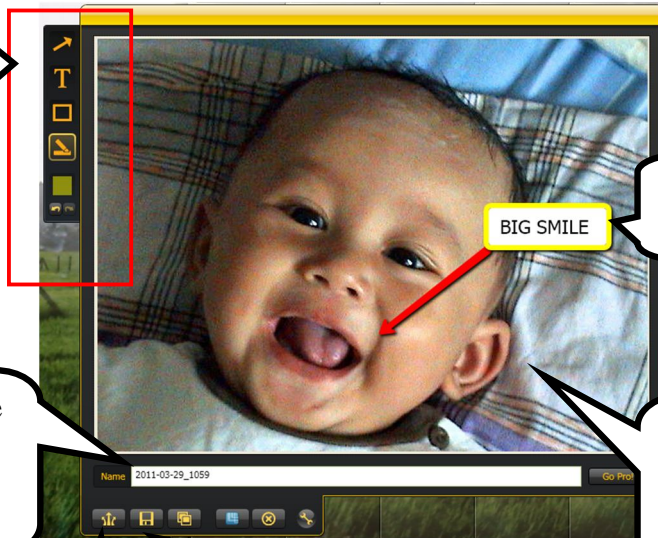
Click and drag to select a portion of your screen.

3

STEP 5**Capturing an Image**

1 Click the image button.

3 You can use the image tools to annotate your capture.



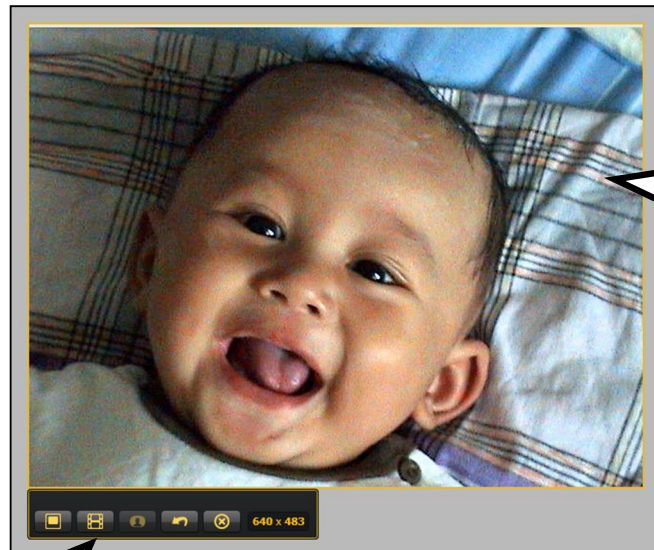
2 The image will look like this.

4 An example of an annotation using the image tools.

5 The Date/Time stamp is the default filename.

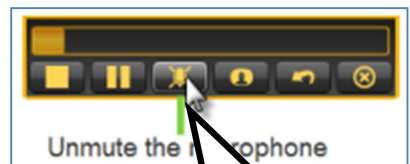
7 Click the 'save' button to save it manually.

6 If you click the 'share via Screencast.com' button, your image or video will be uploaded to your Jing folder on Screencast.com. You can paste the link into your email, document or online conversation.

STEP 6**Recording Videos**

Click 'capture' and highlight the area you want to record as a video.

Click the video button.



Make sure your microphone is connected and that it is not muted.



A 3 second countdown will appear, and your screen will be recorded. You can perform any actions you would like to show while narrating along.

Click stop when you are done.

There is a five minutes time limit.



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Chapter 2

SCREENCAST-O-MATIC

WHAT IS SCREENCAST-O-MATIC?

Screencast-o-matic.com is a site that allows users to create recordings of their screen activity and audio using a Java-based applet. The application runs in a browser window and is cross-platform compatible. Java 1.5 or higher is required to use the site. The application has most of the features of similar desktop applications, allowing you to capture a portion of the screen (users can choose from 640x480, 800x600, 1024x768 or full-screen). In practice, the application worked seamlessly with Internet Explorer and Firefox 2.0. The site is also compatible with Safari 2.0.4 and Opera 9.

Source: <http://www.appappeal.com/app/screencast-o-matic/>

ADVANTAGES OF SCREENCAST-O-MATIC

- Highlighted cursor and click indicators.
- Ease of use.
- Ability to add captions easily.
- Ability for creators to add notes and for viewers to add comments.
- No application to download.

Source: <http://ocio.osu.edu/elearning/toolbox/brief/screencast-o-matic/7-things-you-should-know-about-screencast-o-matic/>

BENEFITS OF USING SCREENCAST-O-MATIC

The following are some benefits of Screencast-O-Matic:

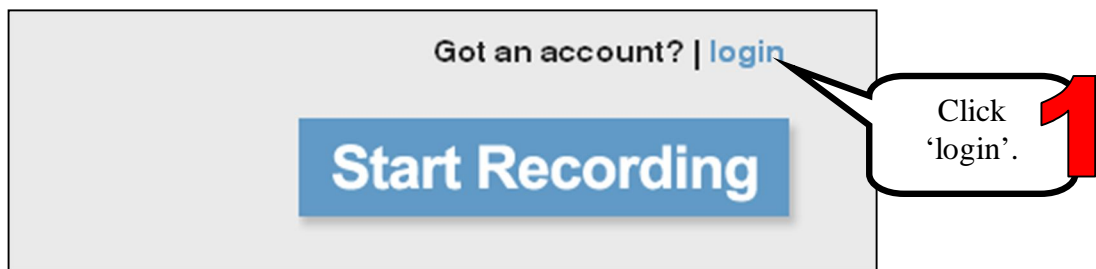
- Very useful for demonstrating software use and other computer functions, presentation of lectures or short lessons, or providing rich feedback on students' work.
- Screencast-o-matic videos can be created and viewed anytime and anywhere a user has an Internet connection and a browser.
- Students can view them at times that are convenient for them, so they work well in online and hybrid courses.
- Viewed and reviewed for reference by students, so they work well for presenting lessons or instructive demonstrations to any student.
- Screencasts create a more engaging environment for a student who is working online, giving a lecture or demonstration a more personal, face-to-face feel.

Source: <http://ocio.osu.edu/elearning/toolbox/brief/screencast-o-matic/7-things-you-should-know-about-screencast-o-matic/>

GET STARTED WITH SREENCAST-O-MATIC

STEP 1Go to: <http://www.screencast-o-matic.com/>**STEP 2**

Login/Register

A screenshot of the "Login or Register" form. The form has two columns: "Login" and "Register".
Login Column:
- "E-mail:" with a text input field.
- "Password:" with a text input field.
- A checkbox labeled "Remember me".
- A "Login" button and a link "or I forgot my password".
Register Column:
- "E-mail:" with a text input field.
- "E-mail again:" with a text input field.
- "Password:" with a text input field.
- "Password again:" with a text input field.
- A checkbox labeled "I agree to the [Terms of Service](#)".
- A "Register" button.
Numbered Instructions:
- **1:** "Click 'login'." (points to the login link in the previous screenshot).
- **2:** "Fill in the required information." (points to the input fields in the Login column).
- **3:** "Click the 'Register' button." (points to the Register button).
- **4:** "To login, insert your email and password." (points to the E-mail and Password fields in the Login column).
- **5:** "Then click the 'Login' button." (points to the Login button).

STEP 3**Recording**

1 At Screencast-O-Matic home page, Click the 'Start Recording' button.

2 Allow the Java Applet to run the screen recorder.

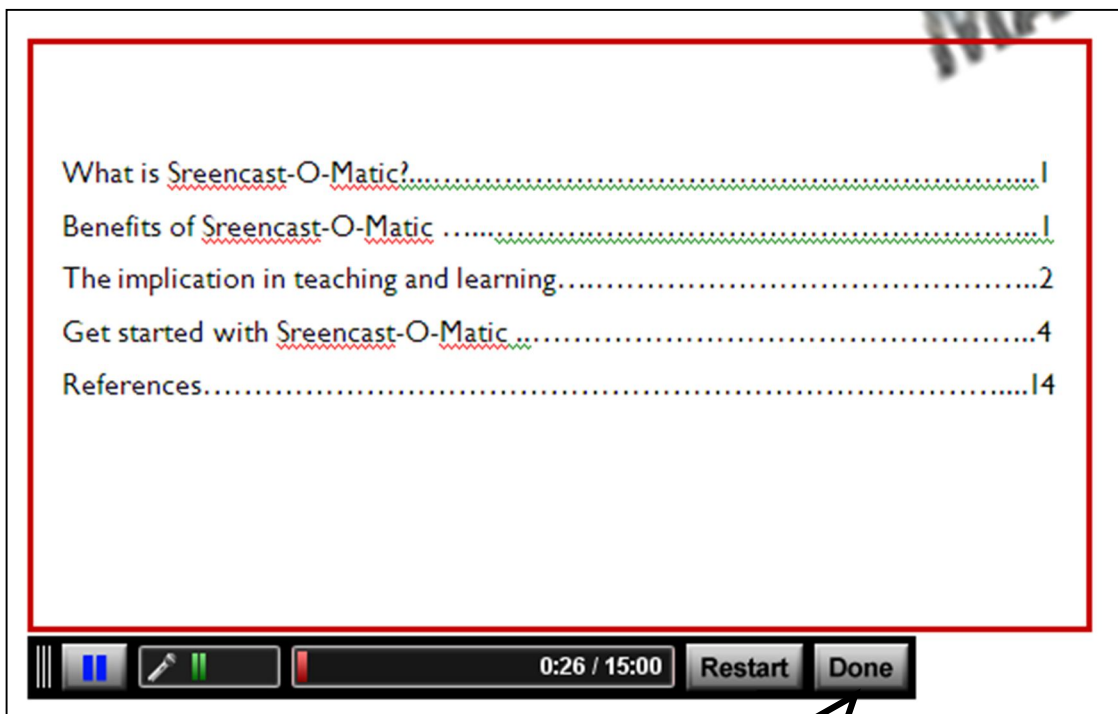
3 This is how your screen recorder will look like. You can drag and resize this screen

4 Click this button to start recording.

5 Click at this button to turn on your audio.

6 Choose the size of the video recorded.

7 Click this button to turn on the webcam.



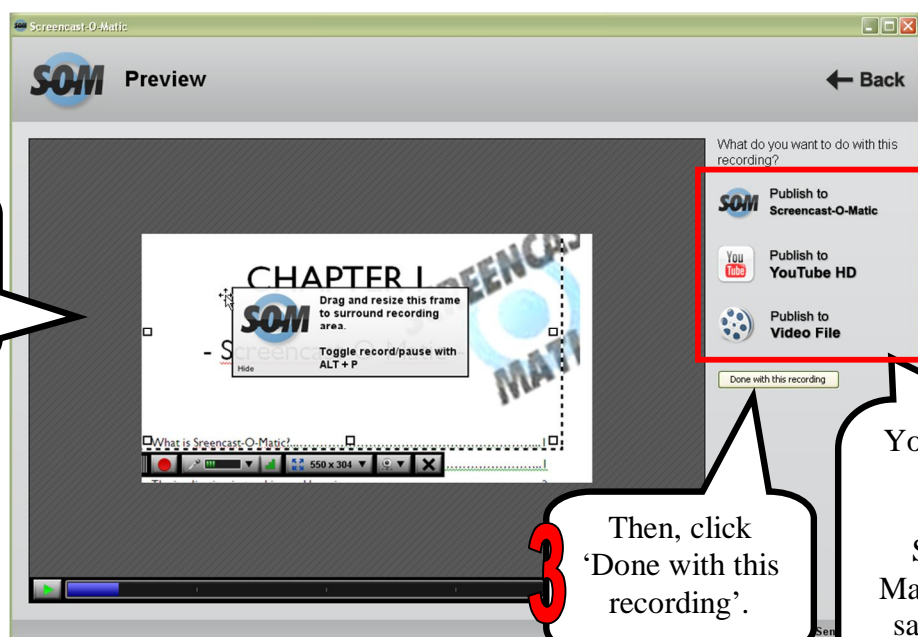
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After you have finished the recording, click the 'Done' button.

STEP 4

Publishing the Screen Capture Video

1 This is how your video recorded will look like.



3

Then, click 'Done with this recording'.

2

You can choose to publish your recording in Screencast-O-Matic, YouTube or save it as a video file.

(a) Publish to Screencast-O-Matic

1 Fill in the required information.

2 Then, click 'Upload to SOM'.

3 Wait for upload to complete.

4 This is the URL of your video uploaded to SOM.

5 Click at the URL given and you can view your video at SOM.

SOM Publish to Screencast-O-Matic

Title*
My Screencast

Description*

Channel
Loading...

Language
English

Notes
Add Notes...

Captions
Add Captions File...

Options
Show Advanced Options...

SOM Options

- ☒ Searchable
- ☒ Users can add notes
- ☒ Users can leave comments

SOM Account
paperputih@gmail.com

Upload to SOM

Uploading to SOM (Encoding 34%)
My Screencast

Uploaded to SOM
My Screencast (<http://screencast-o-matic.com/watch/cl1ff4mcf>)

My Screencast

IT STARTED WITH SREENCASST-O-MATIC

STEP 1 Go to: <http://www.screencast-o-matic.com/>

SCREENCAST-O-MATIC

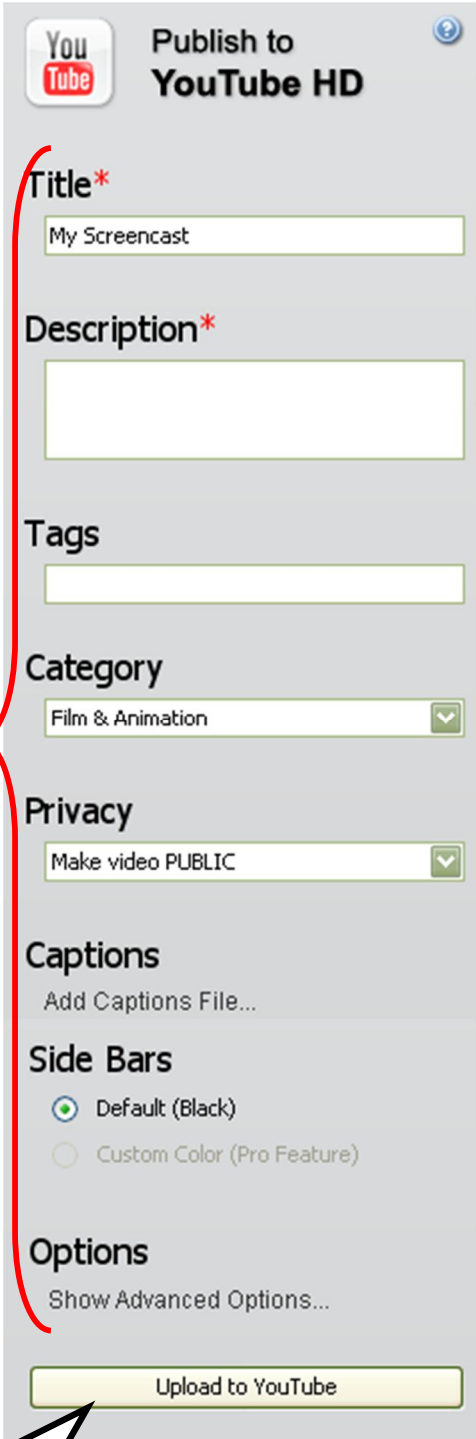
Buffering 25%

PlaySlow PlayFast Halo Clicks Cursor Notes

Tweet 0 Like Be the first of your friends to like this. Requires JAVA 1.5 or later. Test your

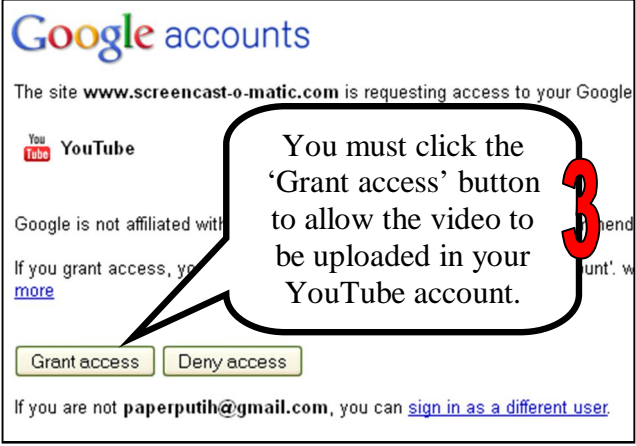
(b) Publish to YouTube HD

1 Fill in the required information.




2 Then, click 'Upload to YouTube'.


3 You must click the 'Grant access' button to allow the video to be uploaded in your YouTube account.



4 This is the URL of your video uploaded onto YouTube.



5 Click at the URL given and you can view your video at YouTube.



(c) Publish to Video File

The main dialog box is titled "Publish to Video File" and contains the following sections:

- Video Type:** A dropdown menu showing "Quicktime (MP4)".
- Size:** Radio buttons for "Full Size (550x304)", "HD Size (1280x720)", and "Rescale width: [] px".
- Notes:** A text area with "Add Notes..." and a time selector "at 0:00 seconds" with an "Add Note" button.
- Captions:** A section with "Add Captions File..." and a link to "Show Advanced Options...".
- Options:** A section with "Show Advanced Options..." and a "Save Video" button.

Callouts and arrows provide the following instructions:

- 1** Fill in the required information. (Points to the Video Type, Size, Notes, and Captions sections.)
- Choose the format of the video. (Points to the Video Type dropdown menu.)
- Insert notes into your video. (Optional) (Points to the Notes text area.)
- Add caption onto your video. (Points to the Add Captions dialog box.)
- Then, click 'Save Video'. (Points to the Save Video button.)

The **Add Captions** dialog box includes:

- Language: English (dropdown)
- Title (optional): []
- Choose File... button
- CANCEL button

The **Options** dialog box includes:

- ☒ Show Notes (if any)
- ☒ Show Mouse Cursor
- ☒ Show Mouse Clicks
- ☒ Show Mouse Halo
- ☐ Remove audio
- ☐ Remove web cam

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Chapter 3

CAMTASIA STUDIO

WHAT IS CAMTASIA STUDIO?

Camtasia Studio is a video-based screen capturing software program. It is analogous to using a video camera to record your screen. However, unlike using a video camera, the software is installed on your computer, so your screen captures are directly recorded to a digital video format with higher quality audio. Camtasia can also be customized to capture the entire screen, a specific window, or user-defined region. Screen capture videos can be recorded with or without voice narration, and can be annotated after recording.

Source:

<http://www.wpi.edu/Academics/ATC/Collaboratory/HowTo/Camtasia/camintro.html>

ADVANTAGES OF CAMTASIA STUDIO

The following are some advantages of Camtasia Studio:

- A lot of presets and Output formats to choose from.
- No loss in video quality after rendering - Camtasia Studio's rendering quality is lossless, which means you get the same output after rendering as you have previewed it before rendering the final output.
- Easy editing - Offers easy editing capabilities in a timeline and storyboard view.
- PowerPoint integration - Grab the Camtasia studio's add-in for PowerPoint and the program can convert your entire ppt or pptx presentation into an AVI file.
- Support for a whole lot of media formats - Camtasia Studio supports a good number of video, audio as well as image formats.

- Easy Import & Export - Allows you to quickly export the project as a zip file and send it to anyone. Your friend only needs to import the zip file into Camtasia Studio.
- Batch Production - Use the Batch production option to render multiple screencasts parallel.
- Multi Track Recording - allows you to record multiple clips one by one and combine them to produce a single output.

Source: <http://www.screencastingtips.org/advantages-of-camtasia-studio-over-free-screencasting-software/80/>

POTENTIAL IMPACTS OF INSTRUCTIONAL VIDEO ON LEARNING

- Provides an interactive video syllabus to introduce students to the class.
- Invoke learners to use their visual and auditory senses to enhance learning
- Help learners understand complex concepts and procedures that are difficult to explain with simple text and graphics
- By using visual and auditory messages, students can process the information quicker, which in turn, helps foster their learning acquisition of the material.
- Convert tacit information or knowledge that may be too difficult to describe in text into an articulate, vivid description through the use of images.
- Videos have visual appeal that can evoke emotional reactions from students that would help in increasing motivation

Source:

<http://cstl.semo.edu/institute/2007Summer/Camtasia/EngagingDNBeyondtheClassroom.ppt>

GET STARTED WITH CAMTASIA STUDIO

STEP 1

Go to: <http://www.techsmith.com/camtasia.html>

The logo for Camtasia Studio, featuring the text "Camtasia Studio" in a sans-serif font, with a registered trademark symbol (®) to the upper right of the word "Studio".**STEP 2**

Downloading & Installing Camtasia Studio



Download the Camtasia Free Trial

Record your screen and add professional polish. Produce and share stunning videos at any size. Create training videos, presentations, demos and more that get Make them wonder how you did it.

Get Camtasia Free for 30 Days

Enter your email address:

We'll send a few emails with tutorials and product information to get you started. Unsubscribe at any time.

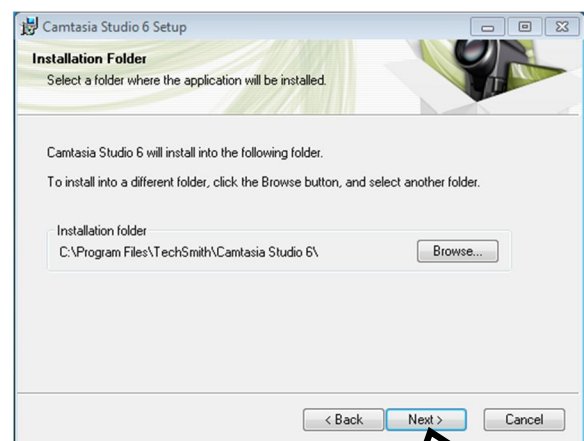
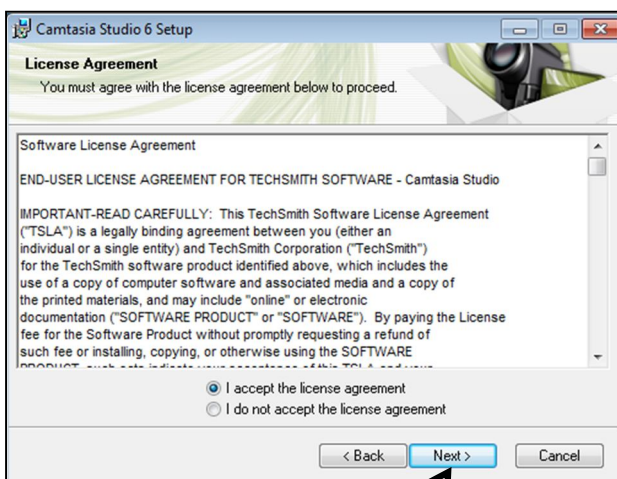
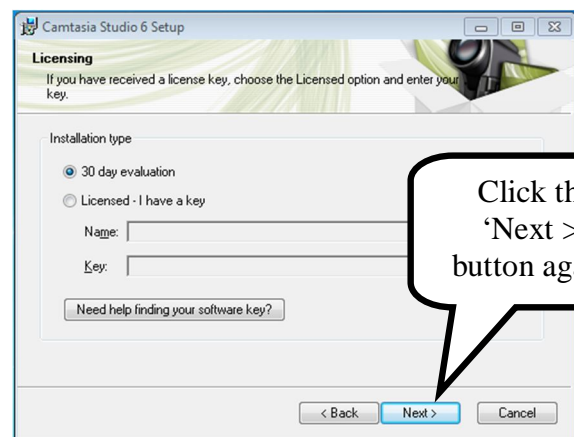
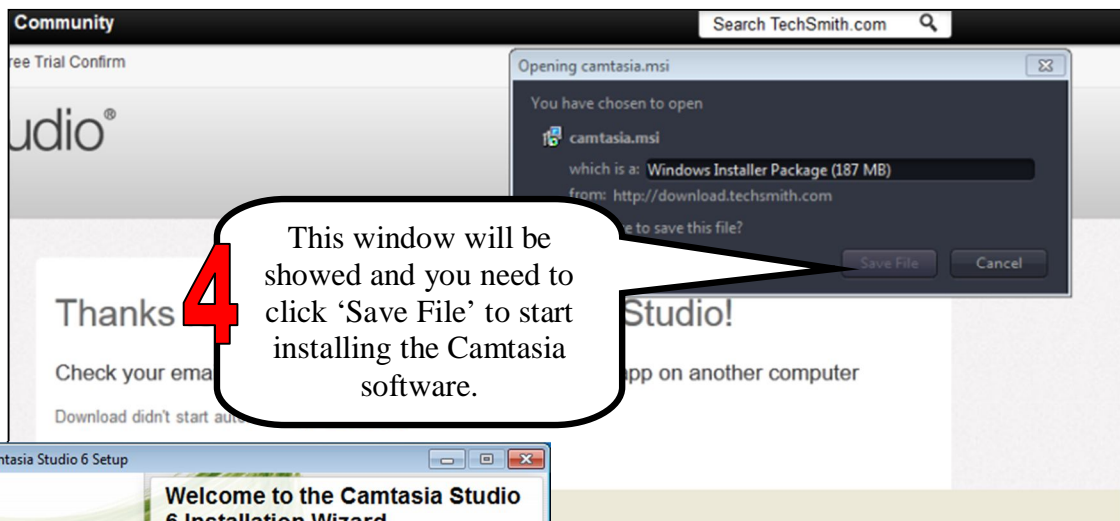
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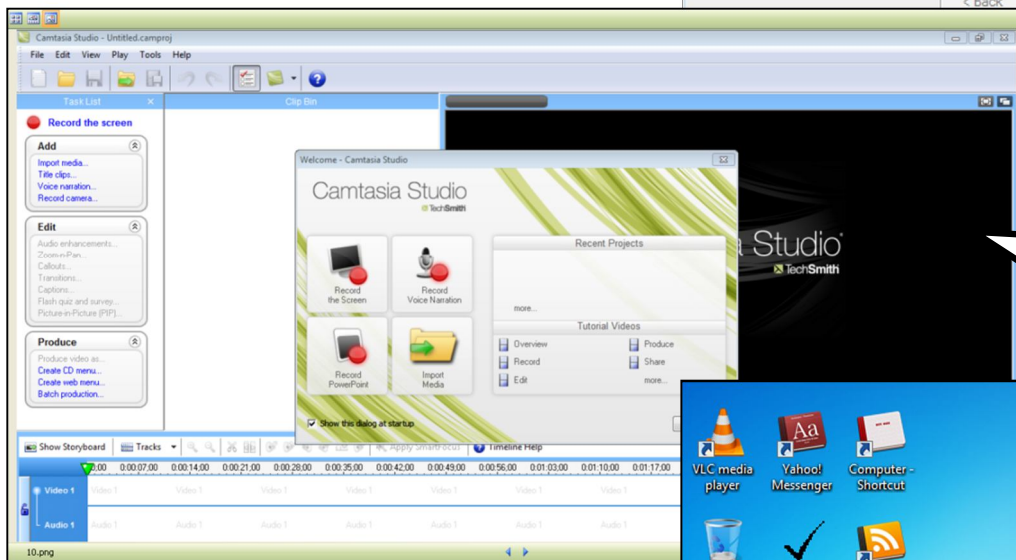
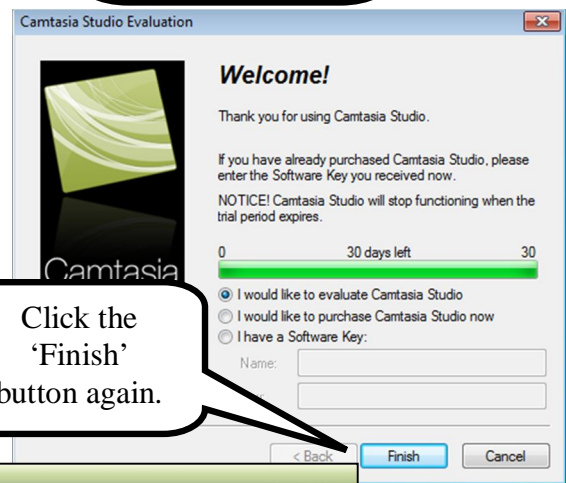
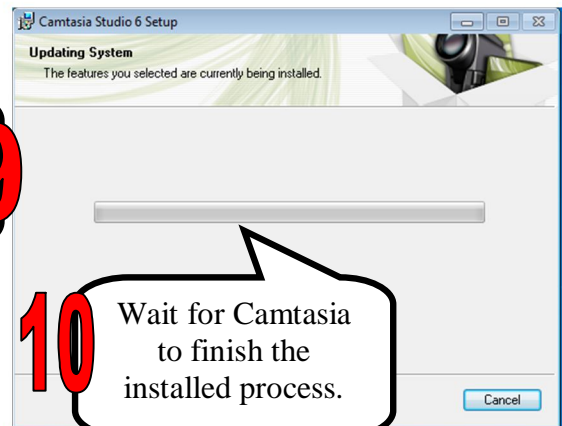
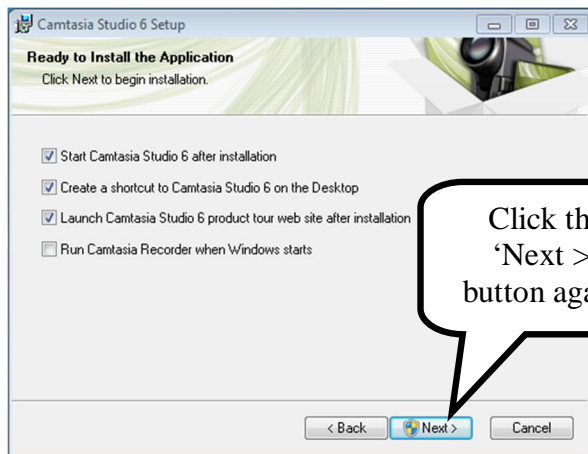
 Start Mac Download

Insert your email address here to get the 30 days trial for using Camtasia.

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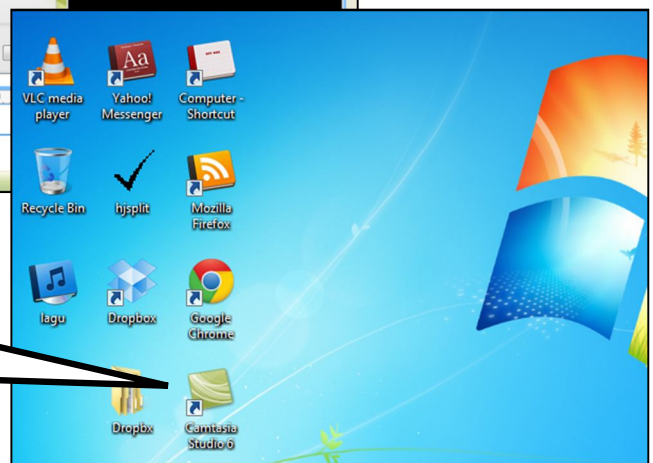
3 Then, click at 'Start Windows Download' or 'Start Mac Download'.

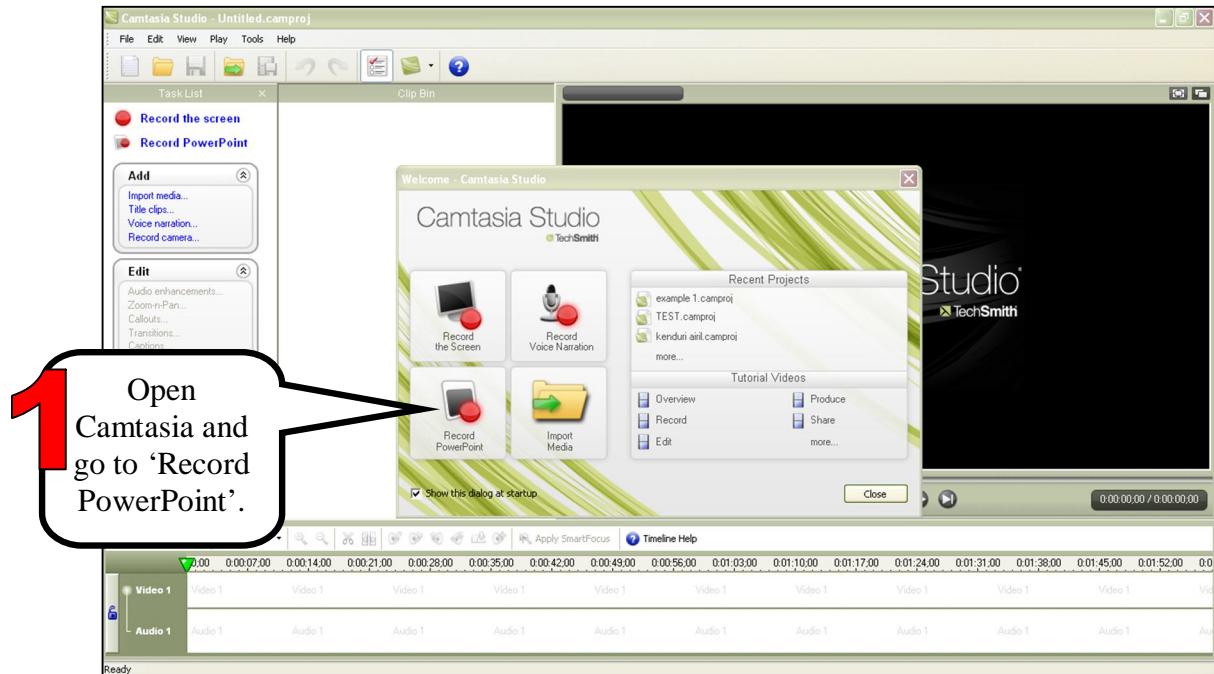




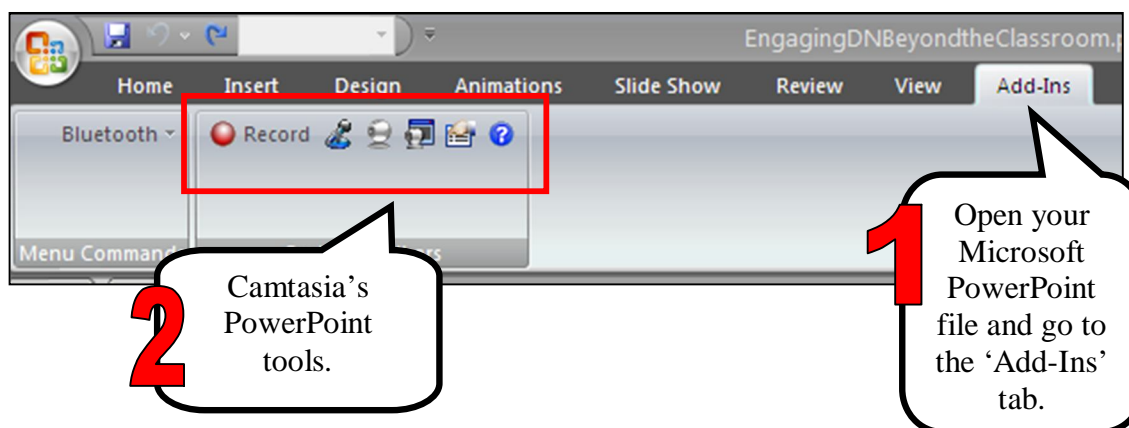
Now your Camtasia is successfully installed.

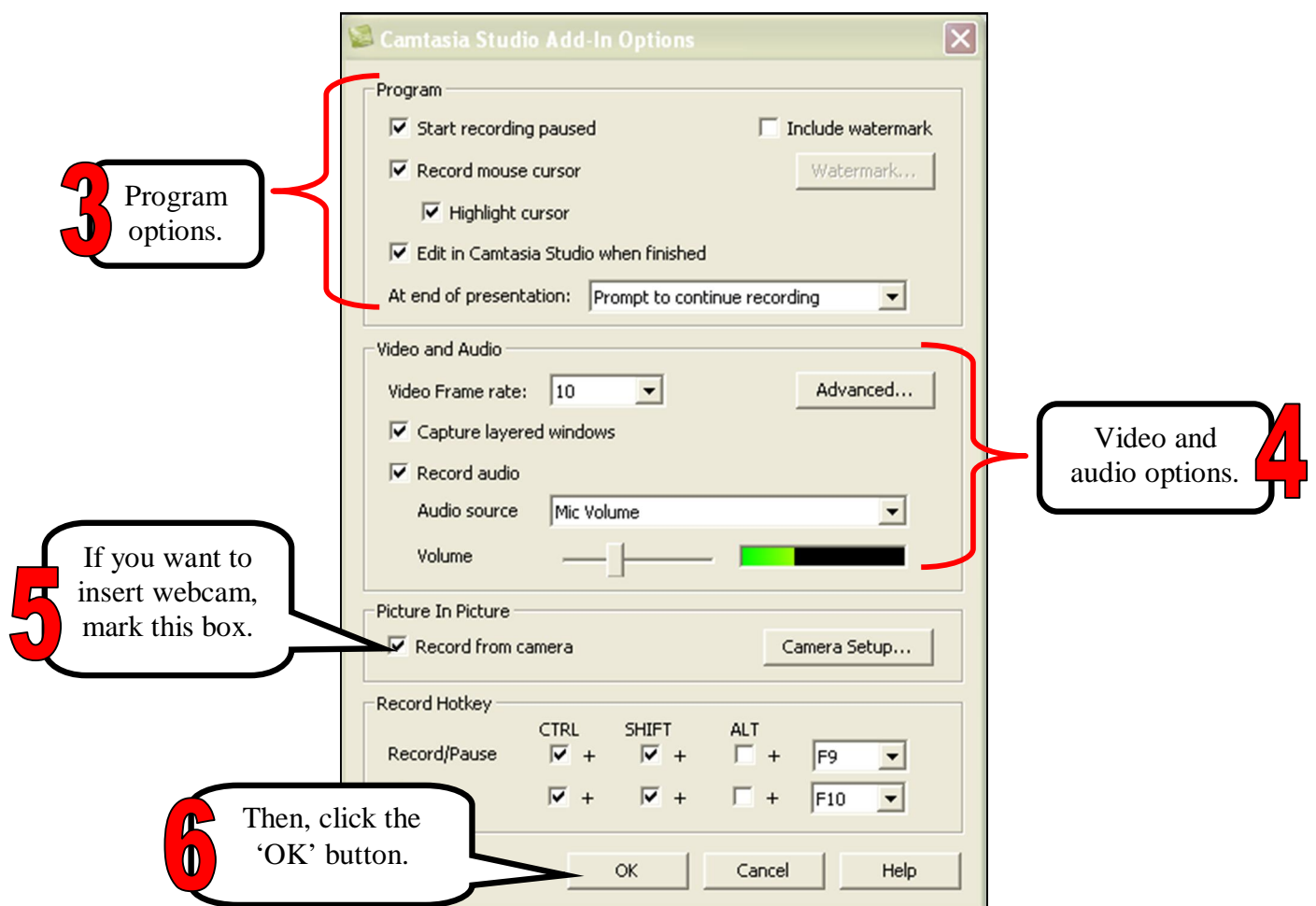
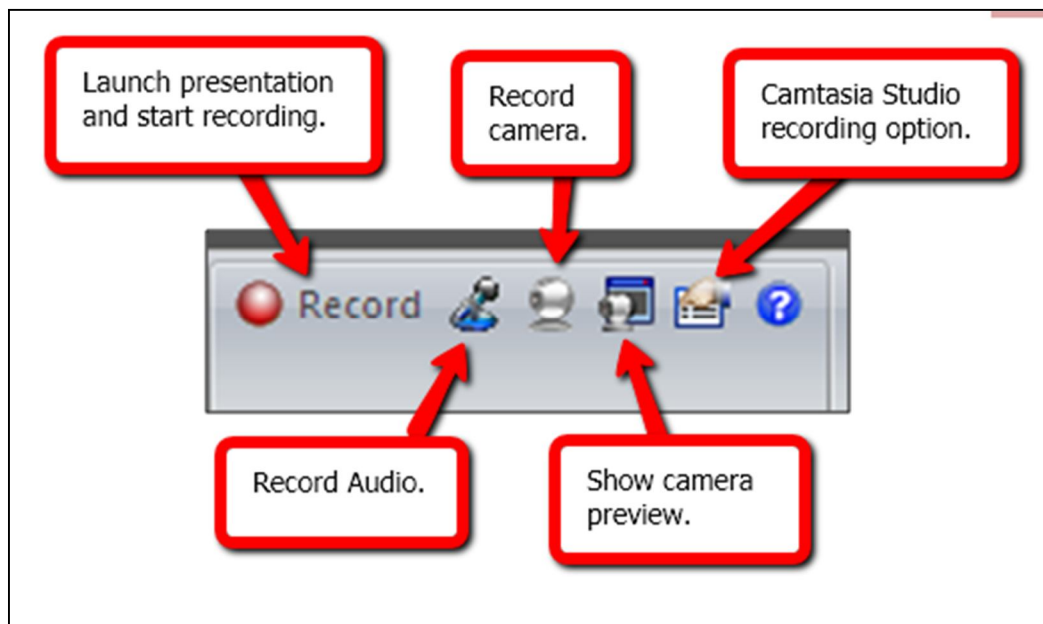
Camtasia shortcut icon will be installed on your desktop.

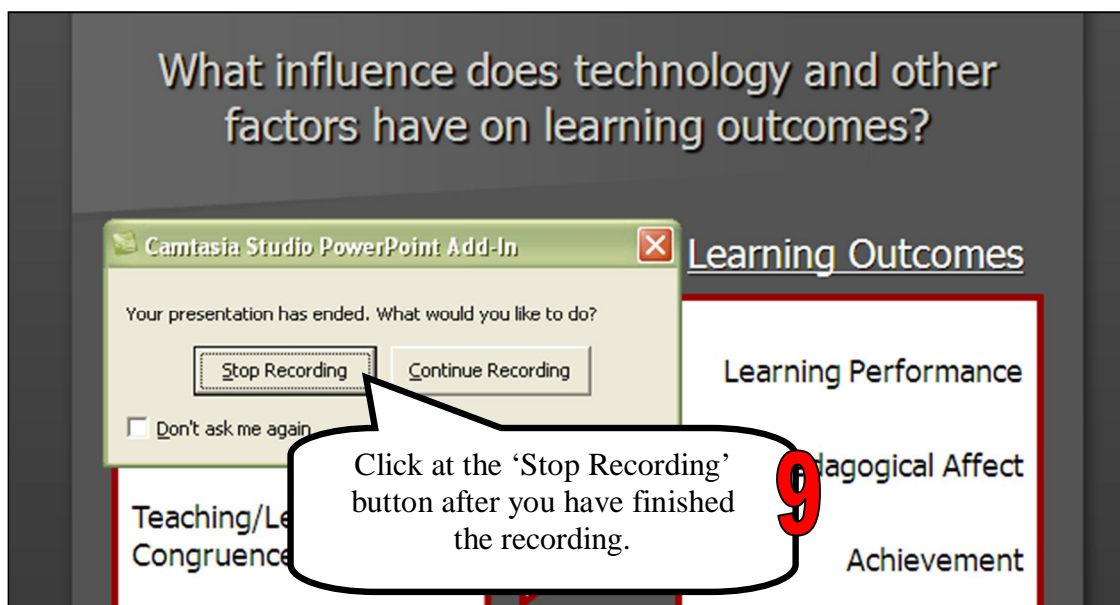
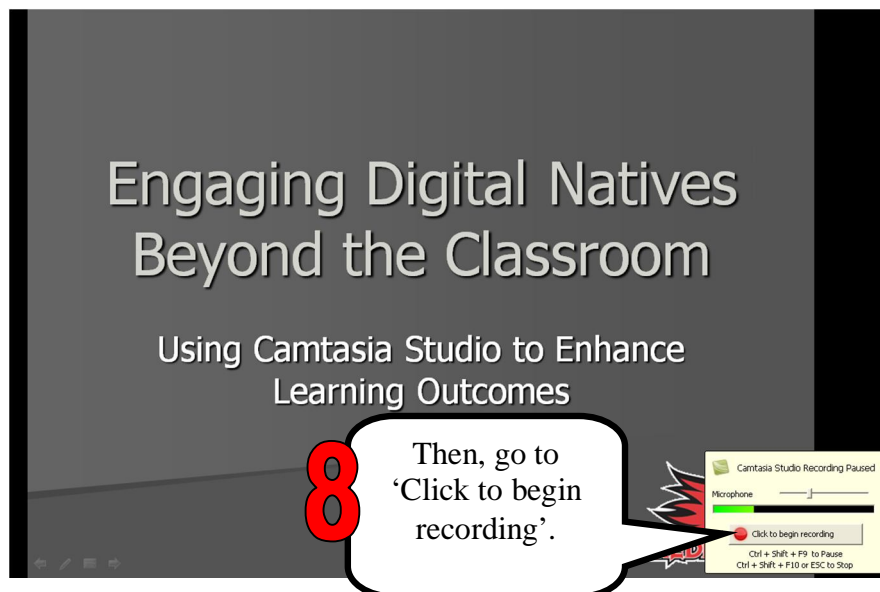
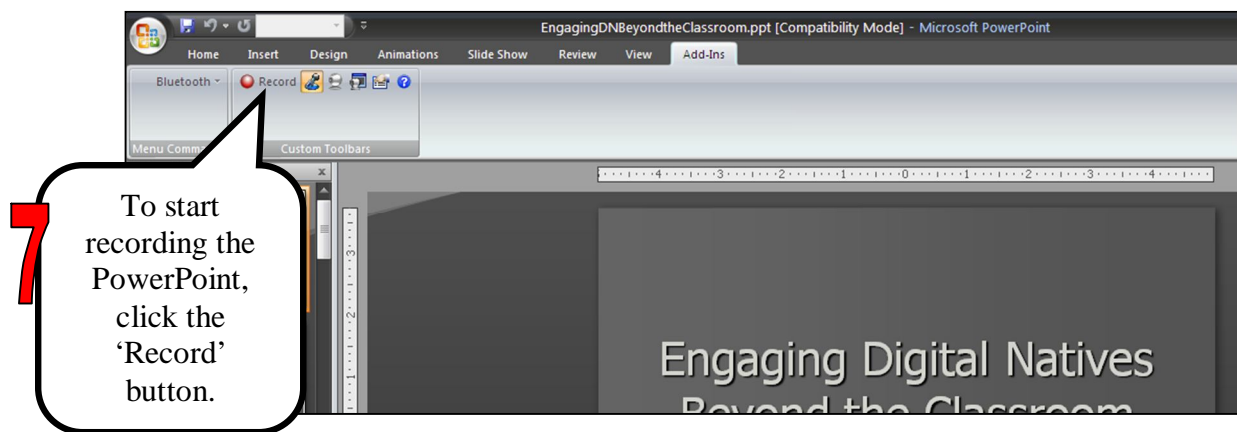


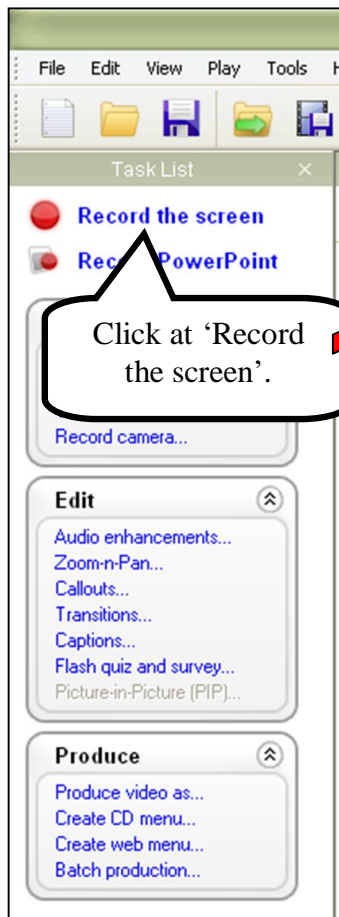
STEP 3**Recording PowerPoint**

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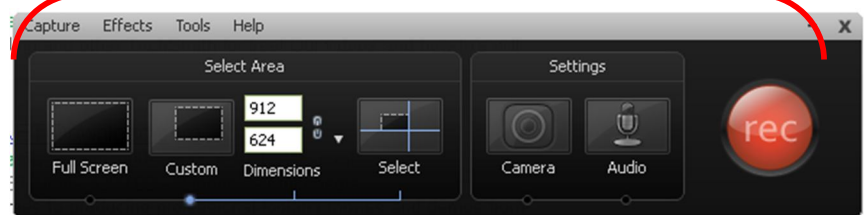




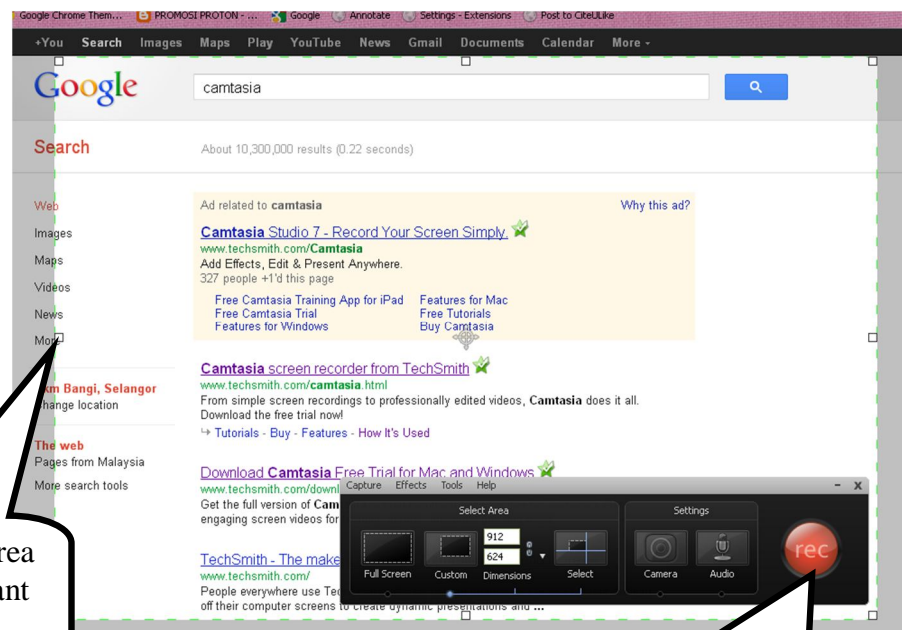


STEP 4**Recording the Screen**

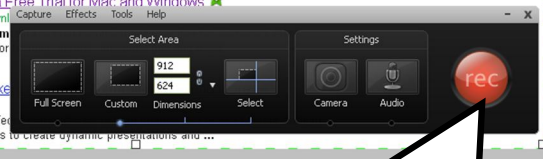
Use these settings to customize your screen recording and insert the camera and audio.



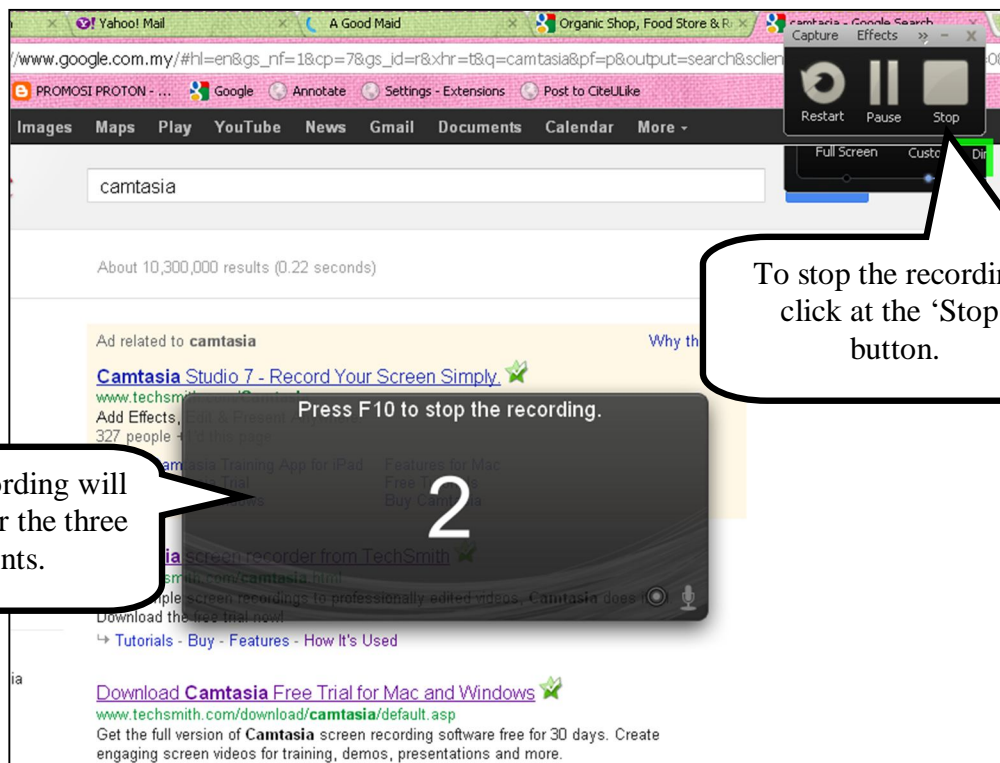
You can resize the area of the screen you want to record.



To start the recording, click the 'rec' button.

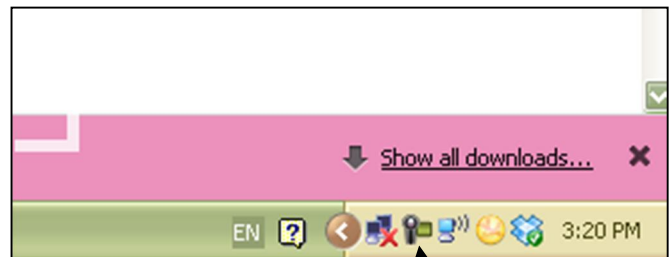


5 Your recording will begin after the three counts.



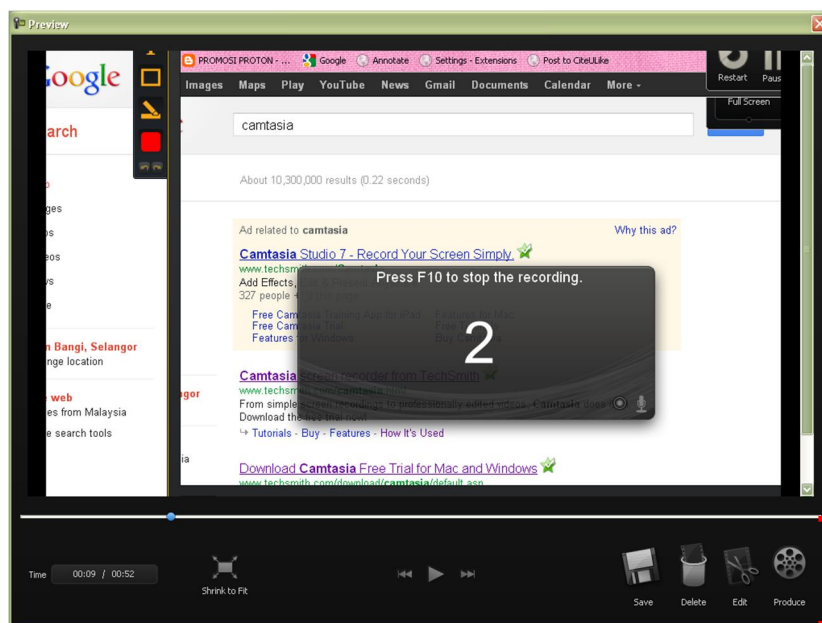
To stop the recording, click at the 'Stop' button.

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Or you can click at this icon to open the screen recorder tools.

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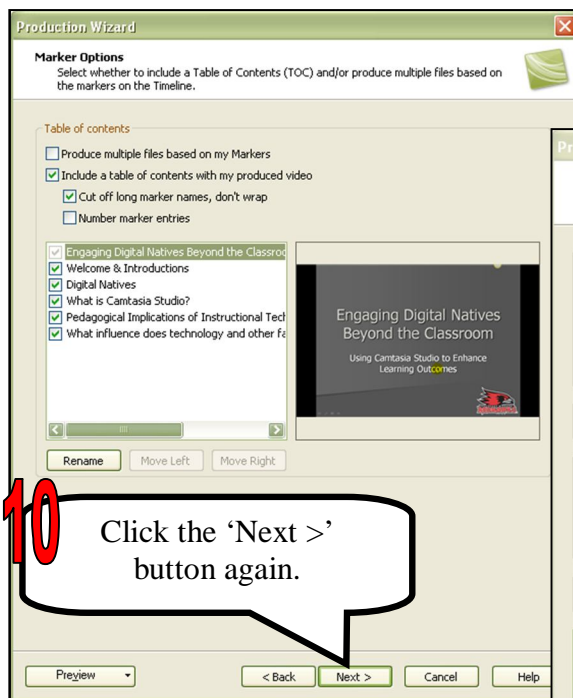
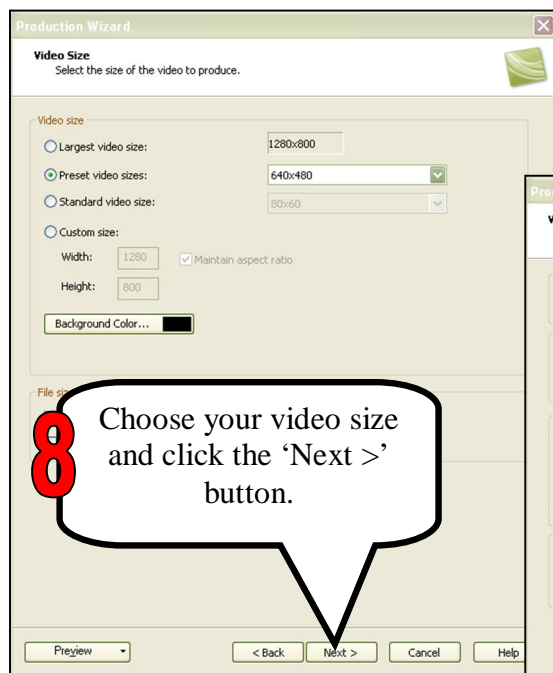
To save, delete, edit or produce the recording, use these buttons.

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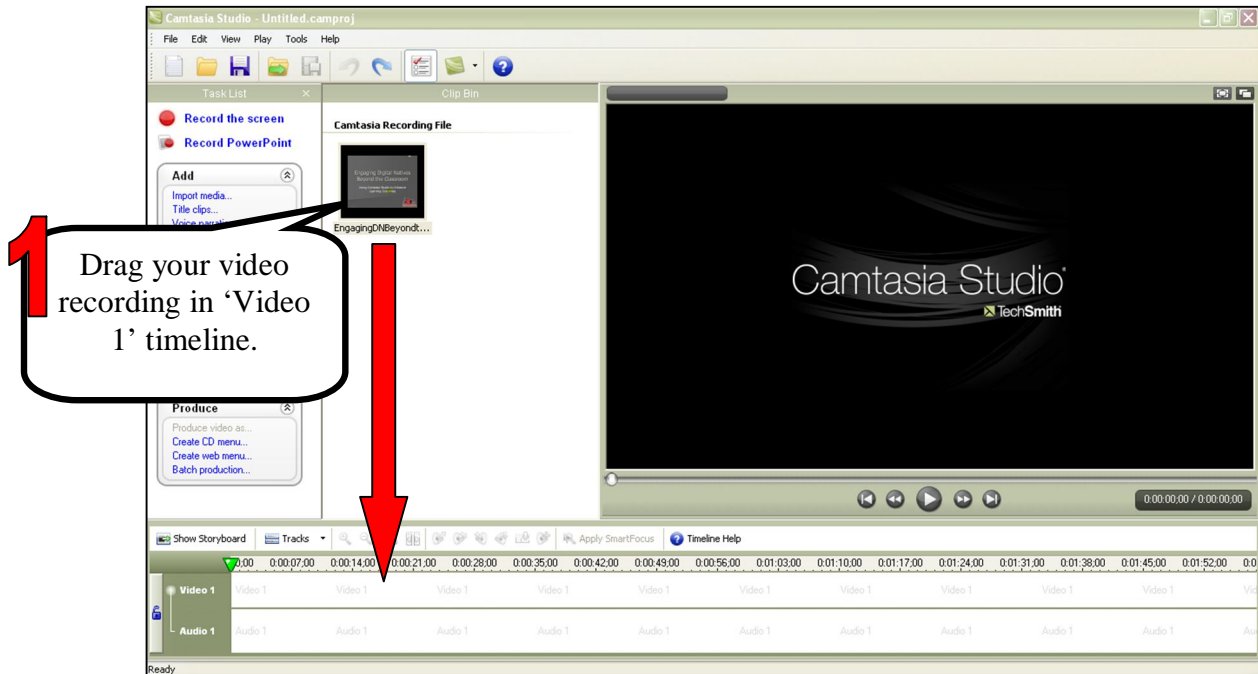
STEP 5

Producing Your Recording

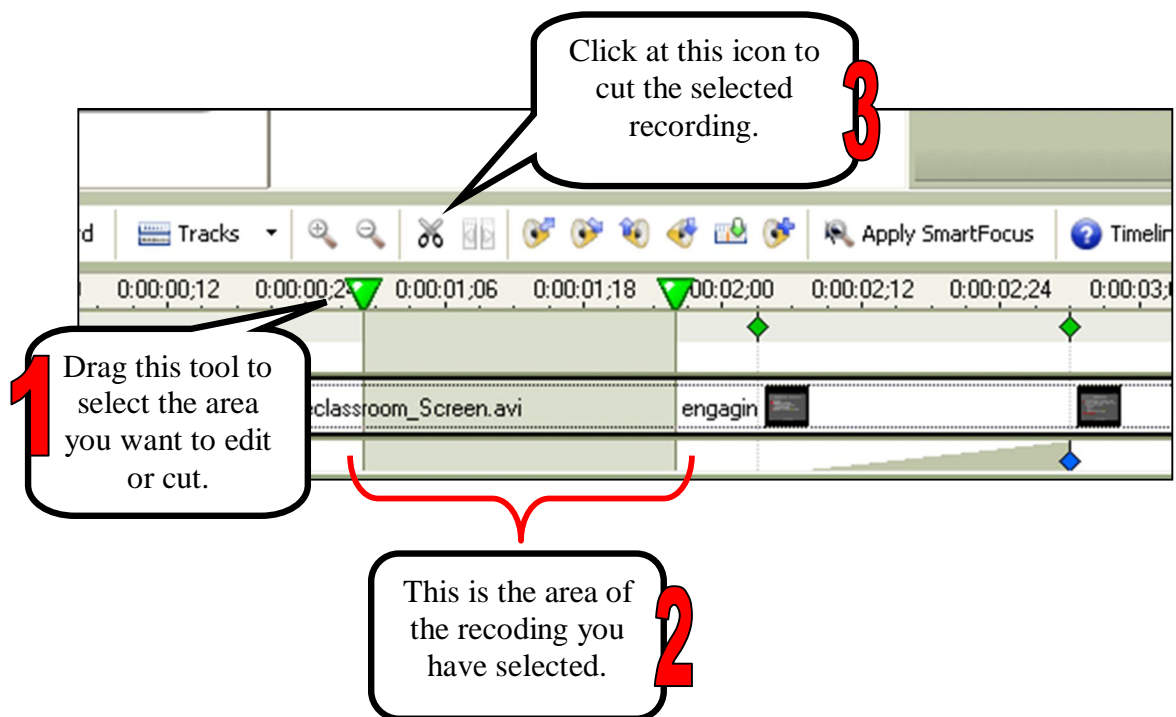




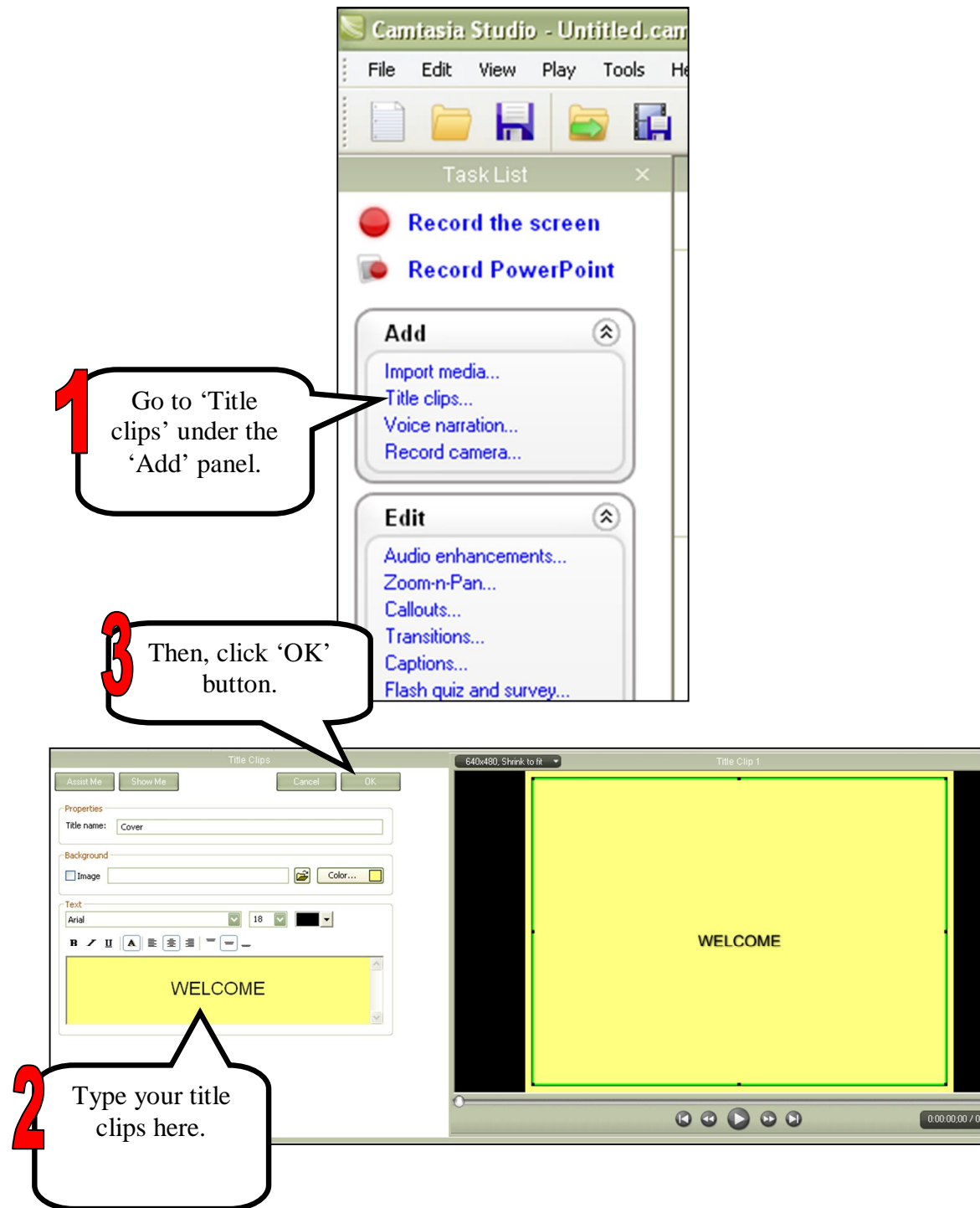


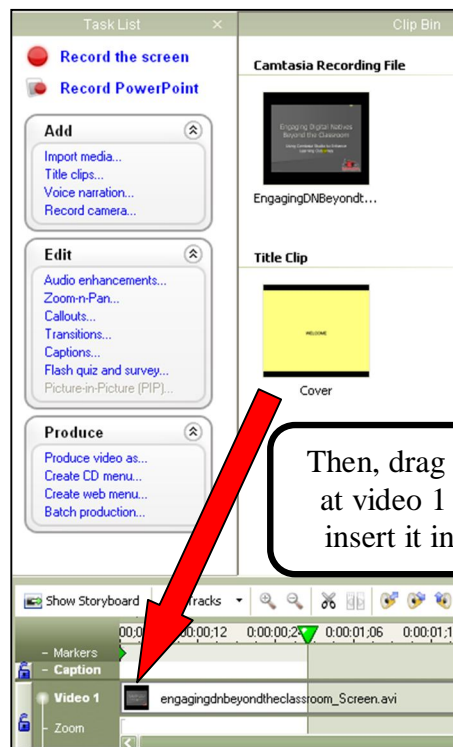
STEP 6**Editing your Recording**

(a) Cut the recording



(b) Title Clip

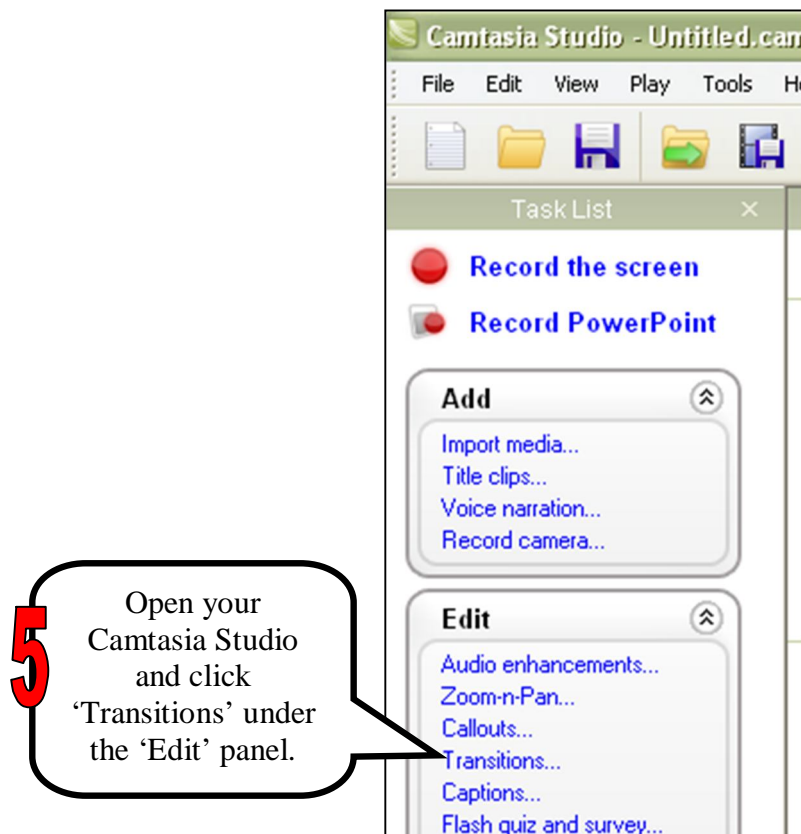




Then, drag the title clip
at video 1 timeline to
insert it in the video.

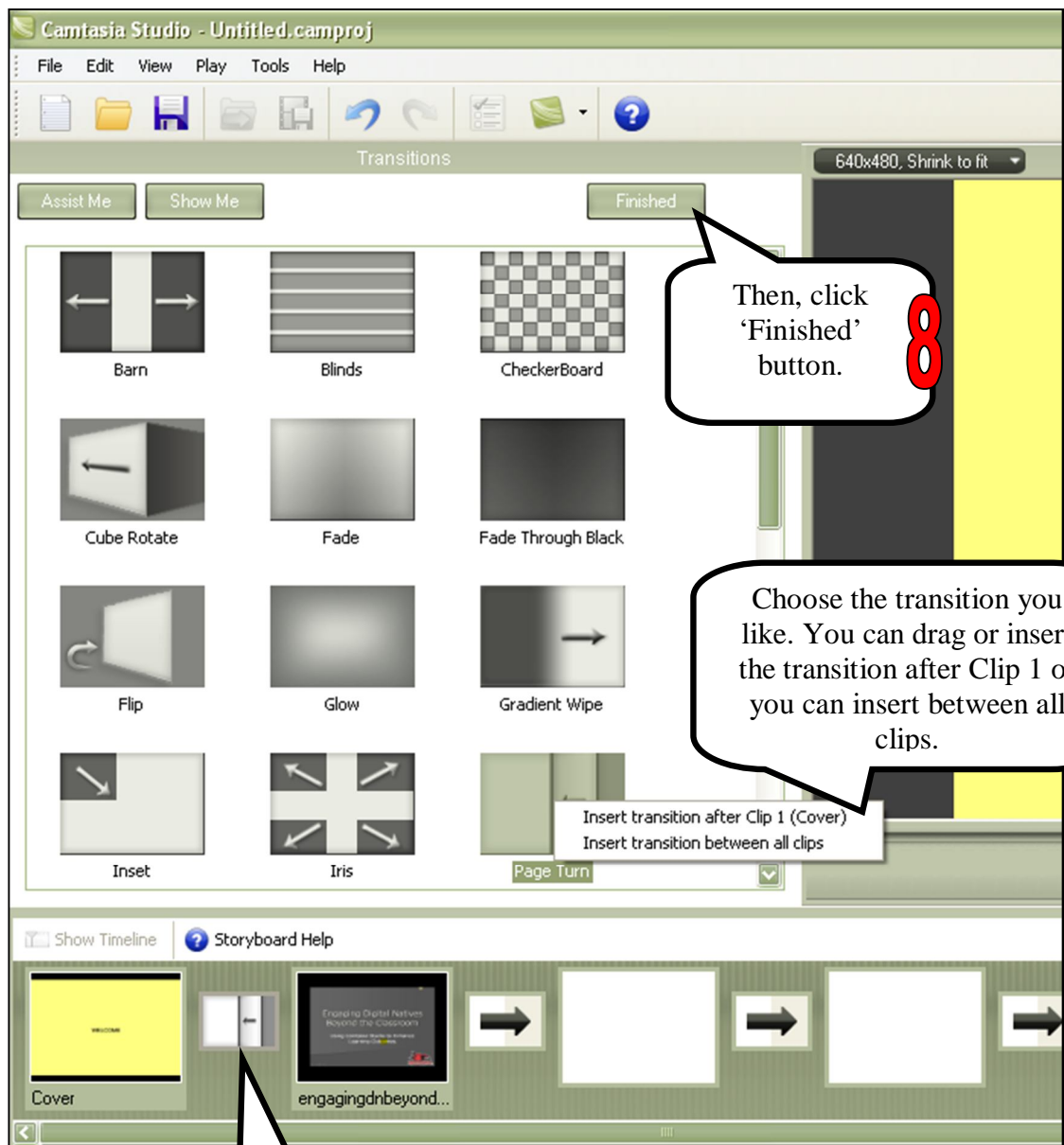
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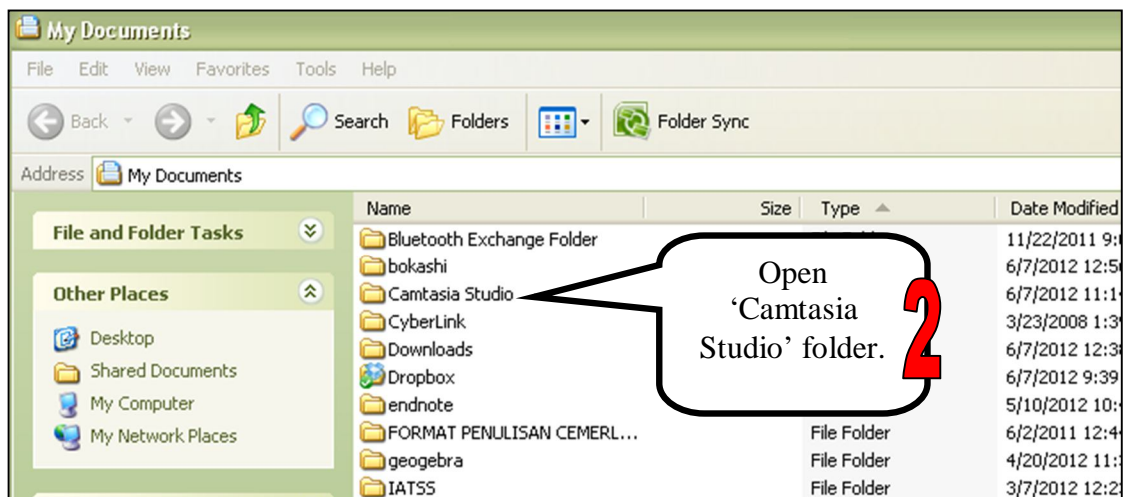
(c) Transition

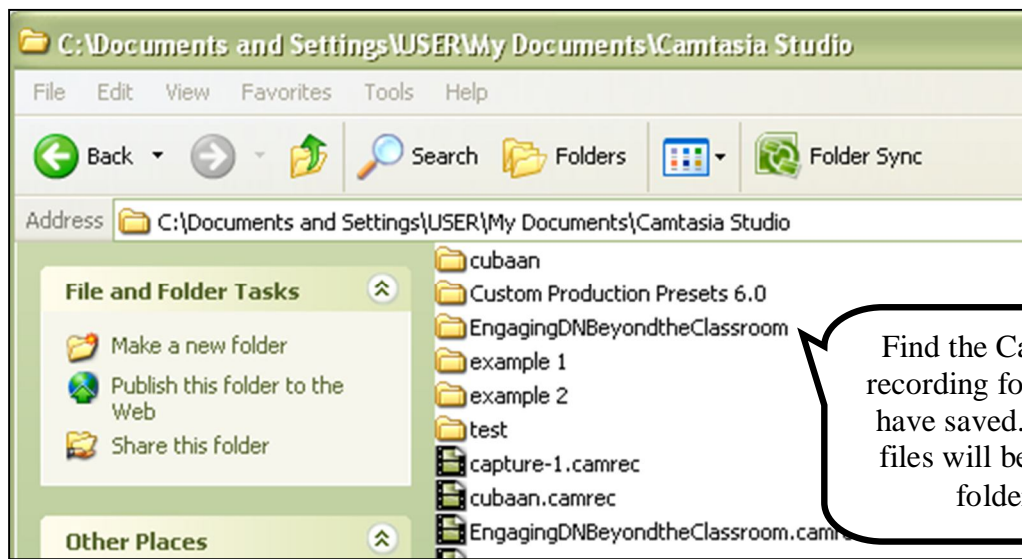


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Open your
Camtasia Studio
and click
'Transitions' under
the 'Edit' panel.



STEP 7**Finding your Documents**



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Chapter 4

GO!ANIMATE

WHAT IS GO!ANIMATE?

Go!Animate is an online platform where users are allowed to create animations without the needs of background in graphics. It is free for non-commercial use. Go!Animate offers two types of accounts; Go!Animate basic for beginners and Go!Animate Plus+ for those who like to go a little further with their animation. However for plus account, a small fee is required. Nevertheless, basic account is also provided with interesting and fun features for users who like to create simple animations. Each theme is equipped with backgrounds, characters and props that you can combine to make your animations. In addition, you can start from scratch, or you can use predesigned template characters to save time and effort.

Source: <https://sites.google.com/site/pek110015goanimate/the-use-of-go-animate-in-education/what-s-go-animate>

ADVANTAGES OF GO!ANIMATE

According to Perez (2011), the following are the advantages of using Go!Animate:

- No download and installation is needed to use Go!Animate.
- The user can select the template, character features and add their own scripts to the animation. Creating a rich animation video is as simple as that.
- It acts as a storytelling platform to promote literary devices.
- Outlet for self-expression and creativity.

USING GO!ANIMATE IN EDUCATION

The following are several usages of Go!Animate that can be implemented in education (Perez 2011):

- It offers an alternative approach for teaching and learning compared to traditional learning and teaching.
- It can be used as a tool to promote collaboration and exchange lessons learned among students and also educators.
- It acts as a tool to share researched information about specific topics.
- It promotes creativity not only of the students but also the educator to build interest in learning and teaching.
- Students can use Go!Animate to create presentations and reports instead of using the traditional ways of presenting.
- Users can upload and share their videos via Go!Animate to Facebook, digg, StumbleUpon, myspace, reddit, and del.icio.us for public viewing.
- It makes lessons more engaging and interesting to students.

GET STARTED WITH GO!ANIMATE

STEP 1Go to [http:// www. Goanimate.com](http://www.Goanimate.com)**STEP 2**

Signup

1

Fill in the required information and read the terms of use.

A close-up of the 'Signup Now' form. It has a yellow background and a blue 'Signup Now' header. The form contains four input fields: 'Your Email Address', 'Your Display Name', a blank field for a password, and 'Confirm Password'. Below the fields is a checkbox labeled 'I agree to the Terms of Use.' and a blue 'Create my account' button. A red bracket on the left side of the form groups the four input fields.

Click 'Create my account'.

2

or



Alternatively, users have the option to login using Facebook or Google account.

STEP 3

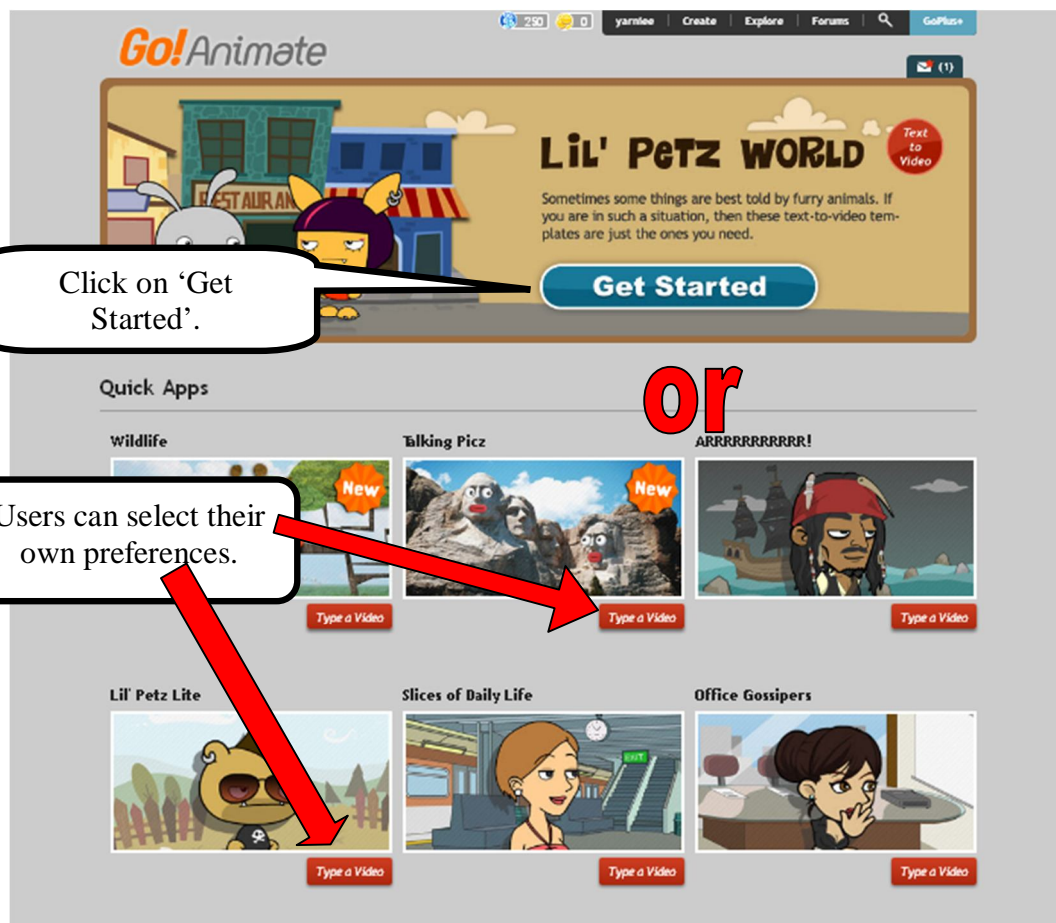
Learn to Animate

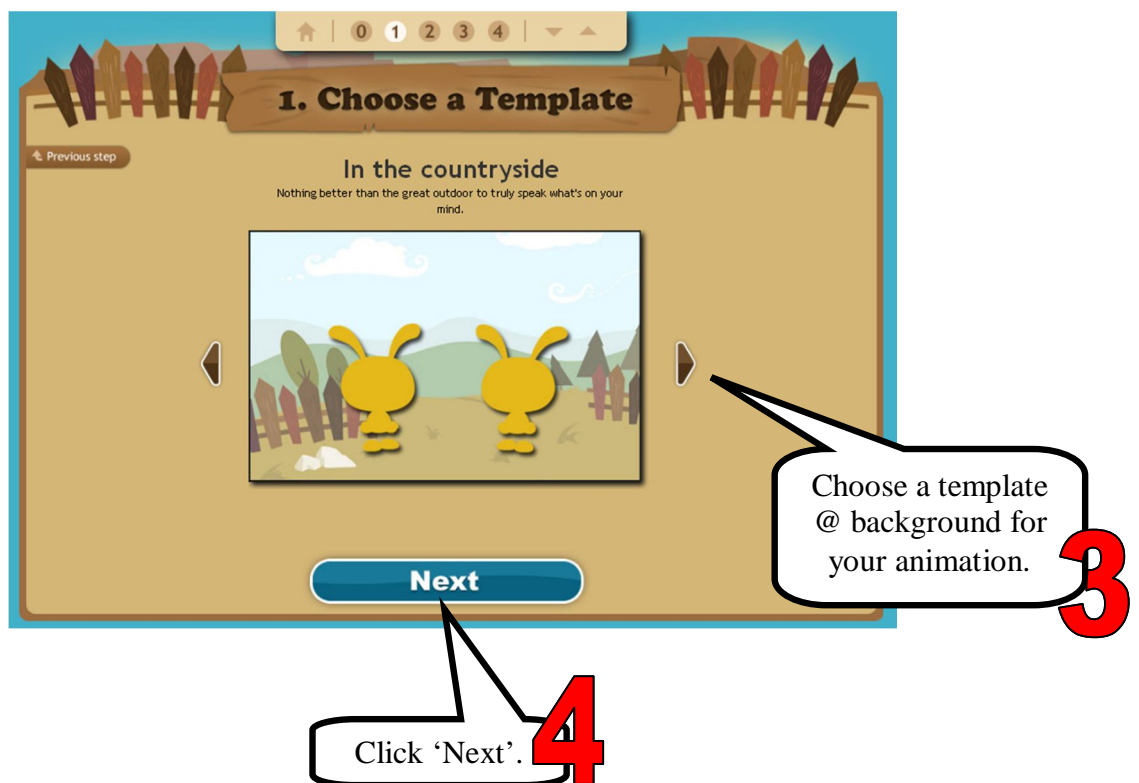
For Simple and quick text to word animation

1

Click on 'Get Started'.

Users can select their own preferences.

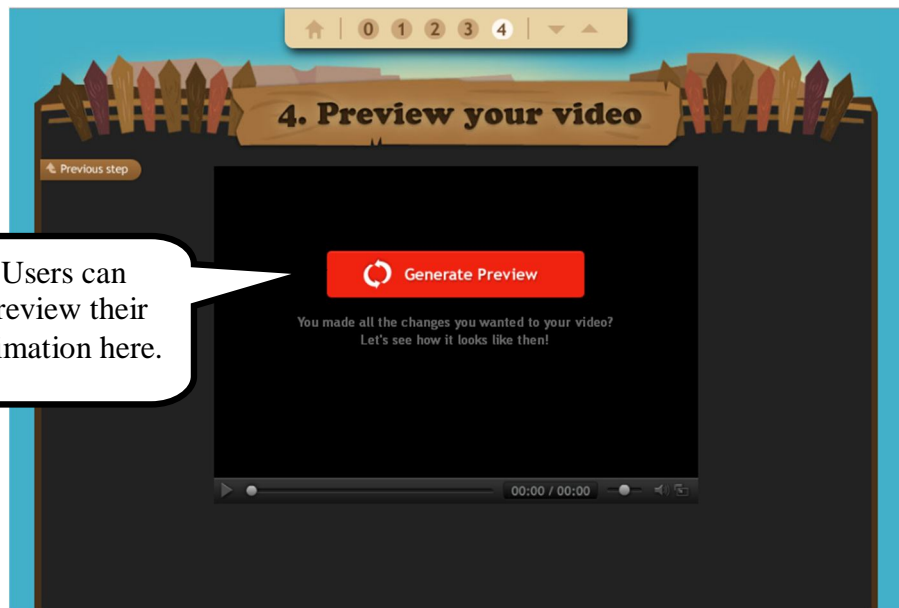






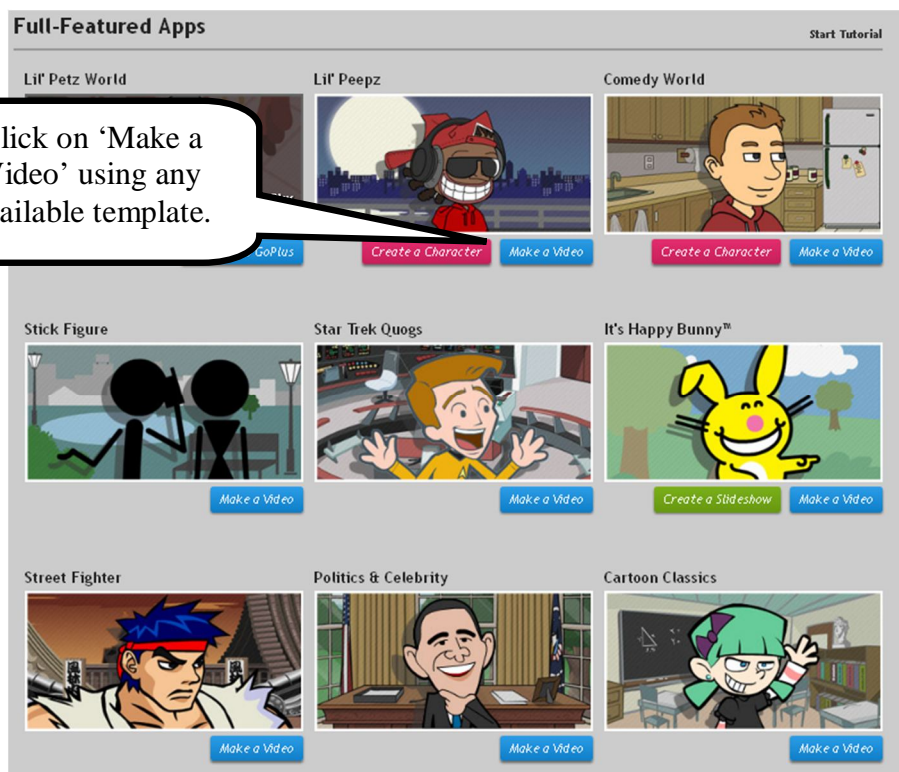
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Users can preview their animation here.

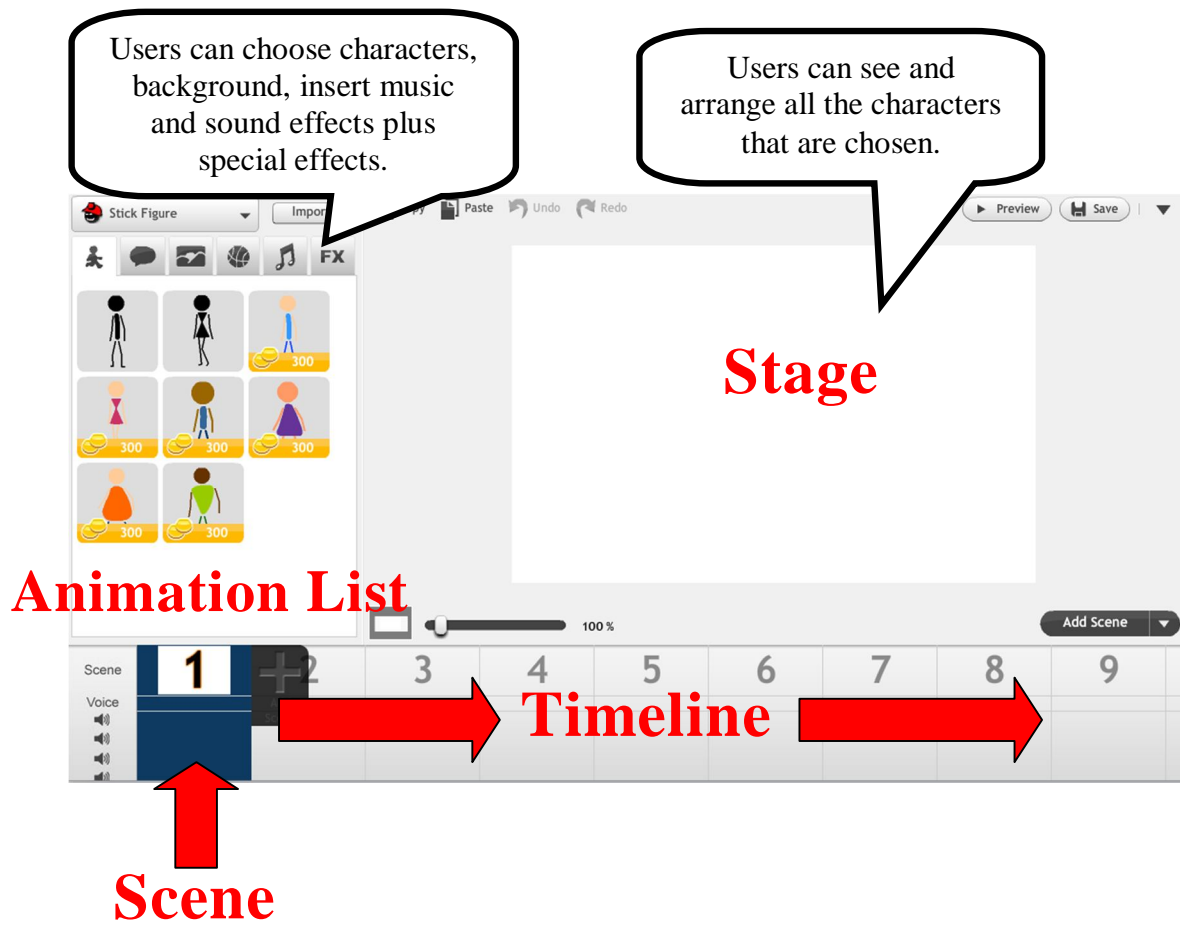
**STEP 4****Full Featured Animation**

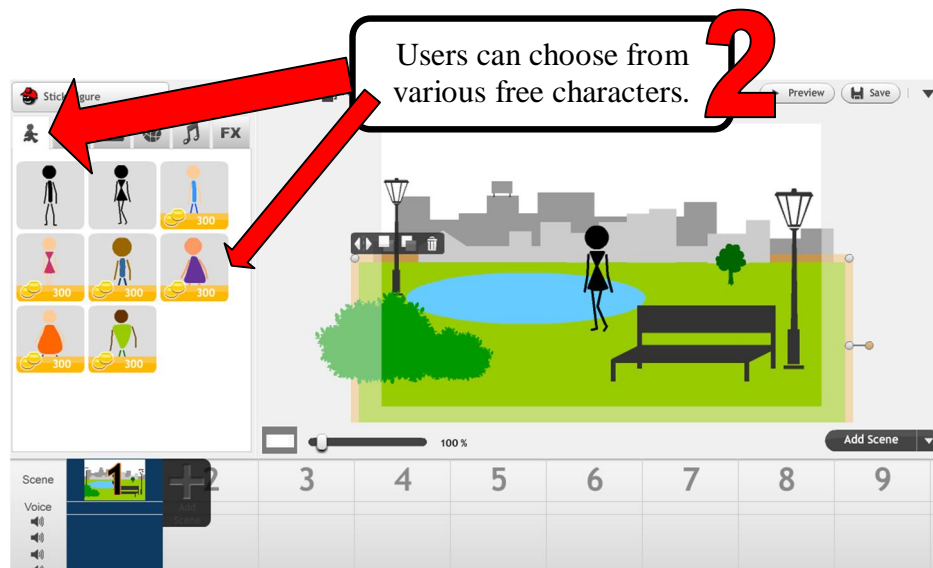
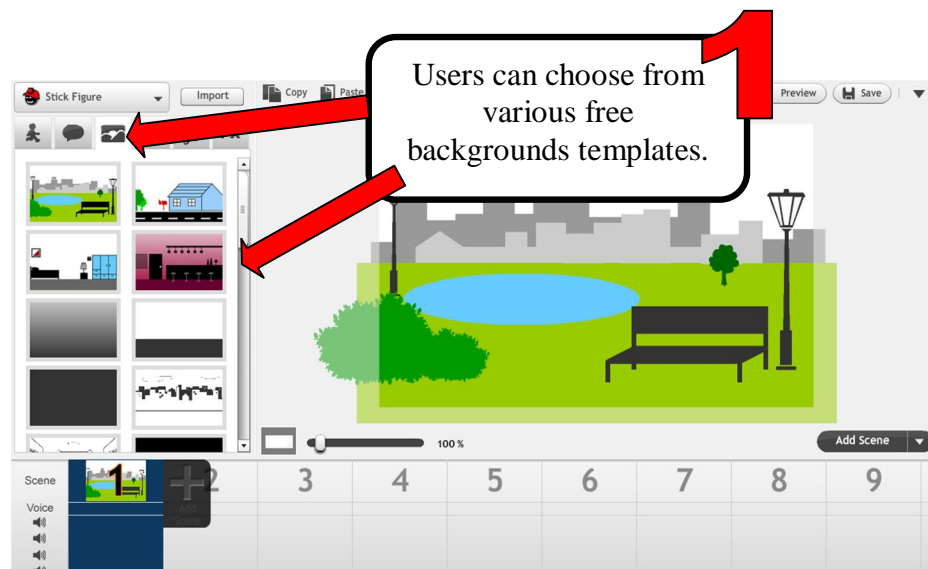
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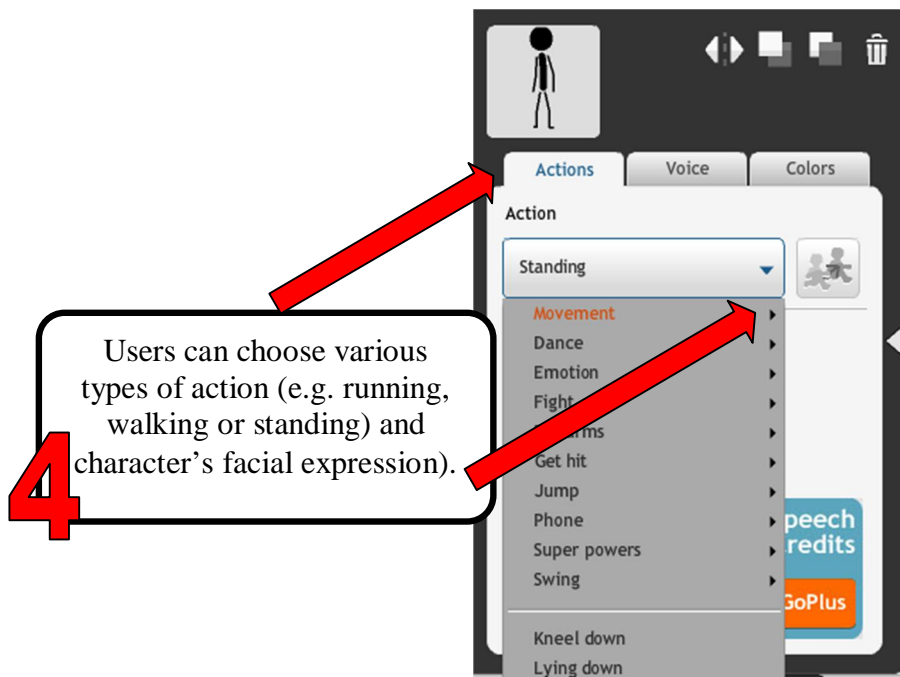
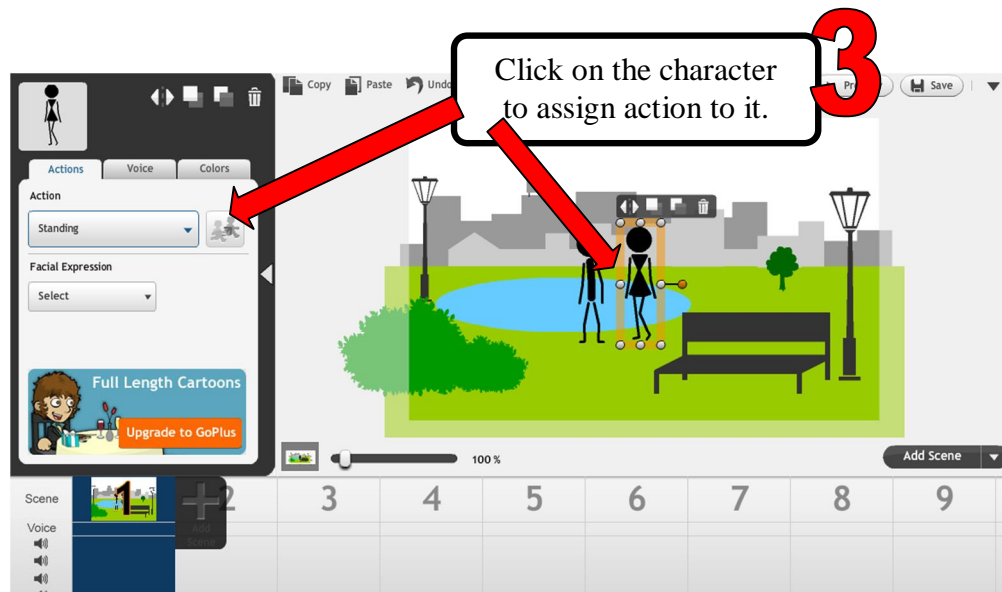
Click on 'Make a Video' using any available template.

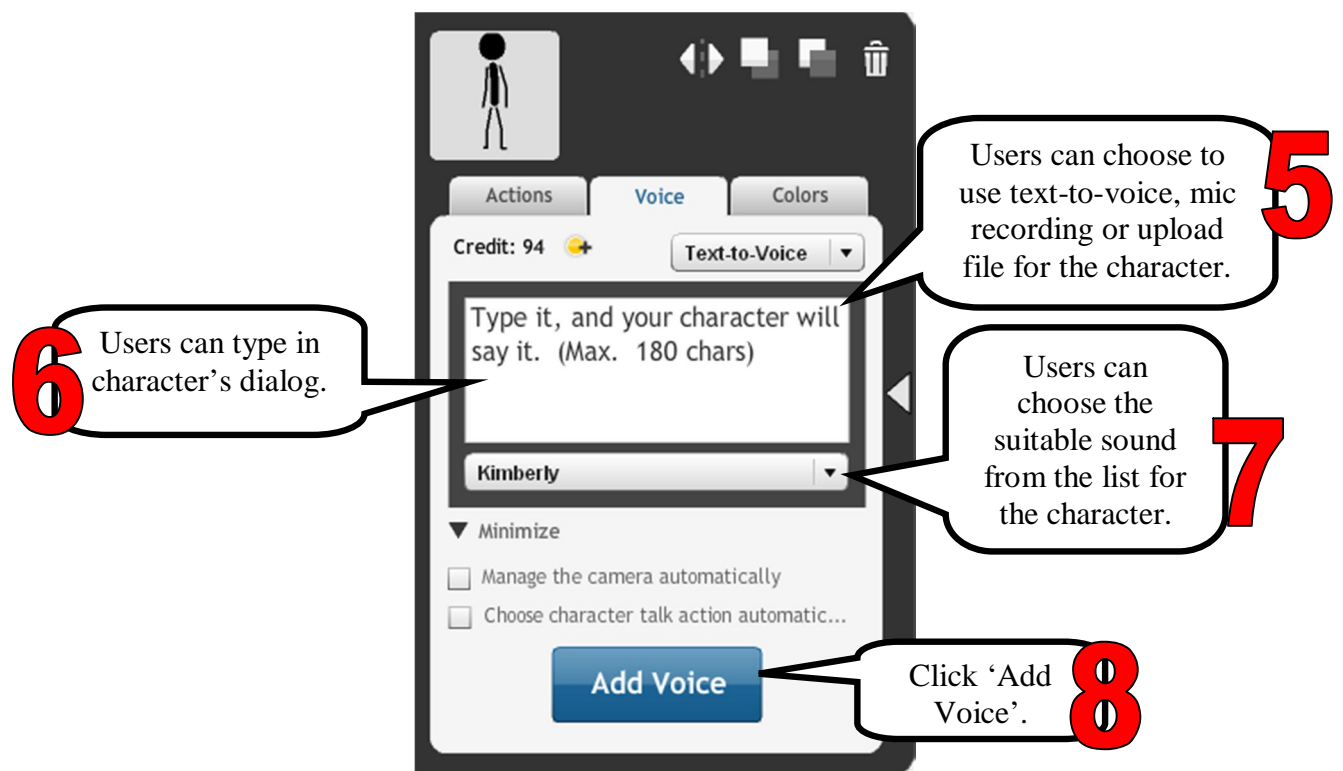


* For this tutorial, stick figure template is used.

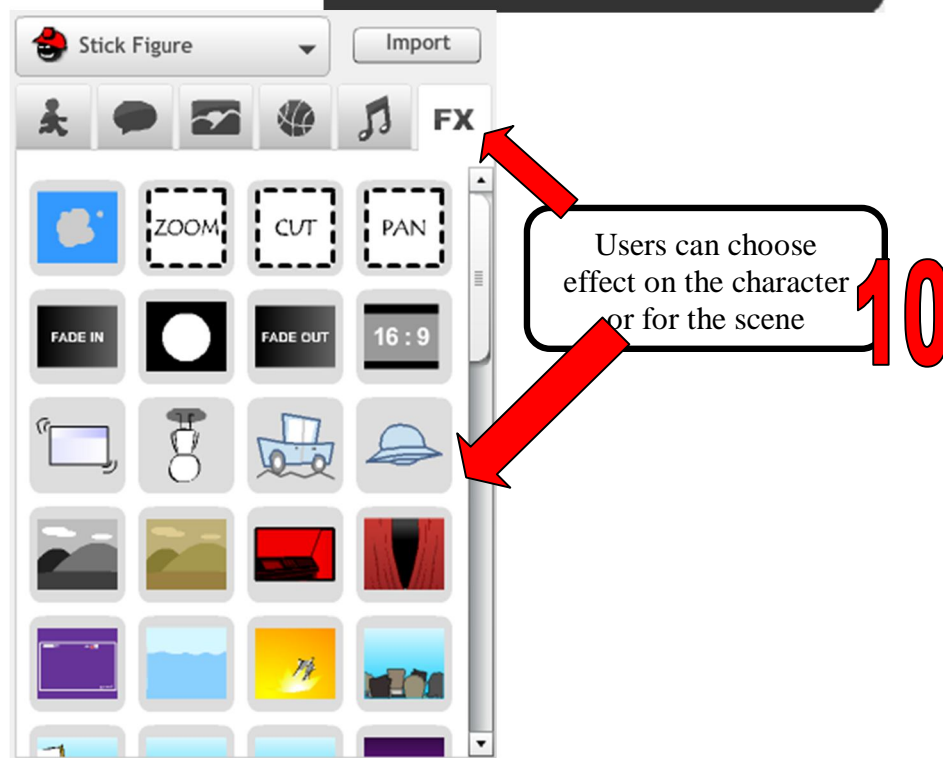
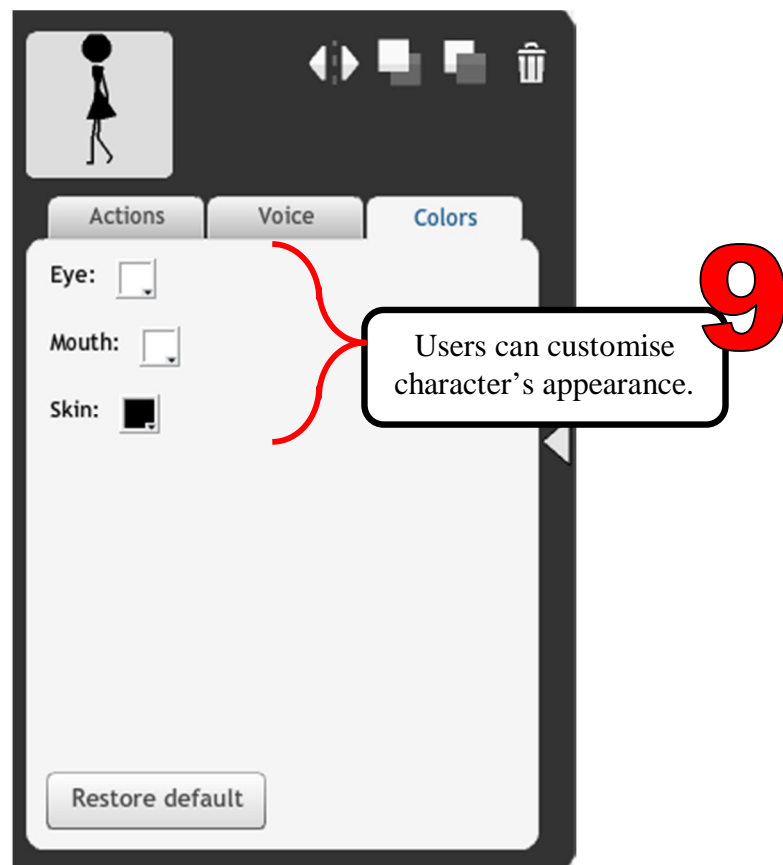


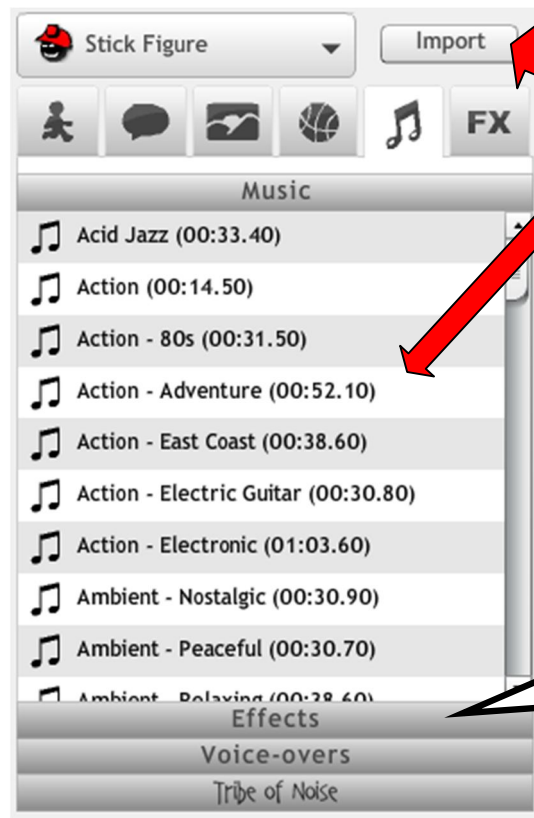
STEP 5**Full Featured Interface**





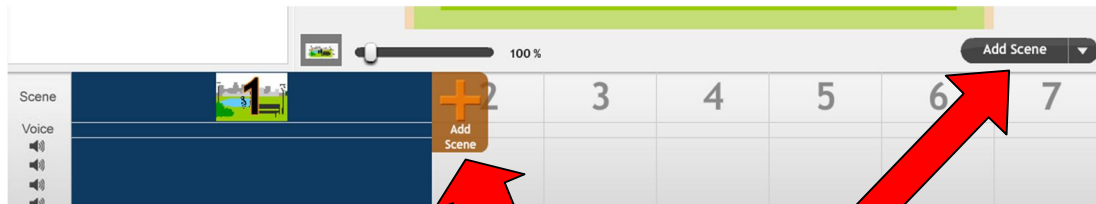
* However, it is limited to one character's action per scene.





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Users can import sound and voice or use the available music, effects and voice-overs.

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Users can use effect on the character or for the scene.



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To add new scene, just click on 'Add Scene' or click '+'.
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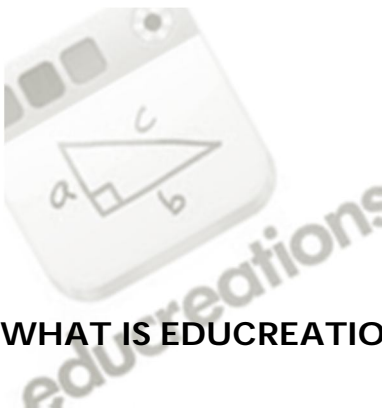
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Chapter 5

EDUCREATIONS

WHAT IS EDUCREATIONS?

Educreations is an online community of teachers and learners. It is a place where you can teach what you know, and learn what you do not. Educreations have the recordable whiteboard apps for the web and the iPad that make it simple to record and share video lessons about any topic that we want to teach. These lessons are hosted on educreations.com, and we can control who is able to view them. If you are a teacher, you have the option to create courses and add any of your lessons to each course. You can direct your students to enroll in your courses in order to view your lessons privately and engage in question and answer sessions about each lesson. Or you can share your lessons publicly and enable students from around the world to learn from your teaching!

Source: <http://support.educreations.com/knowledgebase/articles/53537-what-is-educreations->

BENEFITS FROM EDUCREATIONS

The following are some benefits of Educreations:

- Record and replay your voice, handwriting and drawings
- Add photos from the iPad camera, Photo Albums or Dropbox
- Animate images by dragging them around while recording
- Pause and resume recording anytime
- Create multiple whiteboard pages
- Undo and redo your actions
- Choose from 10 different ink colors

- Create a free account on educreations.com and choose who can view your lessons
- Share your lessons via email, Facebook and Twitter
- Embed your lessons on your blog or website

Source: <http://smarterlearning.wordpress.com/2012/03/05/using-educreations-app-to-demonstrate-learning/>

ADVANTAGES OF EDUCREATIONS

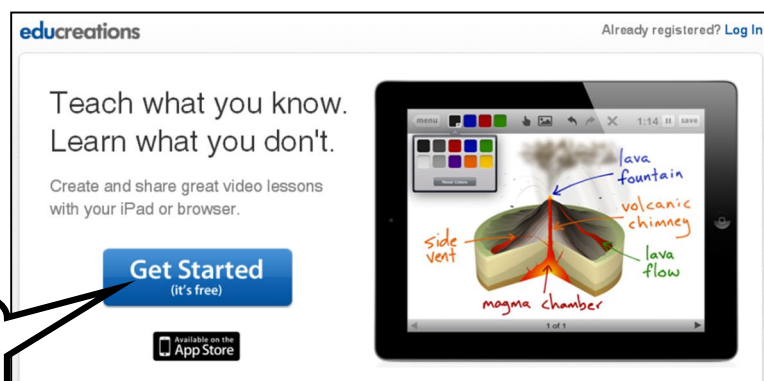
The following are some advantages of Educreations:

- Gives students the options of re-watching instruction, pausing and rewinding instruction to create a deeper level of understanding. (<http://tabletsciencenotebook.blogspot.com/2012/04/educreations-interactive-whiteboard.html>)
- Teachers could use Educreation app to show students some key concepts or students could demonstrate their learning to produce a short video to help peers and share with the world through email, facebook and twitter. (<http://smarterlearning.wordpress.com/2012/03/05/using-educreations-app-to-demonstrate-learning/>)

GET STARTED WITH EDUCREATIONS

STEP 1Go to: <http://www.educreations.com/>**STEP 2**

Registering

**1**

Click at the 'Get Started' button.

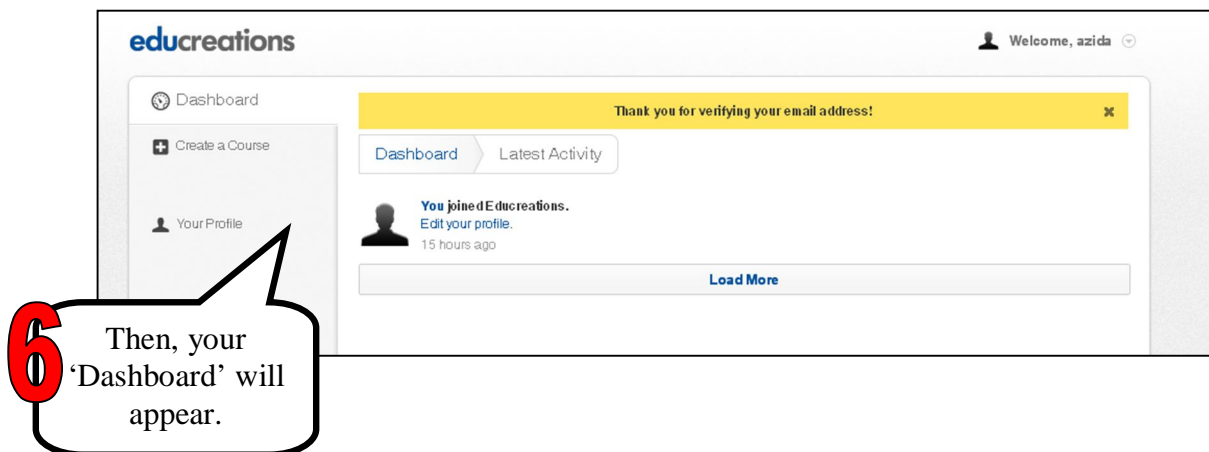
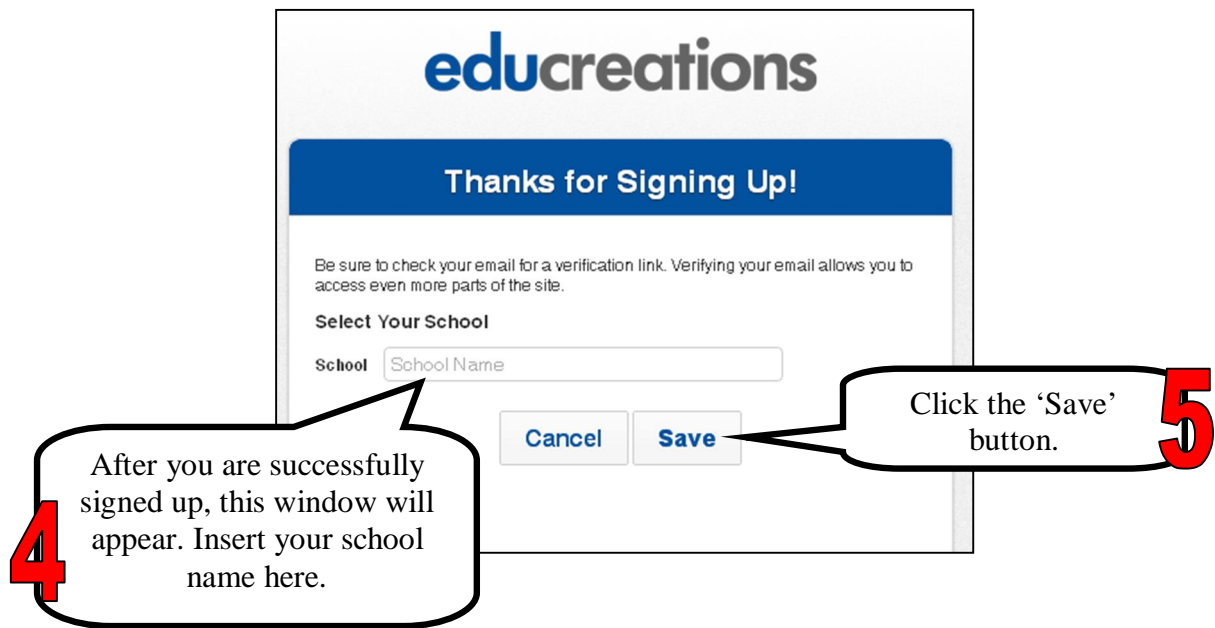
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You need to sign up before you can use educreations. Fill in the required information here.

A screenshot of the "Sign Up" form on the Educreations website. The form has a blue header with the "educreations" logo and the title "Sign Up". It contains several input fields: "I am a" with a dropdown menu, "First name", "Last name", "Email", "Password", and "Confirm". At the bottom is a blue "Sign Up" button and a link "By joining, I agree to the terms".

Then click 'Sign Up'.

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STEP 3**Creating Courses & Lessons**

1 Open your Dashboard.

2 Go to 'Create a Course'.

3 Insert course name.

4 Choose your subject area.

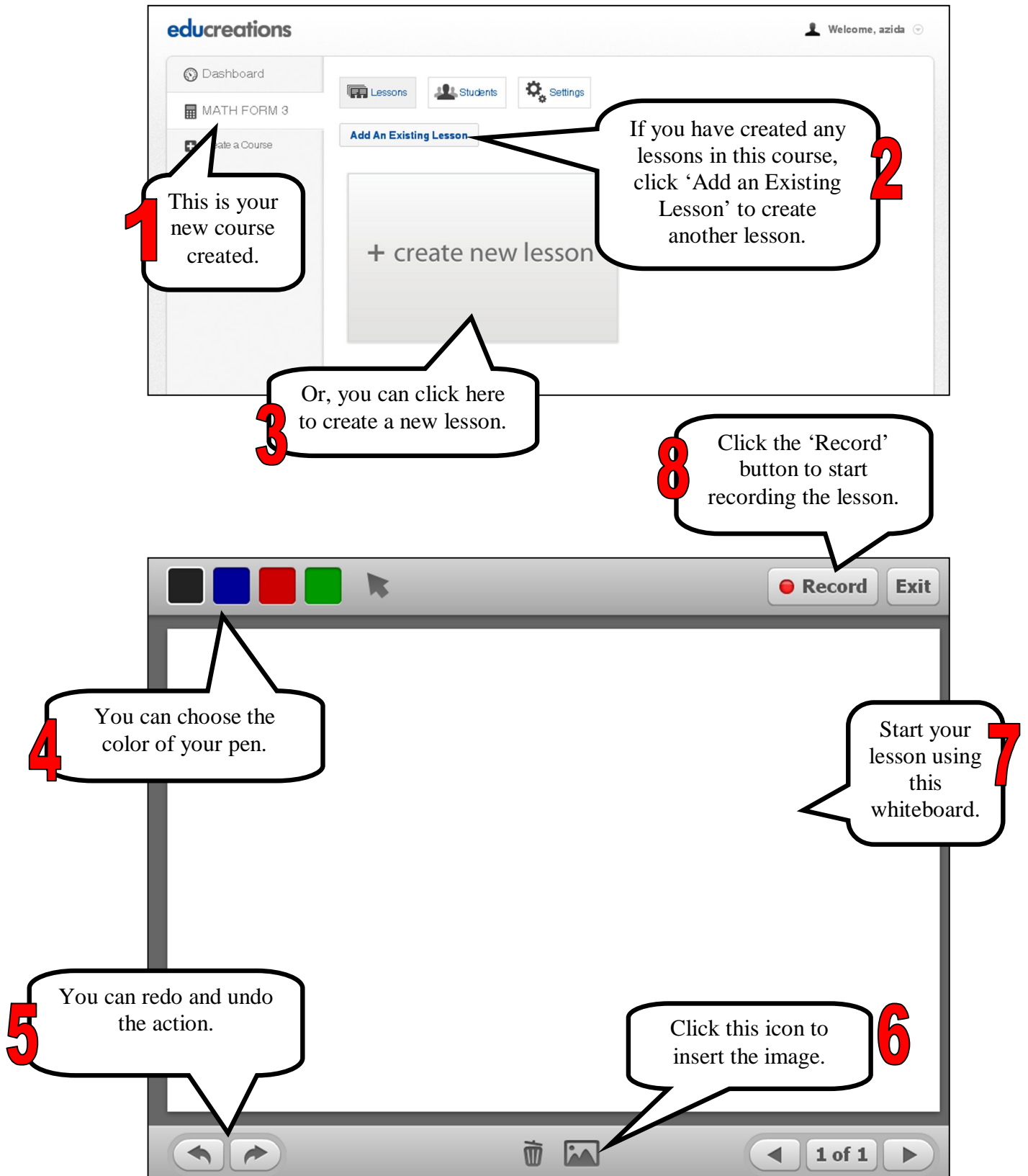
5 Select your privacy setting, either 'Visible to All At My School' or 'Visible to My Students'.

6 Mark here if you want to enable Q&A.

7 Then, click the 'Create' button.

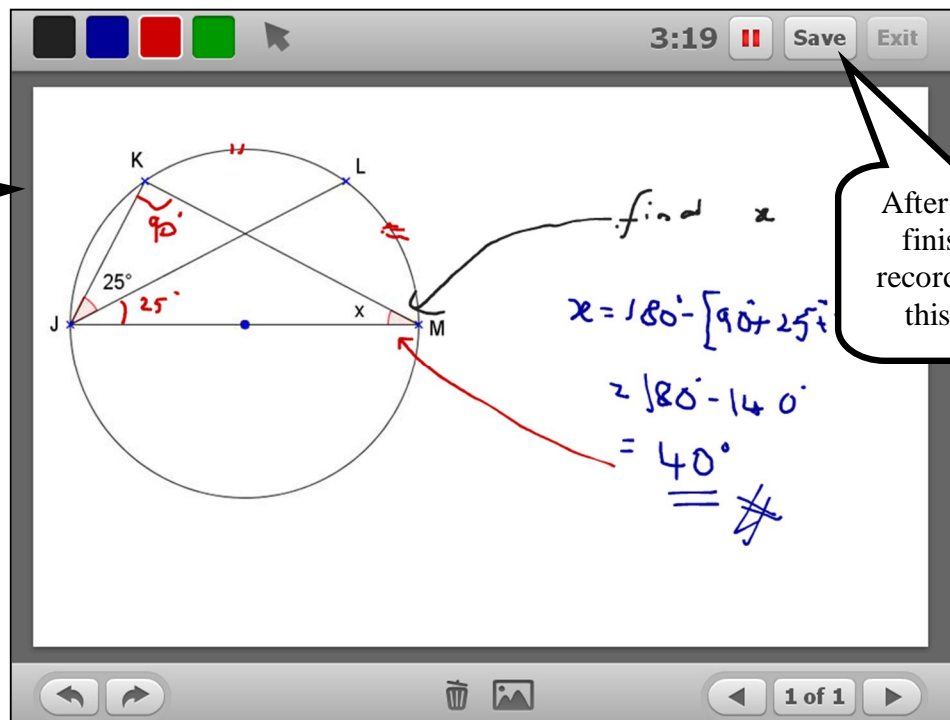
The first screenshot shows the 'Dashboard' page of the 'educations' app. A sidebar on the left contains a 'Create a Course' button. A callout points to this button. The main area shows a welcome message and a 'You've reached the end of your feed!' message.

The second screenshot shows the 'Create Course' form. It includes fields for 'Course Name', 'Subject area' (a dropdown menu), and 'Description'. There is a 'Privacy' section with two options: 'Visible to All At My School' and 'Visible to My Students'. A checkbox labeled 'Enable Q&A for lessons in this course.' is also present. At the bottom right, there are 'Cancel' and 'Create' buttons. Callouts point to each of these elements.



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This is an example of your lesson recorded.

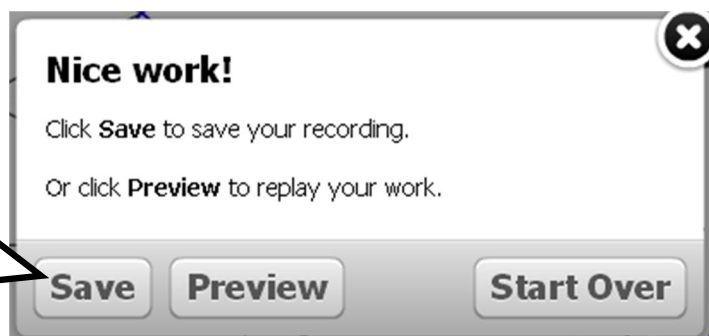


After you have finished the recording, click this button.

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Click 'Save' to save your recording.




Saving...


Wait until it finish saving.


12


MATH FORM 3 New Lesson


Describe Your New Lesson You Recorded for MATH FORM 3


Title 

Add to Course 
☒ MATH FORM 3

Subject area 



Subject 





Summary 


Privacy 




14 Then, click 'Save' button.

13 Fill in the information of your lesson created.

educreations  Welcome, azida 

Dashboard  MATH FORM 3  Create a Course  Your Profile 

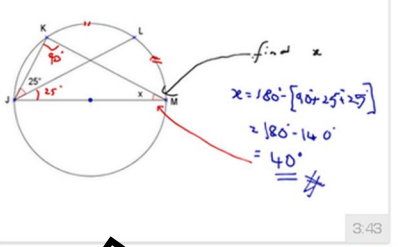
Successfully saved lesson. 


Lessons  Students  Settings 

[Add An Existing Lesson](#)

+ create new lesson

Circle II



created 15 hours ago  0 views

15 Now, your lesson is successfully created and listed here.

STEP 4**Registering Students**

1 Go to your course created.

2 Click at the 'Students' button.

The screenshot shows the Educations dashboard. On the left sidebar, there's a 'MATH FORM 3' course listed. In the main area, there are buttons for 'Lessons', 'Students', and 'Settings'. Below these is a button 'Add An Existing Lesson'. A large grey box says '+ create new lesson'. To the right, there's a preview of a lesson titled 'Circle II' showing a geometry diagram and calculations: $x = 180^\circ - [90^\circ + 25^\circ + 25^\circ]$, $= 180^\circ - 140^\circ$, $= 40^\circ$. The user is logged in as 'Welcome, azida'.

3 Click the 'Add' button.

The screenshot shows the 'Students' page. It has buttons for 'Move', 'Notify', and 'Add'. Below these is a table with columns: Username, First, Last, Email Address, and Last Log In. The table is empty with the message 'No students in this course yet!'. Below the table, there's a message: 'Students can register in this course by going to the following link where they can <http://www.educations.com/sr/EC364> Or provide them with this course code: EC364'. There's also a 'Remove Selected Students' button.

4 Copy this link and send to your students.

5 Then, click the 'Done' button.

The screenshot shows a dialog box titled 'Add Students'. It contains the text: 'Students can use the following link to add this course: <http://www.educations.com/sr/EC364> Or you can give them the following code to register with: **EC364**'. There is a 'Done' button at the bottom right.

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ISSUU

Chapter 6

Issuu is the leading digital publishing platform delivering exceptional reading experiences of magazines, catalogs, and newspapers. Millions of people have uploaded their best publications to create beautiful digital editions. All you have to do is upload your documents and you will be publishing in a minute. Or you can use Issuu to create a personal library of your personal favorites and subscribe to great publishers.

Source: <http://help.issuu.com/entries/310971-what-is-issuu>

ADVANTAGES OF ISSUU

According to Freddie Lore (2011), the following are some of the advantages of using ISSUU:

- Issuu is a FREE online publishing tool that allows you to create professional-looking ebooks, catalogs, magazines, journals, manuals, resource newspaper, presentations, corporate reports in an instant.
- Issuu has been widely used by thousands of companies and business organizations, NGOs and educational institutions.
- Issuu allows a poorly-formatted word document to be transformed into an exceptionally beautiful brochure or catalog.

USING ISSUU IN THE CLASSROOM

- Students can publish their own work; a book with their own stories, the class newspaper, presents their research.
- Teachers could use it to publish whole units of work that can then be embedded in the class wiki.

Source: <http://jacquisharp.blogspot.com/2009/01/issuu-create-your-own-magazine-or-book.html>

GET STARTED WITH ISSUU

STEP 1

Go to: <http://issuu.com/>



STEP 2

Create Account/Sign Up

Upload

Create account

Login

To use ISSUU, you need to create an account. Click 'Create account' here.

2

Fill in the required information here.

**Sign up to collect, share and publish.
Make your documents look their very best!**

Already an Issuu member? [Log in now.](#)
Are you a business user? Learn about [Issuu Pro.](#)

First name or [f Connect](#)

Last name

Profile name (Can never be changed) E-mail

[http://issuu.com/profile-name](#)

Password

Gender ☐ Male ☐ Female Age

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[Agree and continue](#)

Then, click 'Agree and continue'.

3

Thanks, an email has been sent to azidarsad@yahoo.com.my



Click the link in the email to complete the sign up.

Do not close this window until you have received the confirmation email!

Make sure to add no-reply@issuemail.com to your trusted contacts.

[Send the email again](#) or [send it to a different account](#).

ISSUU will send an email to your registered email account.

4

Confirm your email

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To: azidarsad@yahoo.com.my

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Check your email inbox and click the link given to start joining ISSUU.

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Welcome back



Please verify your account. Click below.

Verify account

You will see this window.

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Then click this button to verify your ISSUU account.

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STEP 3**Finding People****1**

Choose your email application to find your friends.

2

Next, click the 'Find friends' button.

Find people you know

Issuu gets much more interesting if you connect with your friends.

- ☒ Gmail
- ☐ Windows Live Hotmail
- ☐ YAHOO!
- ☐ plaxo

[Find friends](#)

We won't store your login info or contact anyone without your permission. You can [skip this step](#), but we do not recommend it.

STEP 4**Uploading Documents for Publishing****1**

Click the 'Upload' button.

[Upload](#)[paperputih](#)**2**

Choose your uploading file type.

Upload a file [Upload many files](#)

☒ Upload a file ☐ Upload from URL

[Browse](#)

Your document is limited to 500 pages and 100mb. (?)

[General info \(required\)](#) [Choose options](#)

[Target your audience](#) [Choose options](#)

[Media](#) [Choose options](#)

[Publishing options](#) [Choose options](#)

[Sharing options](#) [Choose options](#)

[Upload file](#)

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Click the 'Browse' button to browse your document.

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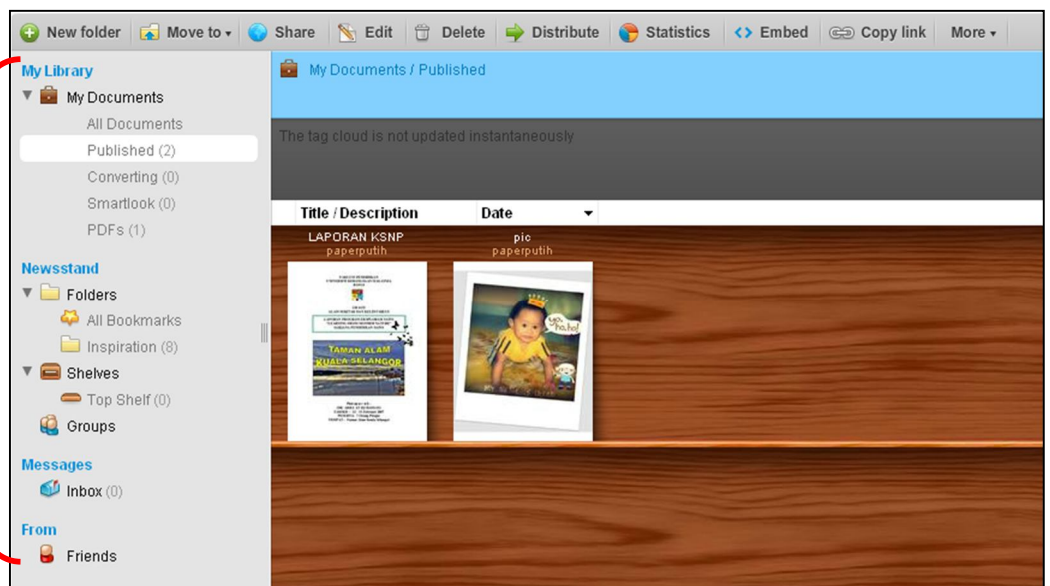
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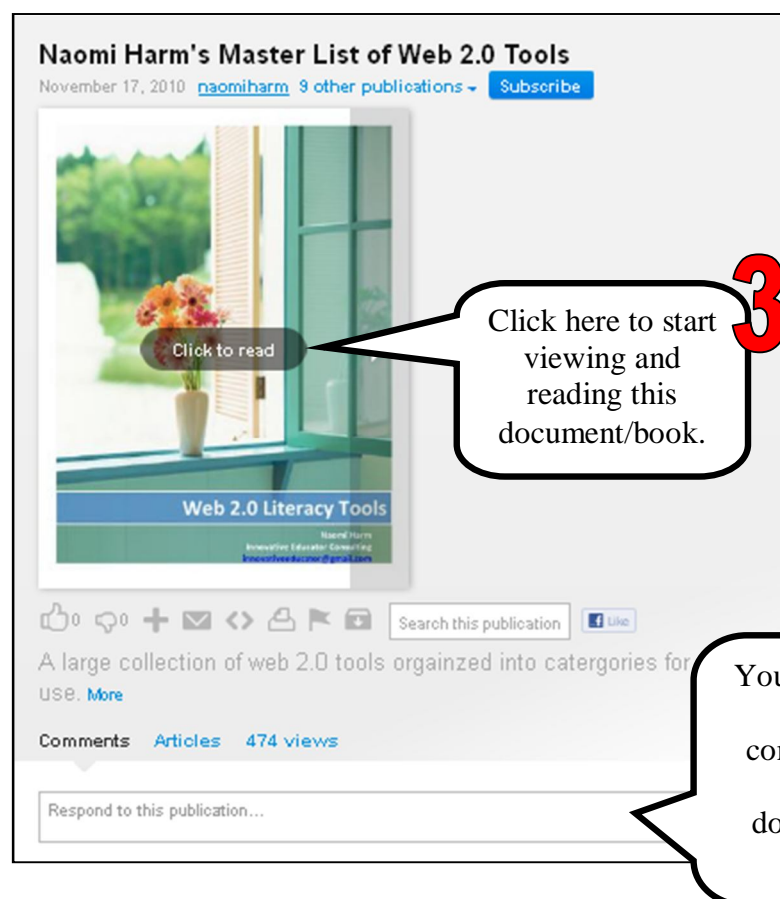
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STEP 5**My Library**

2 Use this sidebar to manage your published documents and share them with your friends.



STEP 6**Searching & Reading**

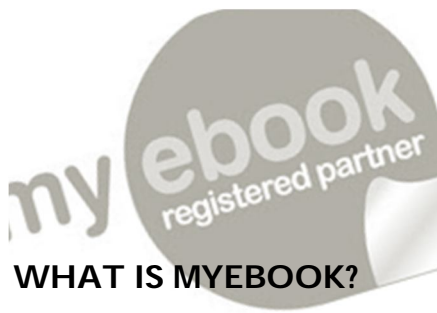
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Chapter 7

MYEBOOK

Myebook is designed to completely change the way that new books are published on the internet. It is an all-in-one solution for the publishing, creation and sharing of online books. It is built on top of a social networking application which has some valuable features. This means that it is one of the easiest ways to get your book out there and start spreading the word about it. Ebooks are much easier to publish than print books. Myebook has been designed to make it really easy for anyone to publish ebooks on the internet. It is possible to use the application to create as many books as you want for free. Myebook has a very nice and simple user interface which makes it really simple to publish. It is suitable for virtually any type of book, whether it is magazines, photo albums, brochures, comics, leaflets, manuals or children's books.

Source: <http://www.appappeal.com/app/myebook/>

ADVANTAGES OF MYEBOOK

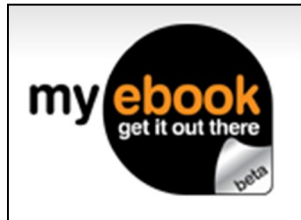
The following are some advantages of Myebook:

- Create ebooks easily.
- Publish ebooks with a single click.
- Share your ebooks with an audience of millions.
- Create any type of e-book including manuals, leaflets, e-books and children's books.

Source: <http://www.appappeal.com/app/myebook/>

GET STARTED WITH MYEBOOK

STEP 1

Go to: <http://www.myebook.com/>

STEP 2

Sign up

1

Click 'Sign Up'.

[Sign Up](#) | [Home](#) | [Sell Your Book?](#) | [Help](#) | [Partners](#)

Username: Password:

not got an account?
then register below, it's completely free!

Join the myebook community and create, publish, share!
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Can only contain letters A-Z, numbers 0-9 or underscore (_) or dash (-)

Email: *

Confirm Email: *

Password (case sensitive): *

Confirm password: *

Country: select

Postal code:

Account type: personal

Gender: select

Date of birth: Day Month Year *

Enter security code below in box:

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☐ I agree to the [terms of use](#) and [privacy policy](#)

2

Fill in the required information.

Log in

Username:

Password:

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You are now able to login and create your ebooks.
myebook support team

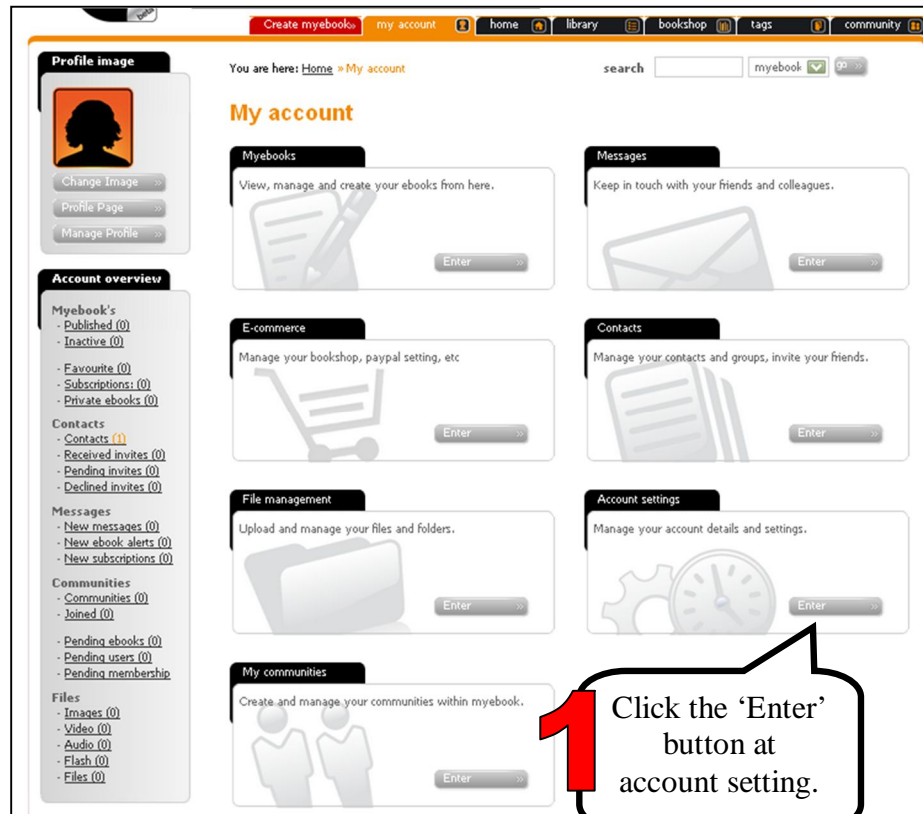
Now, you can login by inserting your email and password. Then click the 'Login' button.

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This message will appear one you have completed the registration.

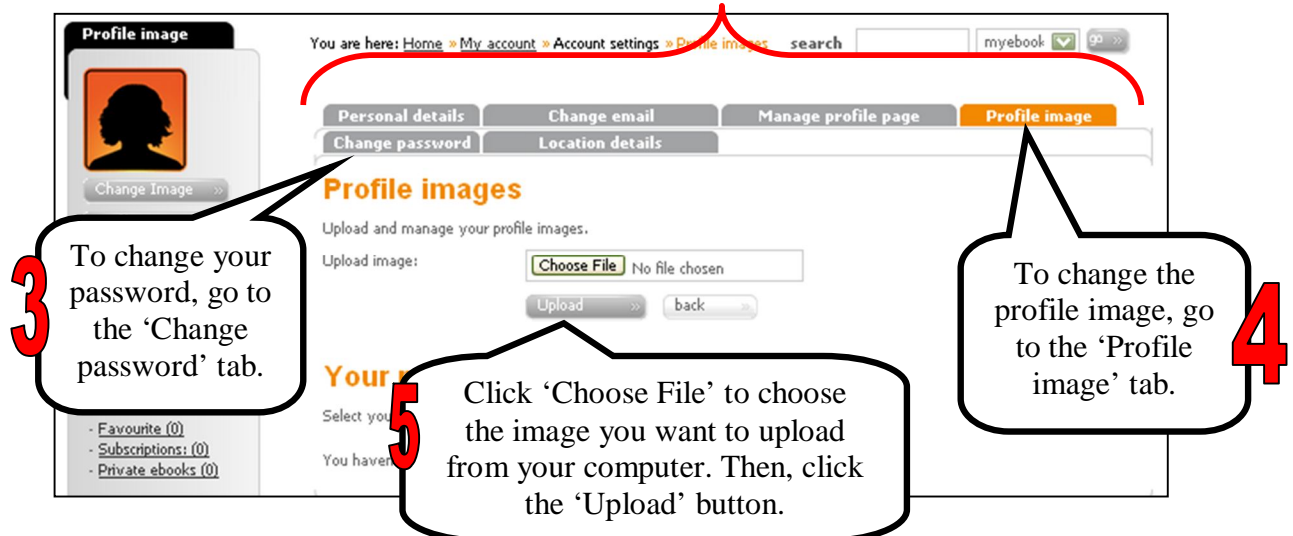
Click the 'Register' button.

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STEP 3**Updating Your Account**

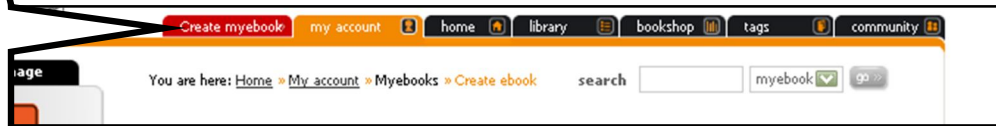
1 Click the 'Enter' button at account setting.

2 Use these tab to update and manage your profile.



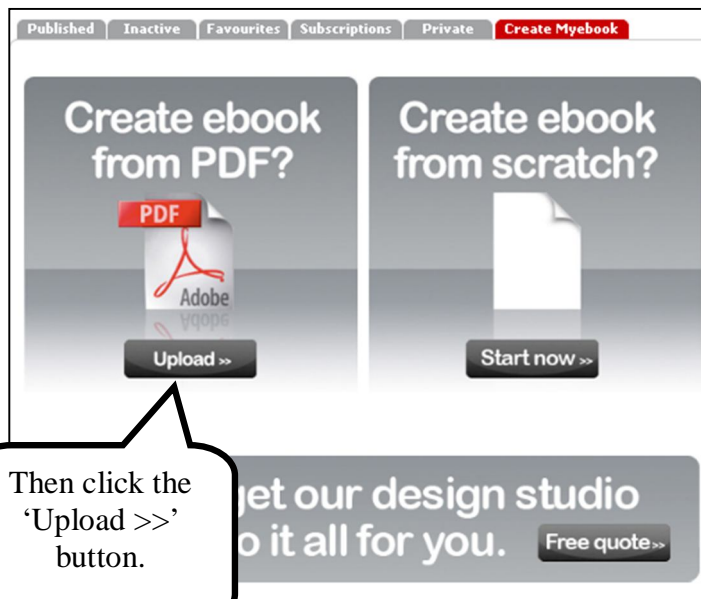
STEP 4**Creating Myebook**

1 Click the 'Create myebook' tab.



2

Then click the 'Upload >>' button.



3

Fill in the required information.

Step 1 of 4 - Ebook details

Please complete the details for your new ebook.

Myebook Title:

Myebook Description:

Myebook Tags: (comma separated list)

Privacy Setting:

☒ Public - available to everyone.

☐ Partial access - displayed within the site but can only be viewed by the contacts or groups you specify below.

☐ Private - not featured within site and can only be viewed by the contacts or groups you specify below.

Does This Book Contain Swearing And Or Graphic Content:

☐ Yes - this myebook will be classed as 18+

☒ No - this myebook will be available to everyone.

Enable Subscription:

☒ Yes - users can subscribe for update alerts.

☐ No - users cannot subscribe to this ebook.

Enable Comments:

☒ Yes - viewers will be able to leave comments on website.

☐ No - viewers will not have the ability to leave comments on website.

Include Comments In Myebook:

☒ Yes - viewers comments will appear within your book.

☐ No - viewers comments will not appear in your book.

Select Language:

Myebook Category:

Then click 'save'.

4

Step 2 of 4 - Upload your PDF

Please browse and select your PDF file.

5 Click the 'Browse' button.

7 Then, click the 'upload' button.

6 Tick this box to confirm that you own the copyright of the material you have uploaded.

Please confirm you own the copyright to content within the PDF or you have permission to use it. ☐

upload >>

Problems uploading files? Use

Step 3 of 4 - Converting your PDF

Your PDF has uploaded and is ready for converting. Conversion of your PDF will start soon. Either wait a few minutes or close this window and carry on using myebook. After conversion your ebook will be published in the ebook library. If you need to make changes to the settings and access rights to your ebook make them in - my manage book settings.

You need to wait for a few minutes for your uploaded pdf to be converted and published in the ebook library.

Published Inactive Favourites Subscriptions Private **Create Myebook**

Step 4 of 4 - Your ebook is ready!

Your ebook is ready, now that you have created your ebook you can if required add video, sound and more forms of media using the myebook builder.

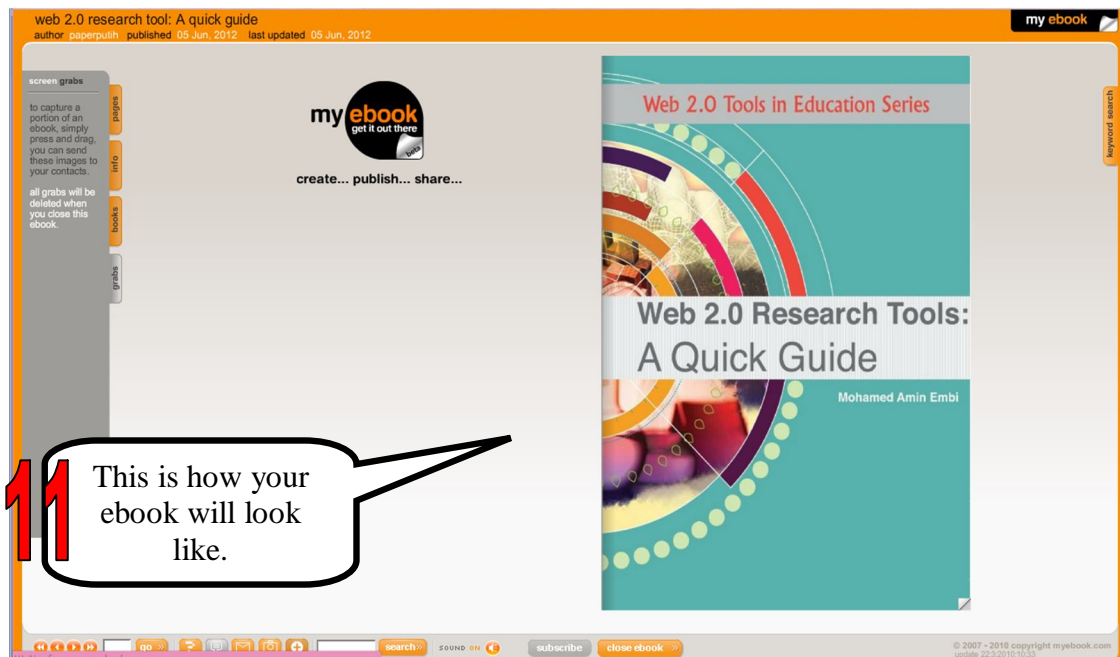
9 Now your ebook is ready. Click this button to view your uploaded ebook.

10 Click this button to publish your ebook to the public.

Want to see it? **Open in viewer** >>

Got interactive content to add? **Open in builder** >>

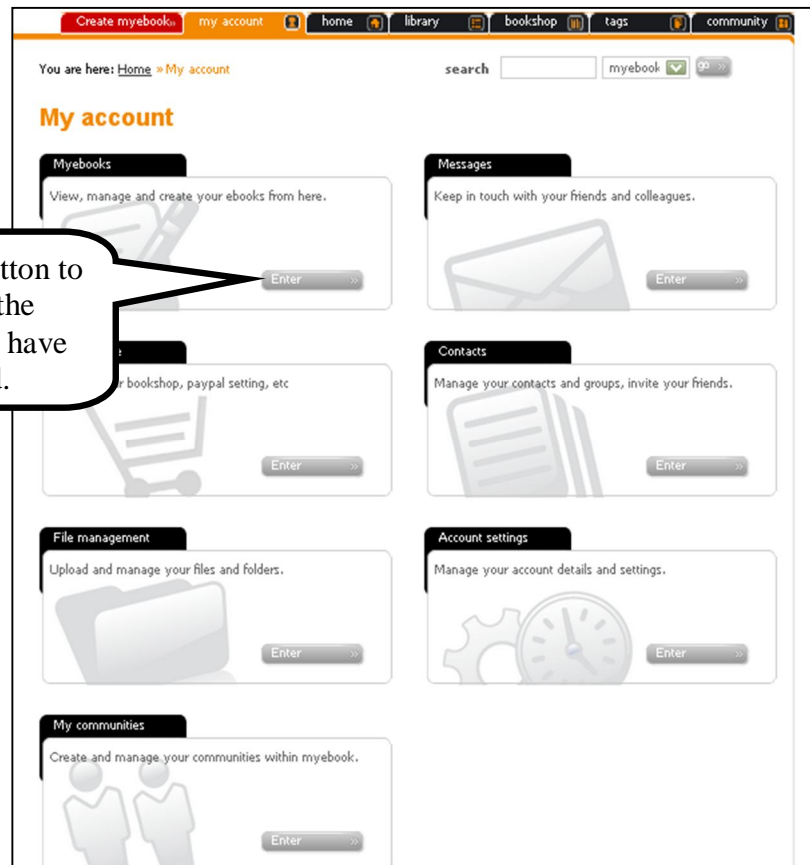
Want to simply get it out there? **Publish now** >>



STEP 5

Viewing your ebook

1 Click this button to view all the ebooks you have created.



Published Inactive Favourites Subscriptions Private **Create Myebook**

Published ebooks

Below are the ebooks that have been created within your account. You can click on the title of the ebook to view it, or click on the 'manage book settings' link to open the general settings or open the myebook builder.

Sort by: **Most recent** [Most viewed](#) [Most favourite](#) 3 myebook matches

web 2.0 research tool: A quick...

Status: **activated**
 Tags: **web 2.0, research tools**
 Language: **english**
 Views: **1 times**
 Favourited: **0 times**
 More in: **Education**

[open myebook builder](#) >>
[manage book settings](#) >>
[delete](#) >>

PIC

Status: **activated**
 Tags: **picture**
 Language: **english**
 Views: **0 times**
 Favourited: **0 times**
 More in: **Arts and Literature**

[open myebook builder](#) >>
[manage book settings](#) >>
[delete](#) >>

LAPORAN KSNP

Status: **activated**
 Tags: **report**
 Language: **english**
 Views: **0 times**
 Favourited: **0 times**
 More in: **Education**

[open myebook builder](#) >>
[manage book settings](#) >>
[delete](#) >>

Click at the title of the ebook for viewing. **3**

These are the ebooks you have created. **2**

Create myebook my account home library

Book detail

web 2.0 research tool: A quick guide
 A quick guide of 20 top ten research tools

Author: [paperutih](#)
 Added: 05 Jun, 2012
 Last updated: 05 Jun, 2012
 Category: [Education](#)
 No. of pages: 228
 Views: 1
 No. of ratings: 0
 Favourited: 0
 Tags: **web 2.0, research tools**

[launch this myebook now!](#) [edit myebook now!](#)

Link to , embed or share this ebook

URL: <http://www.eanswer.co.uk/index.php?option=eboc>

Add to my site: <http://www.eanswer.co.uk/index.php?option=eboc>

Share ebook: [SHARE](#) [Facebook](#) [Twitter](#) [Google+](#)

Click at the ebook to view it. **5**

This is the details of your ebook. **4**

Use the URL address and embed code to share with others. **6**

Rate this myebook
 ★ ★ ★ ★ ★
[save to favourites](#)
[mark as inappropriate](#)

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Chapter 8

FLIPSNACK

WHAT IS FLIPSNACK?

Flipsnack is an online flipping book software that allows anyone to convert PDF documents into Flash page flip digital publications (www.flipsnack.com). The free version of Flipsnack allows anyone to embed document such as book, magazine, catalog, newspaper, portfolio into a website or blog (Richard Byrne. 2011). The flipping book also can be share on social networking websites such as on Facebook and Twitter. Premium version allows people an option to download document (Richard Byrne. 2011).

BENEFITS OF USING FLIPSNACK

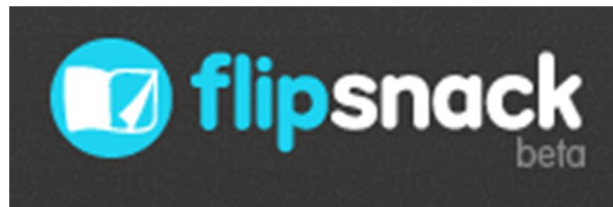
According to Stephanie Miles (2011), the following are the benefits of using Flipsnack:

- Flipsnack flipbooks are free for users.
- People can use flipbooks to share any document/book online.
- Flipbooks are an excellent way for small retailers to show off products.
- Users can fix errors and re-publish their books whenever they want.
- It is easy to share, just grab the embed code from your newly published book and post it in a blog or website.
- Up to 25,000 people can view flipbook each day and we can make changes to our published flipbook at any time.
- All free Flipsnack flipbooks come with a watermark.

GET STARTED WITH FLIPSNACK

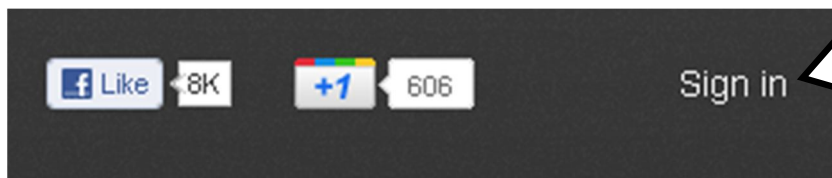
STEP 1

Go to: <http://www.flipsnack.com/>



STEP 2

Sign In/Register

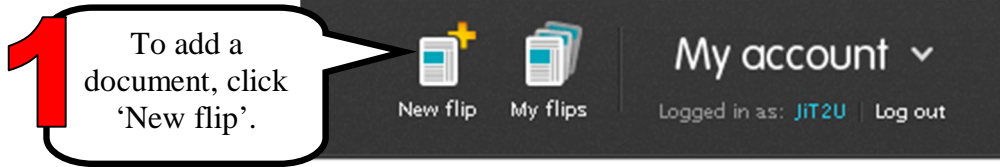


1 To Sign in or Register with Flipsnack, Click 'Sign in' at the top right corner of the Flipsnack page.

A "Sign in" form with a light grey header. On the left, under "Sign in with No registration needed!", are icons for Facebook, Google, Twitter, Yahoo, and a generic app icon, with a "Remember me" checkbox below. In the center is an "OR" separator. On the right, there are radio buttons for "Sign in" (selected) and "Register". Below these are input fields for "E-mail" and "Password", a "Sign in" button, another "Remember me" checkbox, and a "Forgot password" link.

2 If you have a Flipsnack account, you can sign-in as usual. If you do not have an account, click 'Register'.

3 You also can sign in using these applications.

STEP 3**Adding Document**

Title

New Flip

2 Insert the document title.

Add documents

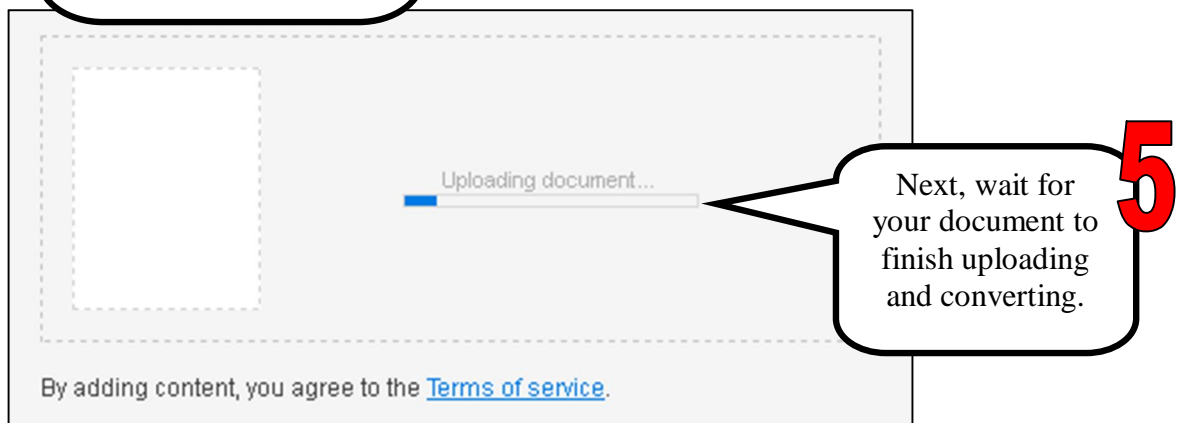
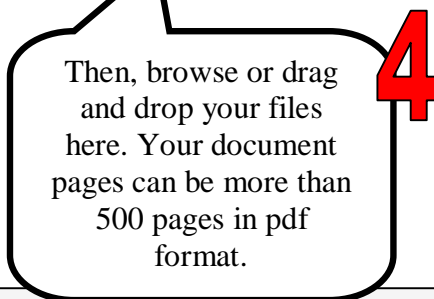
My Computer Import from URL

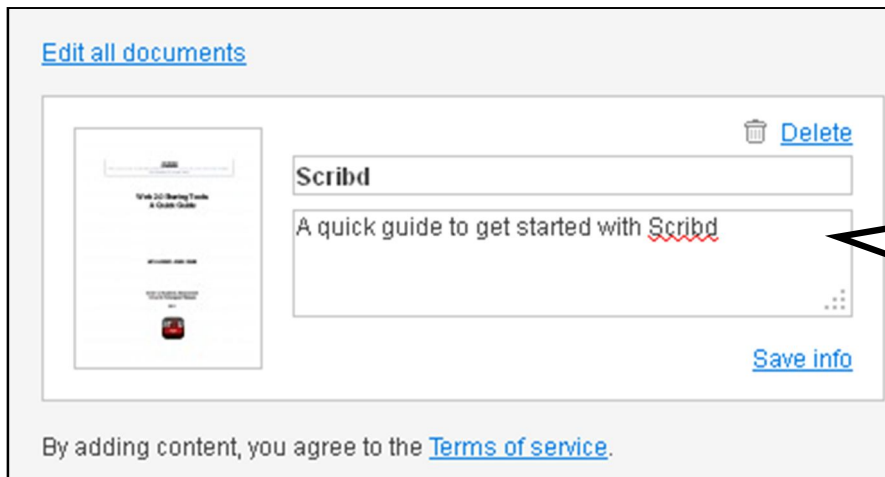
3 You can add a document either from your computer or import from URL.

Browse or

Up to 500 pages / PDF

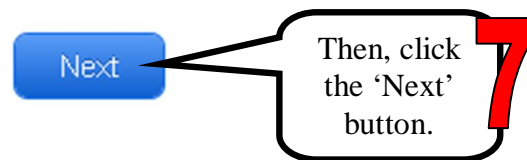
Drag and drop files here





Once you are done uploading the document, you can edit your document information.

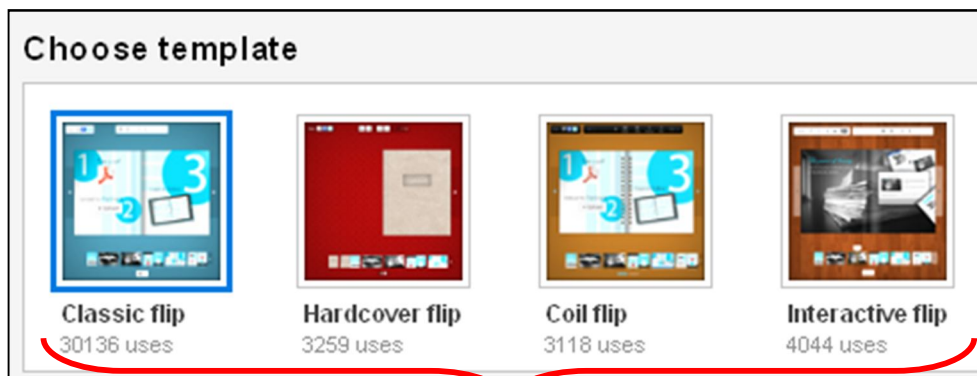
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STEP 4

Choosing Template



You can choose four types of template for viewing your flipbook.

STEP 5**Preview Setting**

Widget type

☐ Shelf widget ☒ Classic widget

Size

W: x H: px

Size presets ▼

Controls

- ☒ Always show flip buttons
- ☒ Show thumbnail navigation
- ☒ Enable flip sounds
- ☐ Enable PDF download
- ☒ Show share buttons [Advanced](#)

Other settings

- ☒ Use highlights on links
- ☐ Use right to left orientation
- ☒ Enable shelf tooltips
- ☐ Auto flip

Select your
preview setting.

Color and Style

☐ Solid colors ☒ Damask ☐ Wood texture ☐ Stainless steel

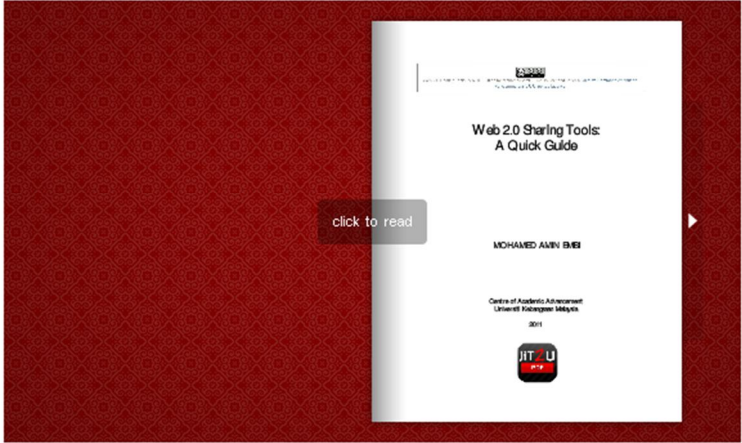
   



Select your
color and
style.

Preview

☒ Widget preview ☐ Fullscreen preview



Classic flip
Size: 640 x 385 px

Examples of your
flipbook preview.

Finish

Then click the
'Finish' button.

STEP 6**Sharing Flipbooks**

The screenshot shows the 'Sharing Tools - Scribd' interface. It includes a document preview, metadata (1 document, 1 view, published at 09/18/2011 23:57, created at 09/21/2011 20:40, modified at 09/21/2011 20:45), and action links (Edit, Edit as new, Delete). Below this is a 'Direct link' section with a URL and a 'Copy' button. Further down are social media sharing options: 'Post to wall' (Facebook icon), 'Tweet' (Twitter icon), and 'Send email' (Email icon). A red bracket groups the Facebook and Twitter options. Two callout boxes with red numbers provide instructions: Callout 1 points to the 'Copy' button with the text 'Click 'Copy' to copy this link and email it to the person you wish to share.' Callout 2 points to the Facebook and Twitter icons with the text 'You also can share your flipbook using Facebook and Twitter.'

Sharing Tools - Scribd [Edit name](#)

1 document | 1 view | Published at 09/18/2011 23:57
Created at 09/21/2011 20:40 | Modified at 09/21/2011 20:45

[Edit](#) | [Edit as new](#) ? | [Delete](#)

Direct link:
<http://www.flipsnack.com/flips/769edd4c47a36...> [Copy](#)

[f](#) Post to wall [t](#) Tweet [Send email](#)

Click 'Copy' to copy this link and email it to the person you wish to share.

You also can share your flipbook using Facebook and Twitter.

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Chapter 9

GLOGSTER

WHAT IS GLOGSTER?

A Glog is created using a very easy to understand, drag and drop interface that is relevant, enjoyable, and scalable for students of all ages and learning styles. A Glog is an interactive visual platform in which users create a “poster or web page” containing multimedia elements including: text, audio, video, images, graphics, drawings, and data (<http://edu.glogster.com/what-is-glogster-edu/>). Glogster EDU is the leading global education platform for the creative expression of knowledge and skills in the classroom and beyond. It empowers educators and students with the technology to create GLOGS - online multimedia posters - with text, photos, videos, graphics, sounds, drawings, data attachments and more.

BENEFITS OF USING GLOGSTER

The following are some benefits of using Glogster for teachers/lecturers and students:

For Teachers/Lecturers:

1. A creative, dynamic, and innovative digital outlet that captures learner's excitement for online creations, keeps learners engaged in course content, and makes teaching and learning more fun.
2. A private and safe platform, monitored directly by teachers. Teachers control all the activities of their learners.
3. A valuable teaching tool that integrates diverse core subjects including math, science, history, art, photography, music and more for individual learner portfolios, unique alternative assessments, and differentiated instructional activities (<http://edu.glogster.com/register/>).

For Students:

1. A fun, imaginative, and powerful learning experience which fosters independent creative self expression, positive learner-teacher relationships, and teamwork on collaborative class projects.
2. A vibrant, multi-sensory learning experience which integrates learner's knowledge and skills into traditionally text-oriented subjects and motivates learner's desire to explore topics in which they may previously have been less interested.

In additional, Glogster also provides the following benefits to teachers and learners:

1. A fun learning experience.
2. A new way to express creativity.
3. Private, secure, safe virtual classroom monitored by teachers.
4. Drives new interest levels around subjects that may have been seen as "boring" before.
5. Adds audiovisual aspects to traditionally text-oriented subjects.
6. Fosters teamwork and collaboration with classmates.
7. Increases drive to be independently creative.
8. Unlimited shelf life.
9. Improves student-teacher relationships by allowing both to explore Web 2.0 & learning concepts together.
10. Keeps teachers and students up-to-date with modern technology.

Source: <http://edu.glogster.com/classroom-benefits/>

WAYS OF USING GLOGSTER

Glogster can be used in the following aducational context:

1. Glogster is a unique tool which teachers and students to create an online poster using hyperlinks to other websites, video, images, photographs, and sounds.
2. Glogster allows teachers to create thoughtful and creative assignments.
3. Teachers can assign students to research a country and make a traveling brochure.
4. Students can upload youtube videos of people speaking in their native tongue, upload popular/traditional music of the country, provide facts, travel information and popular destinations.

Source: <http://flylibrarian.wordpress.com/2011/04/27/using-glogster-in-education/>

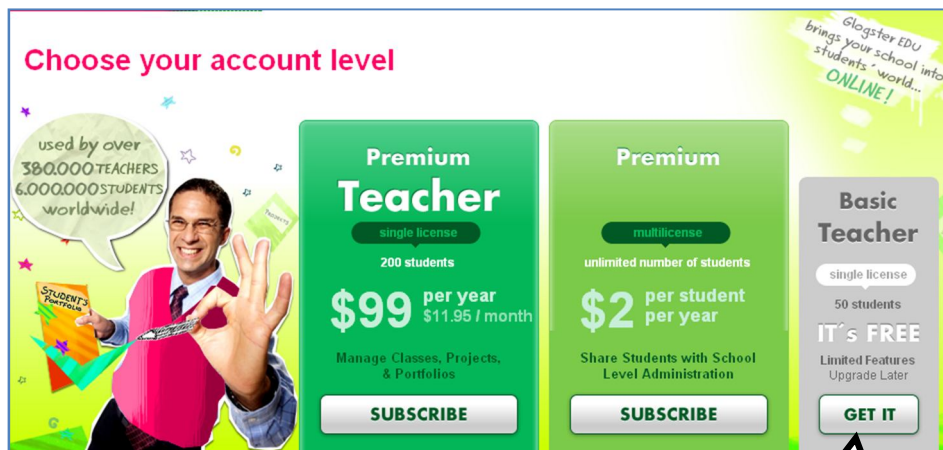
GET STARTED WITH GLOGSTER

STEP 1

Go to: <http://glogsteredu.edu.glogster.com/>

STEP 2

Sign up/Register



2

Choose a premium account for more features.


1

Choose 'Basic Teacher' to get a free account (limited 50 students account).


3 Fill in the registration form.

4 Then, click 'SIGN UP'.

5 You need to check your email to start activating your Glogster account by clicking the link given.



The registration form includes the following fields and options:


- Nickname:
- Password:
- Confirm password:
- E-mail:
- ☐ Remember me on this computer.
- First name:
- Last name:
- Birthday: January | 1 | 2011
- Gender: ☐ Female ☐ Male
- Country: -- Select Country --
- Type the code shown: 
- ENTER THE ABOVE CODE, PLEASE
- ☐ I agree to the [Terms of Use](#)
-

STEP 3

Creating New Glogs

1 After you have log in, go to 'My dashboard' page.

2 To start creating new Glogs, click here.



The 'My dashboard' page displays the following elements:

- User profile: **azidarsad** Online (with a teddy bear avatar)
- Message: **Forget Blogging, try Glogging!**
- Button: **CREATE NEW GLOG**

3

Then, you will see this page. You can create your Glog using the 'Magnet Tool Box'.

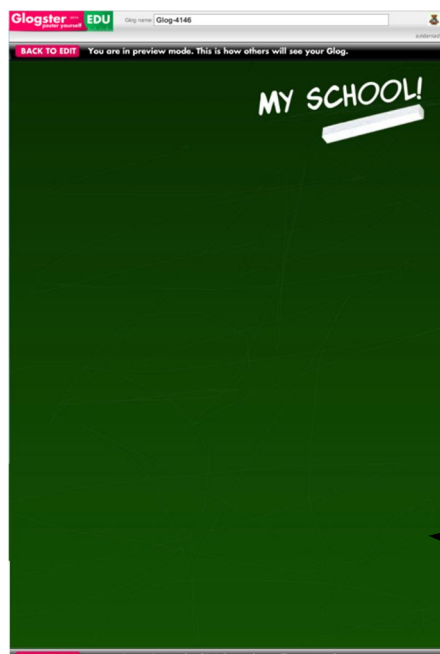


Magnet Tool Box



You can use the 'Magnet Tool Box' to add or insert graphic, text, image, video, sound, data, to the wall of your poster.

4

STEP 4**Changing Walls**

STEP 5**Inserting/Adding Texts**

2 You can choose bubbles, stickers or titles to insert text.

1 Click 'TEXT' at your magnet tool.

3 Select the text appearance you like.

4 Then, click 'USE IT'.

5 Now, it is on your wall and you can edit the text and the appearance.

6 Tools to edit the image.



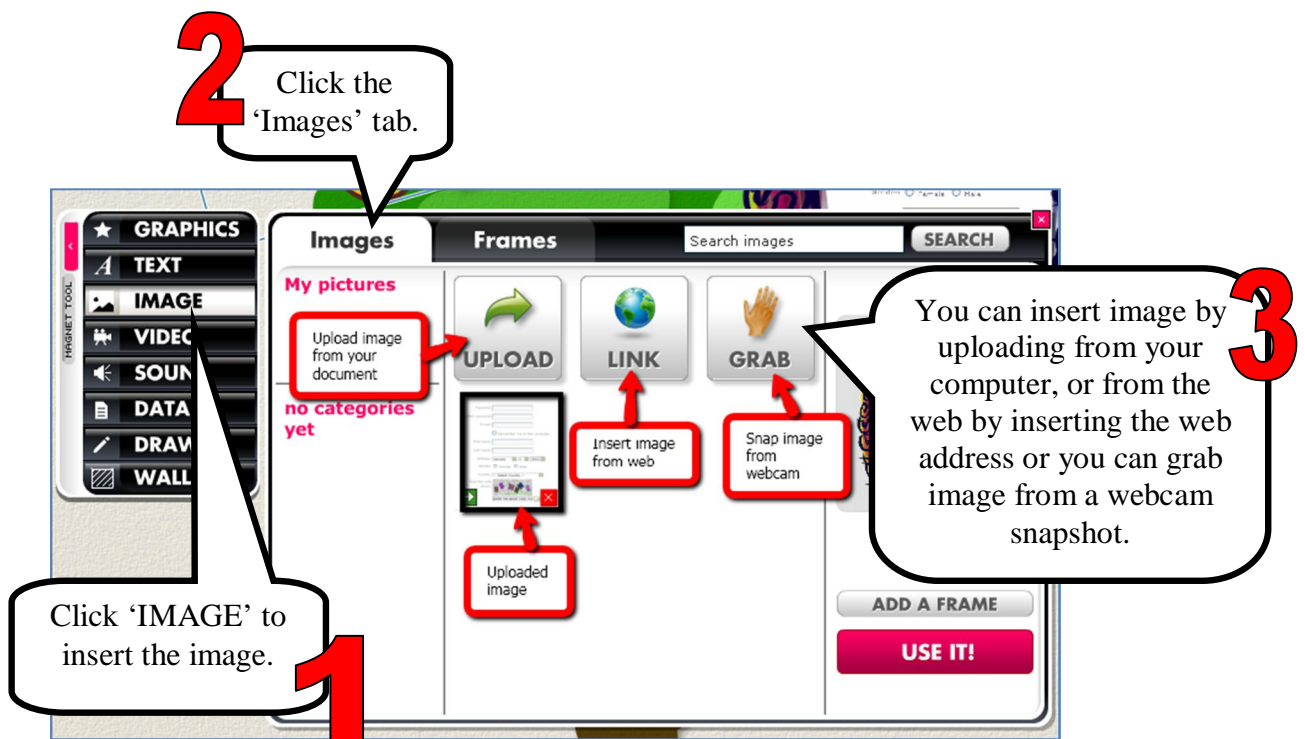
Tool to edit the text.

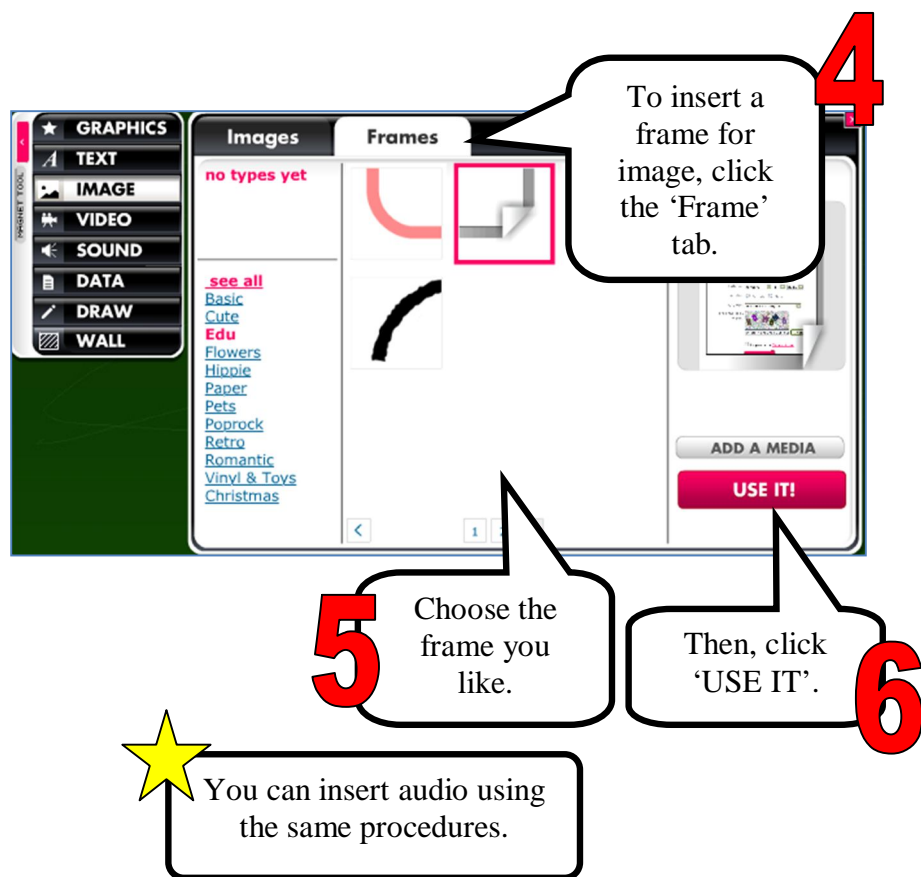


You also can insert graphics using the same procedures.

STEP 6

Inserting Images





STEP 7**Inserting Videos**

1 Click 'VIDEO' to insert a video.

2 Click the 'Video' tab.

3 You also can insert videos from 'SchoolTube'..


4 Uploaded video.

5 You can insert a video by uploading the video from your computer, or from the web by inserting the web address or you can grab from a webcam.

6 To insert the player for video, click players tab.

7 Choose the player you like.

8 Then, click 'USE IT!'.





STEP 8**Adding Students**

My dashboard

azidarsad Online

Forget Blogging, try Glogging!

EDU BASIC

Compare Basic vs. Premium

Enter your license ID

0 % of your profile is ready

1 Glogs

0 Views

Glogster EDU voted #1 education tool by Discovery Educator Network!

We are proud to be your March Madness Mashup Champion! You chose Glogster EDU over 15 other sites, including Edmodo, Prezi, and Wikispaces. Thank you so much for your support. Glogster is Yours! To experience the full potential of your favorite education platform, upgrade to Premium. For every Premium License subscription, we plant a tree in Haiti. [Learn how.](#)

Messages (2 new!)

Select all Mark as read Delete selected

GlogsterEDU, 19 hours * (new!) Dear EDUCATOR,

Classes (EDU Premium)

Students

You don't have any students now. Add students

Add new students

At the 'My dashboard page' click 'Add new students'.

3 Or, you can add students by using an Excel document (by clicking 'Download File').

Add new students to your class

How many accounts do you want to add? Still 50 unused accounts.

ADD ACCOUNTS

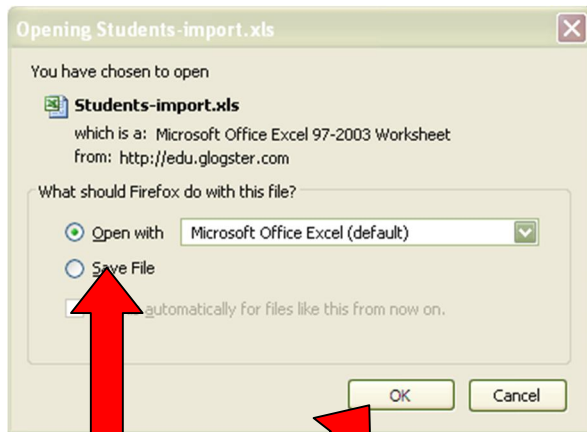
Or download and fill out a file in the Excel Format (it's easier). The Excel tool is available only under PC platform and it is Excel file for Microsoft Excel 2003! If you are using older version of MS Excel, please download the following [plugin from Microsoft](#) and install it first.

DOWNLOAD FILE

Video tutorial of using Excel import tool <http://glogsteredu.edu/glogster.com/excel-import-tool/>

For 200 student accounts [purchase EDU Premium](#).

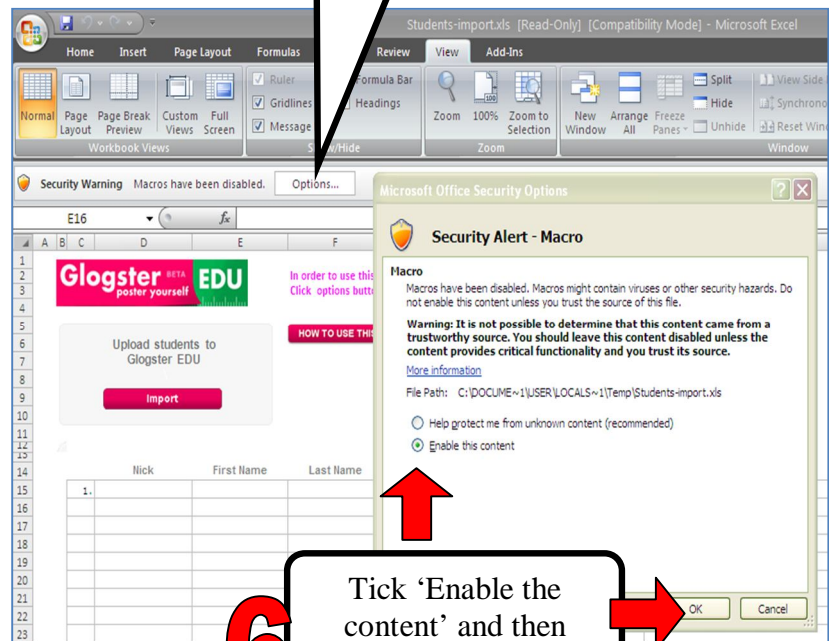
2 You can add students by inserting the number of students you want to add.



The imported file of the Excel tool will automatically appear. Tick 'Open with' and click 'OK' to start downloading the file.

5

Click 'Option' to enable the macro.

4

Tick 'Enable the content' and then click 'OK'.

6

Click the 'Login' button. **7**

Upload students to Glogster EDU

Import

HOW TO USE THIS TOOL

Login

In order to use this tool you need to enable macros! Click options button above.

Login with Edu Glogster account

Nick :

Password :

Cancel Login

Insert your 'Nick' and 'Password' of your Glogster account. Then click 'Login'. **8**

Then click 'Import' to start uploading your students to Glogster. **10**

Upload students to Glogster EDU

Import

	Nick	First Name	Last Name	Grade	Gender	Password	Status	First Login Link
1.	webstudent11	Ivan	Isaac	1	Male	webstudent11	Imported	http://edu.glogster.com/go/hijmcj
2.	webstudent12	Dean	Cheaster	1	Male	webstudent12	Imported	http://edu.glogster.com/go/etswvs
3.	webstudent13	Kelly	Clarkson	1	Female	webstudent13	Imported	http://edu.glogster.com/go/06lbgx
4.	webstudent14	Maria	Montana	1	Female	webstudent14	Imported	http://edu.glogster.com/go/de3677
5.	webstudent15	David	Beckam	1	Male	webstudent15	Imported	http://edu.glogster.com/go/6xydkh
6.	webstudent16	Jay	Megia	1	Female	webstudent16	Imported	http://edu.glogster.com/go/j4fft1
7.	webstudent17	John	Howard	1	Male	webstudent17	Imported	http://edu.glogster.com/go/qmusij
8.	webstudent18	Lydia	Tween	1	Female	webstudent18	Imported	http://edu.glogster.com/go/tektl2
9.	webstudent19	Abdul	Maligue	1	Male	webstudent19	Imported	http://edu.glogster.com/go/mk9l2l
10.	webstudent20	David	Bond	1	Male	webstudent20	Imported	http://edu.glogster.com/go/hzqzk1

Start creating your student account by inserting 'Nick', 'Gender' and 'Password'. 'First name', 'Last name' and 'Grade' (optional). **9**

After clicking the import button, the 'status' and 'first login link' will automatically appear. **11**

Here is the guide for the 'Status'. **12**

3. SYSTEM MEMO:

imported	- New student is imported to Glogster EDU with the included data (new student account is created).
existing	- Student account (nick name) already exists on Glogster EDU.
no free slots	- you have no additional student accounts available under your license.
error	- student account not created due to a non-valid user name format or a server error.



The screenshot shows the Glogster Edu interface. On the left, under the 'Students' tab, there is a grid of student profiles. Each profile includes a name, a teddy bear avatar, and a '0 Glogs' status. The names listed are Abdul Malique fwe!, David Beckam fwe!, David Bond fwebst, Dean Cheaster (we, Ivan Isaac (webst, Jay Meqia (webstu, John Howard (web, Kelly Clarkson (we!, and Lydia Tween (web. Below the grid is a pink button labeled 'Add new students' and a grey button labeled 'Manage students'. A link below the buttons says '10 students'. On the right, a detailed view of a student profile for 'David Bond (webstudent20)' is shown. It includes a teddy bear avatar, '0 Glogs', '0 Portfolio Glogs', and three links: 'Edit account', 'Change password', and 'Delete'.

You can add more new students. **15**

Now you have 10 students imported into your Glogster account. **13**

You can Edit, Change Password and Delete your students account. **14**

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What is Glogster Edu. <http://edu.glogster.com/what-is-glogster-edu/> [6 April 2011]



Chapter 10 PRESENT.ME

WHAT IS PRESENT.ME?

Present.me is a web service that lets you create effective presentations through your PowerPoint files. What makes this site unique, is it lets you add a narrative to the presentation. Once you upload your PowerPoint, you can record a narrative through your webcam and microphone as if you were presenting the slideshow. The final presentation then appears with your webcam recording on the right and slides on the left. A filmstrip view of the slides is also given on the bottom of the presentation.

Source: <http://www.freotech4teachers.com/2011/05/presentme.html>

BENEFITS OF USING PRESENT.ME

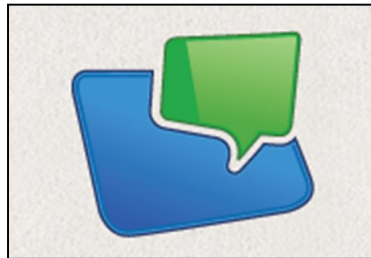
The following are some benefits of Present.me:

- **It is in the cloud** - you do not have to install anything on your computer. All you need is a web browser and an internet connection. You only pay for what you use and you can access your information from anywhere.
- **Easy to import** - You can upload your files (Powerpoint, PDF, Excel, Word, Google Docs or Open Office) to Present.me and it will convert them to a format to record.
- **Easy to record** - Just present into your webcam clicking through your slides as you go. It is as easy as presenting in person.
- **Easy to share** - Once you are finished recorded, just press 'publish' and you are ready to share. Whether it is on Facebook, LinkedIn, Twitter, by email or embedded in your blog.
- **Easy to edit** - If you make a mistake just rewind a bit and go again.

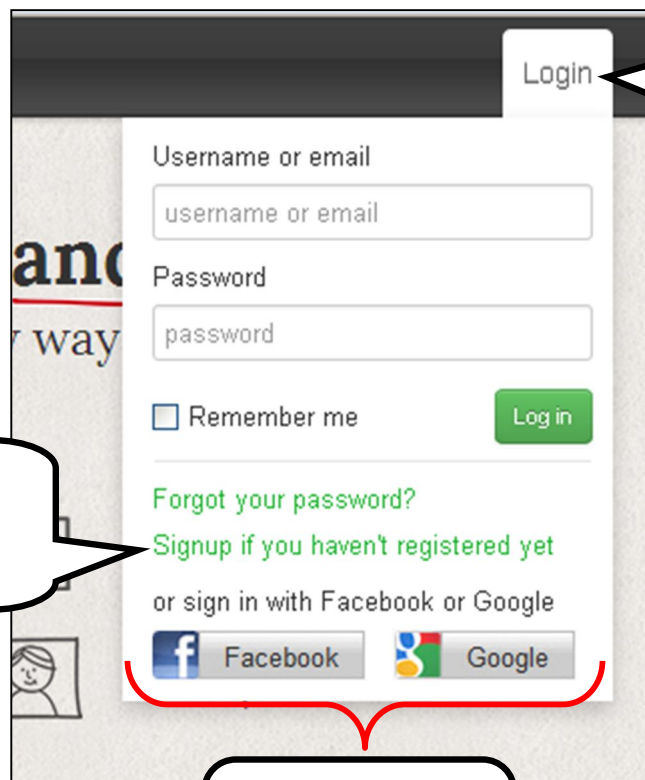
- **It is mobile** - You can view Present.me on your iPad without installing any extra software. You will be able to view on your iPhone or Android phone using Present.me exclusive apps.
- **More than slides** - With Present.me you can upload just your slides, add audio, add video, or just upload a video all with the same account, and all from the same place.
- **Analytics & Engagement** – In Present.me you will know who is watching your content, what they are watching, where they are watching from and for how long. This data gives you an essential insight into the effectiveness of your content, helping you pinpoint what your audience finds most relevant and which bits are being watched repeatedly.

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STEP 1Go to: <http://present.me/>**STEP 2**

Signing up/Login

A screenshot of the Present.me login and registration form. The form is white with a dark header. It includes fields for 'Username or email' and 'Password', a 'Remember me' checkbox, and a green 'Log in' button. Below these are links for 'Forgot your password?' and 'Signup if you haven't registered yet'. At the bottom, there are buttons for signing in with Facebook and Google. A red bracket groups the Facebook and Google buttons.

1 Click 'Login' at the top right corner of the Present.me page.

2 If you do not have an account, click here to register.

3 Or, you can sign in using your Facebook or Google account.

Try Present.me for free

Sign up in 60 seconds, 30 day trial, upgrade, downgrade or cancel any time

Free	Plus	Pro
\$0/month	\$9/month	\$39/month
<i>This one's on us</i>	<i>Everything you need</i>	<i>Awesome capacity</i>
3 presentations per month 15 mins per presentation 1 private presentation per month	30 presentations per month 60 mins per presentation 30 private presentations per month Free Presentation Training Lead Capture, no ads	Unlimited presentations per month 60 mins per presentation Unlimited private presentations per month Free Presentation Training Lead Capture, no ads
Sign up	Start Free Trial	Start Free Trial

4 Click the 'Sign up' button at the free account.

5 Fill in the required information.

Sign up with Facebook or Google

[Facebook](#) [Google](#)

Or Create a Present.me account

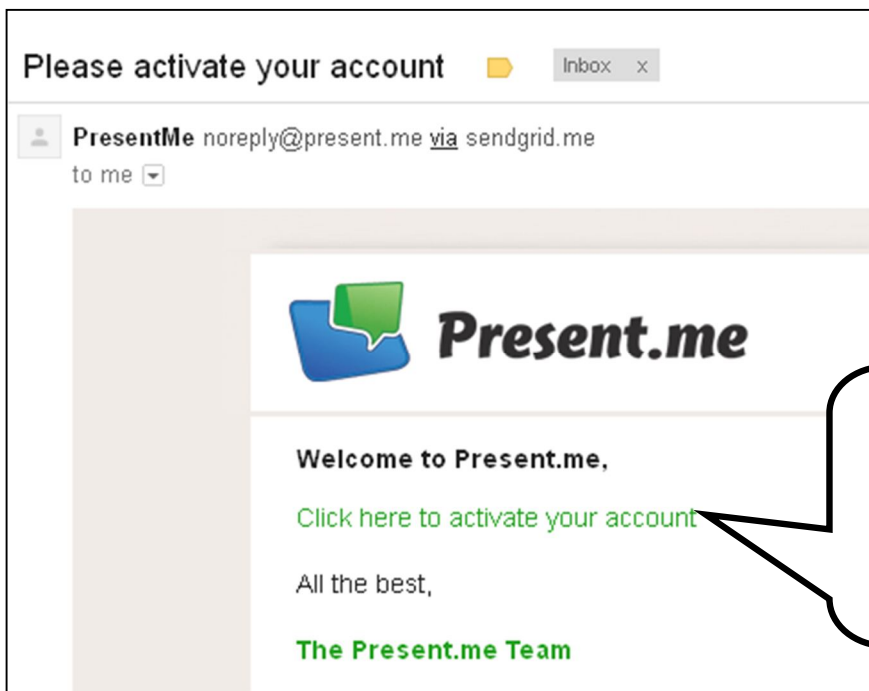
First Name	<input type="text" value="your first name"/>
Last Name	<input type="text" value="your last name"/>
Email	<input type="text" value="your email address"/>
Username	<input type="text" value="desired username"/>
Password	<input type="password" value="desired password"/>
Confirm Password	<input type="password" value="confirm password"/>

☐ I have read and accept the [Terms and Conditions](#)

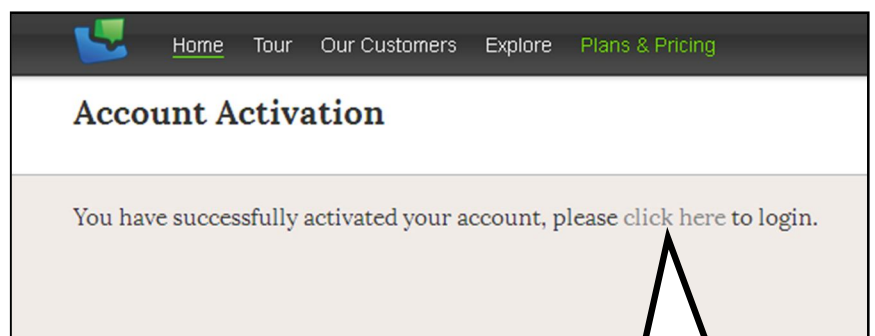
[Reset](#) [Create my account](#)

Click 'Create my account'.

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Open your email inbox. Present.me will send to you this message. Click here to activate your account.





When you have successfully activated your account, click here.

9 To login, Insert your username/email and password.

Login to Present.me

Sign in with Facebook or Google

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Or login with your Present.me account

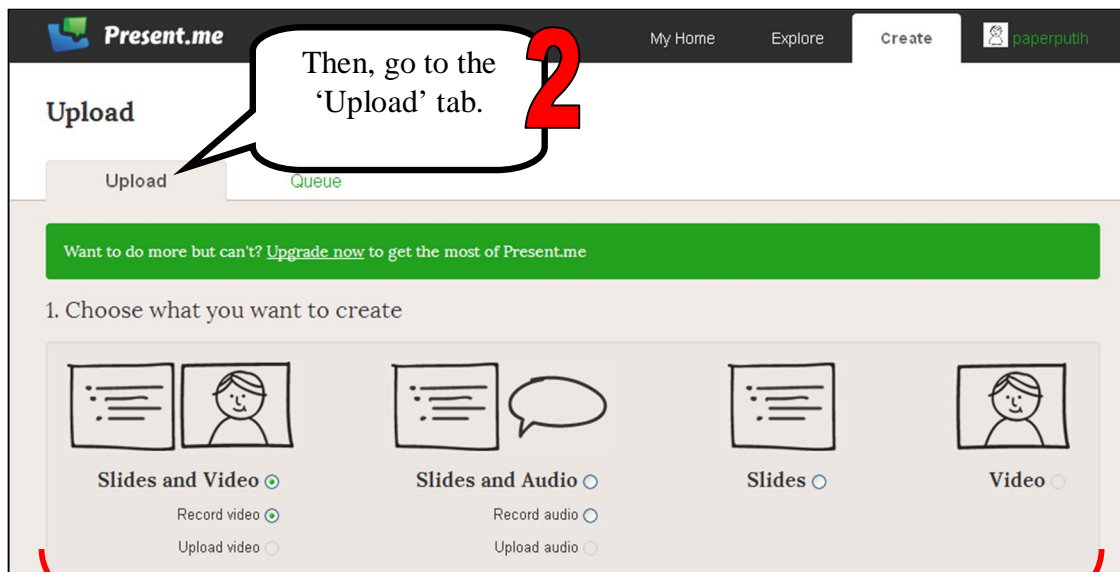
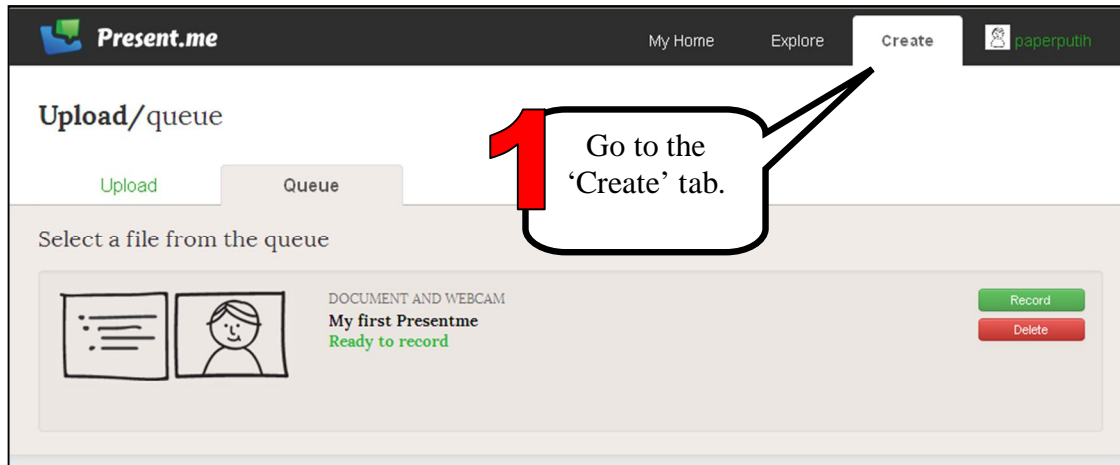
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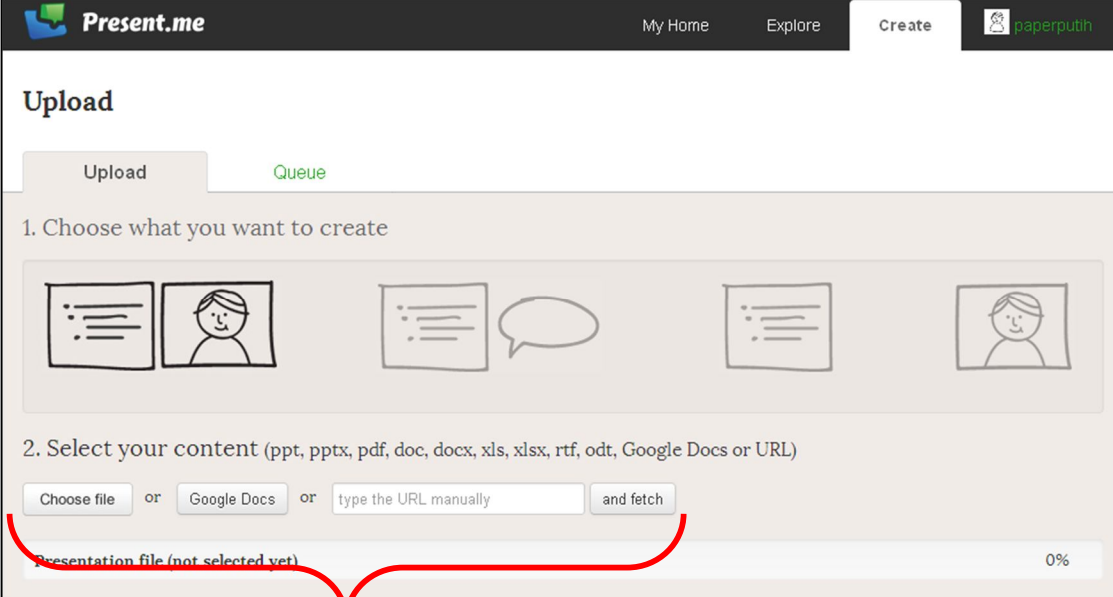
☐ Remember me for 2 weeks

[Forgot Password?](#) [Signup](#) [Login](#)

10 Then, click the 'Login' button.

STEP 3**Creating Presentations****3**

Choose type of your presentation you want to create.



The screenshot shows the 'Present.me' website's 'Upload' interface. At the top, there's a navigation bar with 'My Home', 'Explore', 'Create', and a user profile 'paperputh'. The main heading is 'Upload'. Below it, there are two tabs: 'Upload' (active) and 'Queue'. The first step is '1. Choose what you want to create', showing four icons representing different presentation styles. The second step is '2. Select your content (ppt, pptx, pdf, doc, docx, xls, xlsx, rtf, odt, Google Docs or URL)'. It includes three input options: 'Choose file', 'Google Docs', and 'type the URL manually', followed by an 'and fetch' button. A red bracket highlights the 'Choose file' button and the progress bar below it, which shows 'Presentation file (not selected yet)' and '0%'.

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You can upload your content from your computer file, Google docs or from any URL.

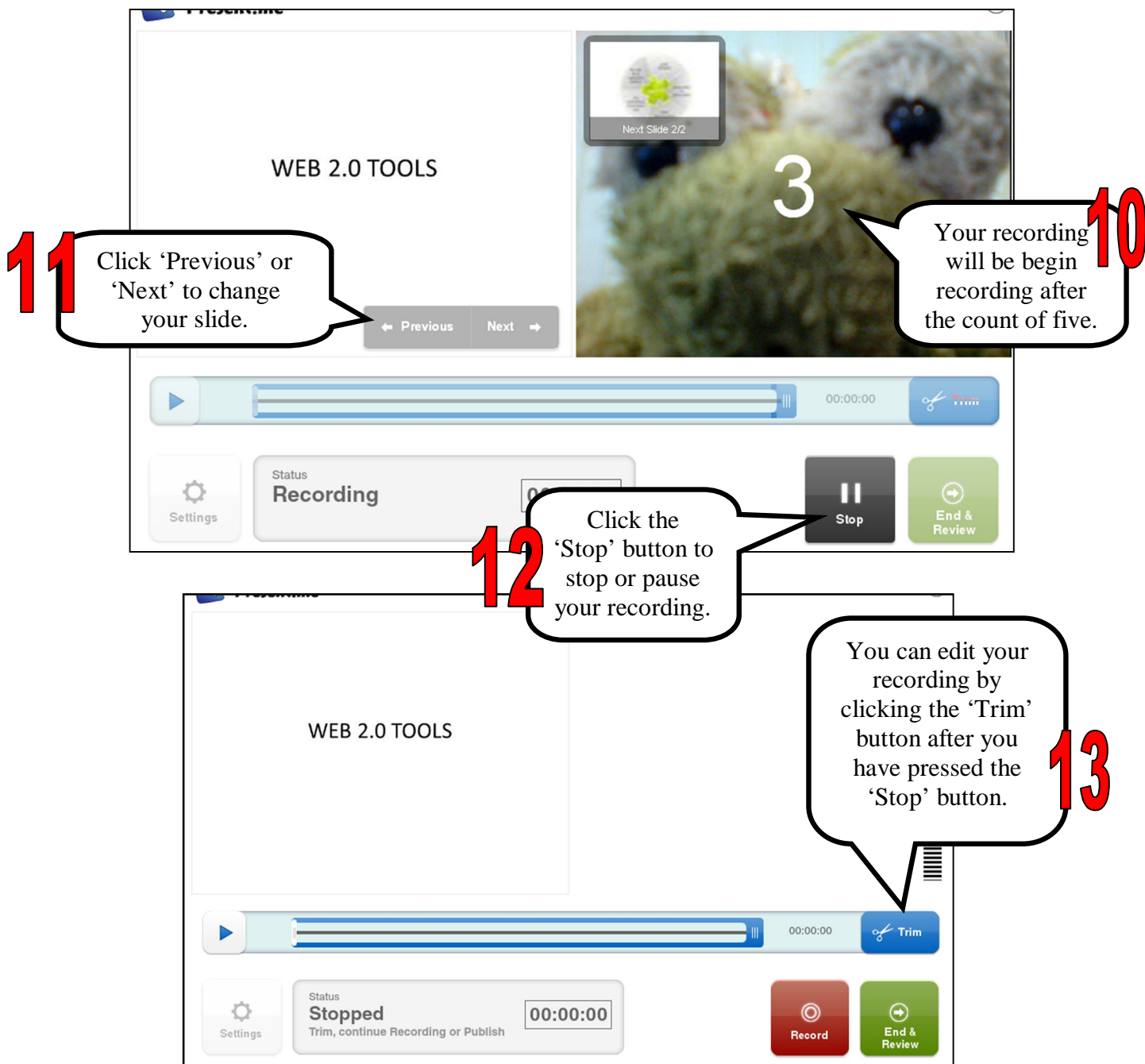


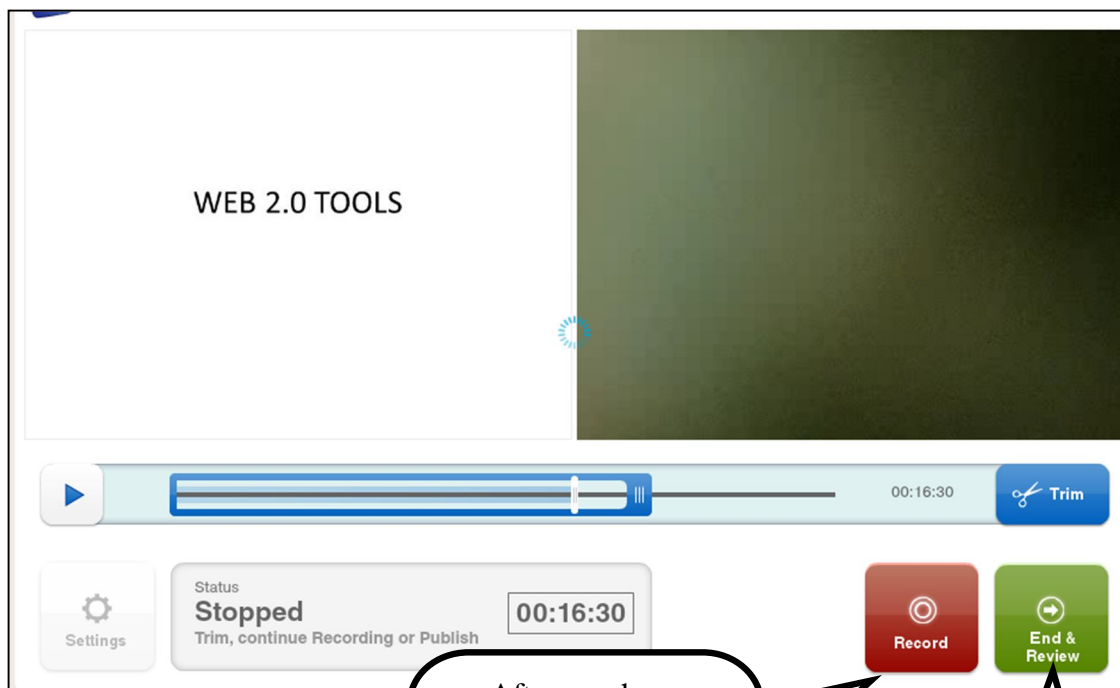
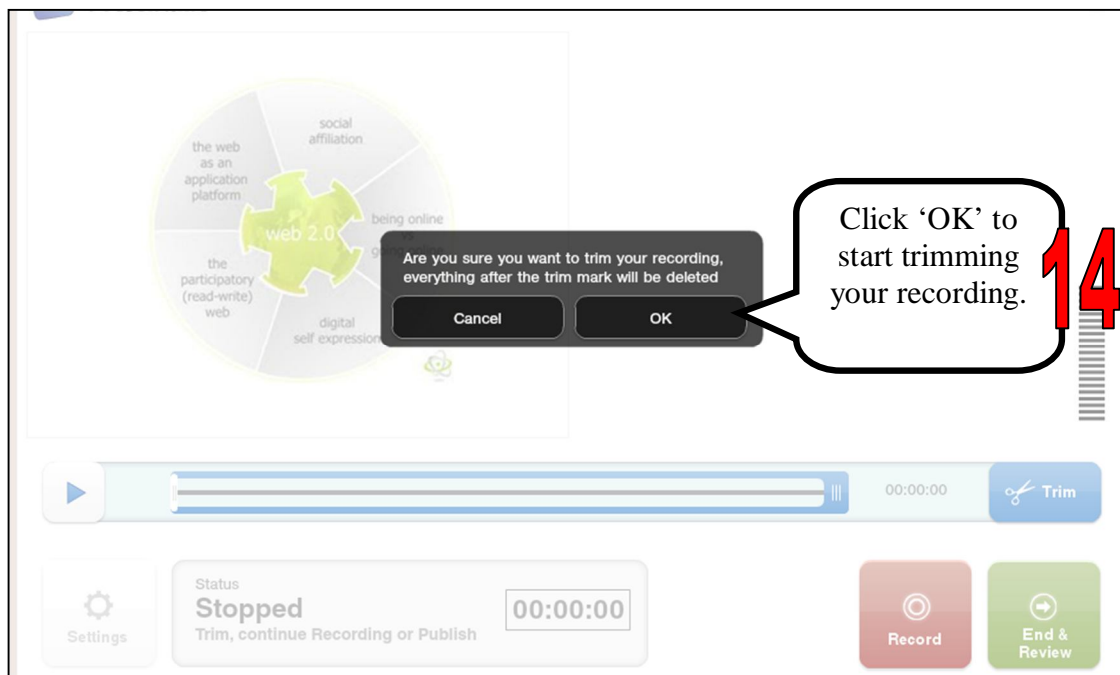
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After you have finished uploading, click the 'Record' button.

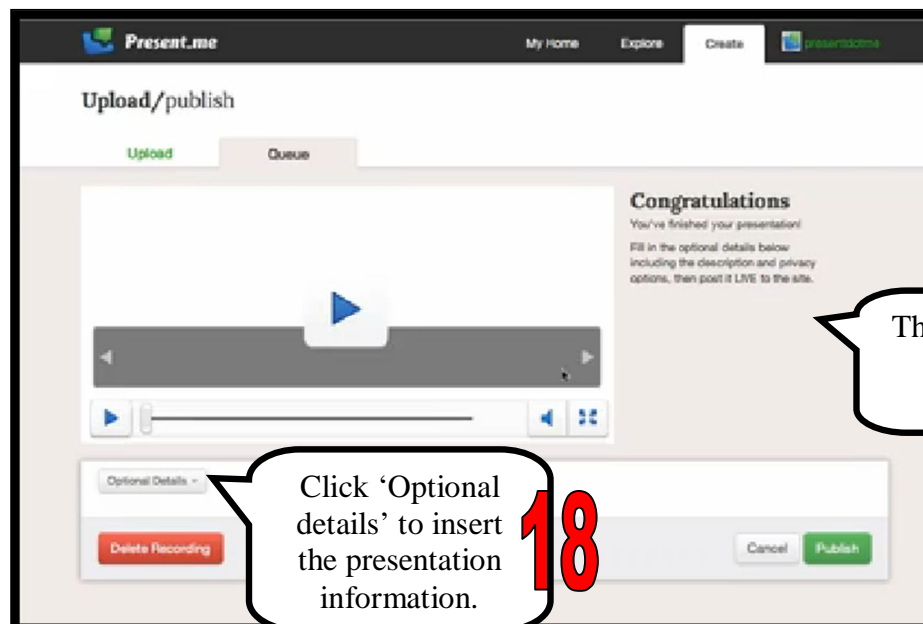






15 After you have finished trimming your recording, you can continue recording by clicking the 'Record' button again.

16 Or, you can directly click the 'End & Review' button if you are done with your recording.



Optional Details -

1. Presentation title
Laurie's present-me about Present.Me
2. Tags (comma separated)
3. Description
Demo for the CRL retreat
Allowed HTML: link to the blockquote strong <code>code</code>
4. Categories
Choose Category 1 Choose Category 2
5. License options
Attribution Non-Commercial
6. Privacy options
Private
☐ Disable sharing
☐ Disable embedding
☐ Disable downloading
7. ☐ Password for hidden URL

Delete Recording

Cancel Publish

19 Fill in the information.

20 Then, click the 'Publish' button.

STEP 4**Sharing Presentation**

The diagram illustrates the process of sharing a presentation on Present.me through five numbered steps:

- 1** When you view your selected presentation, you will notice these tools.
- 2** To download the presentation, you can click at the 'Download' icon.
- 3** Click at the 'embed' icon and copy the embed code given and paste it into your blog or website.
- 4** To share the presentation to others, click the 'Share' icon and insert the persons email address.
- 5** Then click at the 'Send' button.

The interface elements shown include:

- Tools Bar:** Contains 'Favourite this', 'Download' (green arrow icon), 'Embed' (blue code icon), and 'Share' (blue envelope icon).
- Embed Dialog:** Displays the 'Embed' title, size options (620x250, 625x300, 922x400), and the embed code: `<iframe scrolling="no" width="922" height="400" src="http://present.me/embed/922/400/9916-sharing-presentations" frameborder="0" allowfullscreen></iframe>`. It includes a 'Copy to Clipboard' button.
- Share Dialog:** Contains fields for 'Your email address:', 'Type an email address:', and 'Your personal message:', along with a 'Send' button.

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