Tips and Tricks For Flip Grid

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Flipgrid Helpful Tips

Working On A Phone or Tablet?

Download the Flip Grid App from the Apple App Store or Google Play Store.

Students can join using the class code or a link.

For more tips on the app, click **here**

Setting Up Your Account and Student Accounts

FlipGrid is free to schools.   You need a google or Microsoft account as a host.

Students can join an open class with no email account but if you have school accounts with Microsoft or Google, have them sign up with that instead. It is better for privacy.
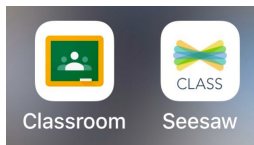
Educator Sign Up

Students and participants do not need accounts.
Simply **enter your Flip Code**!

G **Sign up with Google**

■ **Sign up with Microsoft**

By continuing, I agree to Flipgrid's **Terms of Use**
and **Privacy Policy**.

Can I Embed My Grids/Topics Within My School's LMS?

You can embed your grid within many school learning management systems, but some will block the recording of video, so sometimes it is just easier to put the code in and have that take students directly to FlipGrid. For more information click **here**

Organizing Grids

A **grid** is either your grade, classroom or your learning community. If you teach multiple grades, you might want one grid per grade level. Alternatively you can set it up by advisory.

On your **grid**, you have **topics**

Organizing Topics

Helpful TIp: If you have multiple classes at a grade level, it is much easier for student management (and your sanity) to organize a topic for each class rather than one topic for the whole grade. You can duplicate topics fast for each of those topics, but sifting through 120 students can be time consuming.
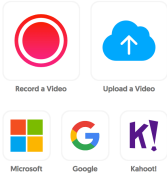
Duplicating Topics

Open your grid - look under **Action** and select **Duplicate Topic**. You can choose the destination grid and keep only the topic.

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Adding New Topic

To add a new topic, open your grid and then click the add new topic button on the top left.

Add New Topic

Add Video or Student Focus

After you click the add new topic button, scroll down and you will see a variety of options for embedding video, media etc.

Adding Links, Attachments, Video Moderation, Due Dates and Allowing Student Responses

You can find the options for all these when you set up your new topic … scroll to the bottom and click the **more options** button on the bottom right of your screen. For more on moderation, click **here**

More Options

Sharing Topics With Your Students

You can open a grid, see your topics and click share from there.

Alternatively, you can open a topic and click the share from there.

You will have the option of copying the link or below that, taking the embed code or embedding into google classroom and a couple of other options.

Share

Responding To Students From Educator Dashboard

Click on a student name to open their post

On the right hand side at the top you can click the green plus sign to leave a video comment for the student or you can type in a written comment.

Educator comments (video or text) done from here are only seen by the student

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3 views

Aubrey J
4 views

Lindsay P
2 views
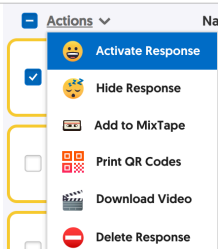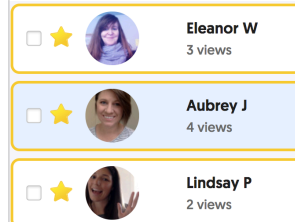
Hiding or Deleting A Student Response

If a student responds in a way that you do not want others to see, you can hide their response by:
- Check the box next to their response
- Go to **actions** (above the list of students top left)
- Select **hide or delete response.**

Actions
Activate Response
Hide Response
Add to MixTape
Print QR Codes
Download Video
Delete Response

Keeping Yourself Organized!

I keep track of which student responses I have looked at by clicking the feature star. You can do this from the student list under topic, or by clicking the star when opening the student response.