

# “Flexible Learning” with Flipgrid: 5 Ways to Quickstart

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**FLIPGRID.**

*BEYOND THE CLASSROOM*

me waking up 30 seconds before my  
zoom meetings every morning



## Wait WHAT??

- [20 Hacks That Every Remote Teacher Needs to Know](#)
- [12 Genius Hacks From Teachers on Instagram Adapting to Virtual Teaching](#)

# Mrs. Nexsen's MPS Third Graders



# School Classroom:



# Distance Learning Classroom:



# Flipgrid Quickstart Outline

- 1) **What is Flipgrid and how can I easily integrate it into my Digital Classroom?**
- 2) **How to launch for teachers and for students.**
- 3) **How to use the Dashboard within Flipgrid.**
- 4) **Creating, searching, and using lessons with Flipgrid.**
- 5) **Tips and Tricks!**

# Flipgrid Quickstart 1/ Description

- **Flipgrid** is a social learning platform that allows educators to post a question and then students respond with a video. Then students can respond to each other creating a “web” of discussions that can then be monitored by the educator. [Flipgrid Overview](#)  
[Educators](#)
- Your **Grid** is like your community or closed classroom. This is where the action happens. There are 3 ways for educators to create their community:  
[Grid Types: Overview](#)
- - 1) \*School Email - **(Google Classroom)**
  - 2) Student ID List - Flip Code and ID# or QR Code
  - 3) Public - Anyone can view videos with a Flip Code

USING FLIPGRID ISN'T ABOUT RECORDING VIDEOS...IT'S ABOUT LEARNING. LEARNING THAT IS SOCIAL, PERSONAL, CAN HAPPEN ANYWHERE AND ANYTIME, ABOUT MAKING CONNECTIONS, IT'S DEEP EXPLORATION, AND PROMOTES THAT EVERYONE IS A TEACHER AND EVERYONE IS A LEARNER.



### Just What is Flipgrid?

**Flipgrid** is a social learning platform that allows educators to ask a question, then the students respond in a video. Students are then able to respond to one another, creating a “web” of discussion. ... The students were using whiteboards to complete the work, then recording themselves on **Flipgrid**.

Student Example:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fFogMfvm1nM&feature=youtu.be>

## Frontloading of Key Words:

Quizlet:

<https://quizlet.com/327950123/flipgrid-lingo-flash-cards/>

### Flipgrid Vocabulary



# Flipgrid Lingo

## **Educator Dashboard**

This is where you go as an educator to manage your grids and topics, can view and provide feedback to student responses and replies, as well as explore the Disco Library and so much more!

### **Grids**

A Grid is your community of learners. Name your Grid and create a custom Flip Code (or use the auto-generated one).

### **Topics**

Topics are your discussion starters or prompts. Students respond to Topics.

### **Responses**

These are the students' videos they record or upload from their device and add to the Topic. This is how they share their voice!

### **Replies**

When activated, replies take the discussion one step further by allowing users to add a response or "reply" to a response that was added to the Topic.

### **Topic Guests (Guest Mode)**

Educators have an opportunity to invite guests to a topic. This is an incredible way to include guest speakers or parents on to a topic that is set up as a School Email or Student ID community.

### **Camera (Recorder)**

Flipgrid has its very own recorder built into the app. You must download the [Creator's Guide to Flipgrid](#) written by our friend Mike Mohammed.

### **Shorts**

Shorts is the camera application built into the Flipgrid platform and accessible through the Educator Dashboard. [Creator's Guide to Flipgrid Camera and Shorts.](#)

### **Quick Response Codes**

Sharing QR codes with your grid community is a quick and easy way for visitors to interact with others on Flipgrid!



# Flipgrid Quickstart 2/ How to Start

1) Teacher: 1 min 32 seconds

[Getting Started: Educators](#)

2) Student: 48 seconds

[Getting Started: Students](#)

## Teacher Resources:

1. **Educators Guide:**

[https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid\\_eBook\\_2nd\\_edition.pdf](https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid_eBook_2nd_edition.pdf)

2. **Student Guide:**

[https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Student\\_Guide.pdf](https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Student_Guide.pdf)

3. **Elementary Integration Guide:**

[https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid\\_k12\\_community.pdf](https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid_k12_community.pdf)

Consent: [https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid\\_consent\\_form.pdf](https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid_consent_form.pdf)

Dos and Don'ts: [https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid\\_dos\\_donts.pdf](https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid_dos_donts.pdf)

## Flipgrid Session Student Expectations:

1. Before you add your flipgrid response. BE SURE TO FOLLOW EXPECTATIONS!
2. Be kind, responsible, and respectful at ALL times!
3. Organize your thoughts and think about how you can add to the conversation.
4. Give examples, make connections, and give feedback to others.
5. Skip jokes that could be misunderstood.
6. Stay on topic.

## Directions for Student use of Flipgrid:

1. Click the link below.

<https://flipgrid.com>

2. Click Log in with Google.
3. Login using your email and password.
4. Click the green circle with a white plus sign to record your response. (Give Flipgrid permission to access your camera and microphone if it asks.)
5. Record your video.
6. Click upload.
7. Watch and respond to your classmates responses.

# Flipgrid Quickstart 3/ Dashboard

**My Activity**  
**My Grids**  
Mix Tapes  
**#Gridpals**  
**Disco Library**  
Shorts

- **Grid Pals** are a way for you to connect with other educators around the world!  
<https://admin.flipgrid.com/manage/gridpals>
- **Disco Library**  
<https://admin.flipgrid.com/manage/discovery?ns>

## Inside the Disco Library

The Met: <https://www.metmuseum.org/>

Wonderopolis: <https://www.wonderopolis.org/>

EPIC: <https://www.getepic.com/>

CODE: <https://code.org/>

# Flipgrid Quickstart 4/ Using/finding lessons and Grading:

SC computer science and digital standards: [South Carolina Computer Science and Digital Literacy Standards](#)

Activity Center (31 seconds): [Learn. Do. Share](#)

Integration Docs: [Integration Docs](#)

Hyperdocs.....what are they? <https://hyperdocs.co/>

## Lesson Examples:

Amphibians HyperDoc Grade 3

[Amphibians HyperDoc Grade 3](#)

Acrostic Poem:

[What is an 'Acrostic Poem'?](#)

Raptors

Hyperdoc:

[Raptors](#)

[Wacky Web](#)

[Tales](#)

### Guiding Questions:

1. What is it we want our students to learn?
2. How will we know if each student has learned it?
3. How will we respond when some students do not learn it?
4. How can we extend and enrich the learning for students who have demonstrated proficiency?

Digital Citizenship: Passwords, Professionalism

### Objectives:

The Participant will...

### Success Criteria:

I will know I am successful when I have...

# Flipgrid Quickstart 5/ Tips and Tricks

- Flipgrid Help Center: <https://help.flipgrid.com/hc/en-us>
- Tips for ages 8-10: <http://blog.flipgrid.com/news/engage8to10>
- Article - Ditch the Textbook:  
<https://ditchthattextbook.com/catch-the-flipgrid-fever-15-ways-to-use-flipgrid-in-your-class/>
- Pinterest Picture: <https://www.pinterest.com/pin/322148179588423319/>
- Article - Four Features: <https://blog.tcea.org/better-use-of-flipgrid/>
- Rubric: <https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Flipgrid-Presentational-Speaking-Rubric-freebie-3674333>
- Poster instructions: [https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B\\_jCypXiFNJWRW9IclVwYzd5Mjg/view](https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B_jCypXiFNJWRW9IclVwYzd5Mjg/view)

# FLIPGRID

## TIPS & TRICKS



Consider your Audience

- Who am I making this video for?
- What kind of voice & attitude should I use?



Camera Position

- Don't show ceiling



- center your image

Background



- Have a neutral background



Lighting

- Make sure the light is good & not behind you.



- Pause gently so it doesn't make noise.

Eye Contact

- Look at the camera. Position your script behind.

Stickers



- You can use 2 stickers each time
- Do not cover your face.

Reactions

- Be polite in your feedback
- Be honest, but helpful, constructive criticism

HAVE FUN 😊

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## FLIPGRID: presentational speaking rubric

Grading Rubric:

	4	3	2	1
<b>Content &amp; Completion</b>	I provide detailed responses that meet prompt and time requirements	I respond to prompt, but may lack detail and depth; response may be slightly short	I do not respond entirely to prompt and/or lack much depth in responses; or short response	I do not respond to prompt and am lacking in many ideas/depth; or very short
<b>Grammar &amp; Vocabulary</b>	Accurate use of <b>chapter-related vocabulary and grammar</b>	Several minor grammar/vocab errors; do not interfere w/ comprehension	Numerous errors in grammar/ vocab interfere with comprehension	Major grammar/vocab errors
<b>Pronunciation &amp; Preparedness</b>	I am well prepared; no hesitations; no reading of notes  Excellent and correct pronunciation	I am well prepared; slight hesitations or glances at notes  Some errors in pronunciation	I am not well prepared; hesitations and glances at notes are prevalent  Errors in pronunciation	I did not prepare well. I hesitate often and/or read almost entire response  Major pronunciation errors

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# Documents/Downloads:

Flipgrid.com: <https://info.flipgrid.com/>

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1. Educators Guide: [https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid\\_eBook\\_2nd\\_edition.pdf](https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid_eBook_2nd_edition.pdf)
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3. Consent Form: [https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid\\_consent\\_form.pdf](https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid_consent_form.pdf)
4. Clemson Online: <https://www.clemson.edu/online/tools/flipgrid.html>
5. 21Things4students: [https://21things4students.net/downloads/21t4s\\_all\\_important/flipgrid.pdf](https://21things4students.net/downloads/21t4s_all_important/flipgrid.pdf)
6. Flipgrid Help Center: <https://help.flipgrid.com/hc/en-us>
7. Tips for ages 8-10: <http://blog.flipgrid.com/news/engage8to10>
8. Article - Ditch the Textbook: <https://ditchthattextbook.com/catch-the-flipgrid-fever-15-ways-to-use-flipgrid-in-your-class/>
9. Pinterest Picture: <https://www.pinterest.com/pin/322148179588423319/>
10. Article - Four Features: <https://blog.tcea.org/better-use-of-flipgrid/>
11. Hyperdocs.....what are they? <https://hyperdocs.co/>
  
12. Wacky Tales: <https://www.eduplace.com/tales/>
  
13. TPT Rubric: [Flipgrid Presentational Speaking Rubric \\*freebie\\* by La Profe Digital](#)
14. Google attachments <https://classroom.google.com/u/0/c/Mzg5NTQ4MTkzNTZa>
15. Consent: [https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid\\_consent\\_form.pdf](https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid_consent_form.pdf)
16. Dos and Don'ts: [https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid\\_dos\\_donts.pdf](https://static.flipgrid.com/docs/Flipgrid_dos_donts.pdf)

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# Questions Anyone?

