



Toontastic



Brought to you for free by the guys at Google and accessible across all platforms. Toontastic allows you to draw, animate and narrate stories in a few simple steps.

Use the various included background scenes to put a 3d perspective in your students stories.

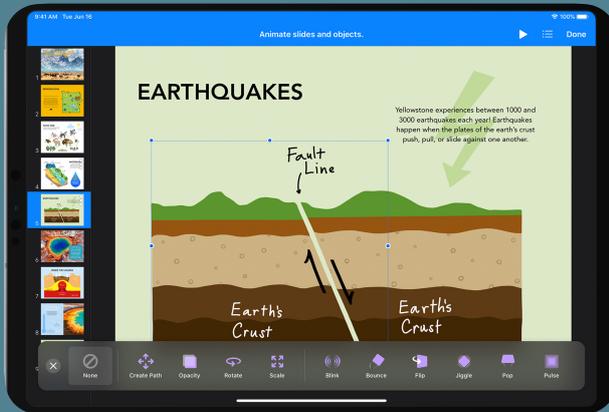
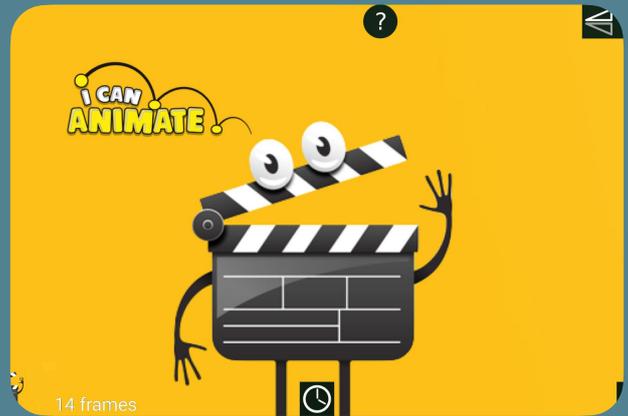
<https://toontastic.withgoogle.com/>

I can animate/lite



Offering both free and paid for versions, I can animate is a terrific way to get students involved in stop-frame animation. Available across all platforms the software offers a simple uncluttered interface thats useable by all age groups. A great way to bring school projects to life!

<https://www.kudlian.net/>



Keynote



Freely available for Mac and iOS platforms, Keynote is primarily a presentation software. The built in animations when used creatively can build some fun exciting movies linked to any curriculum projects

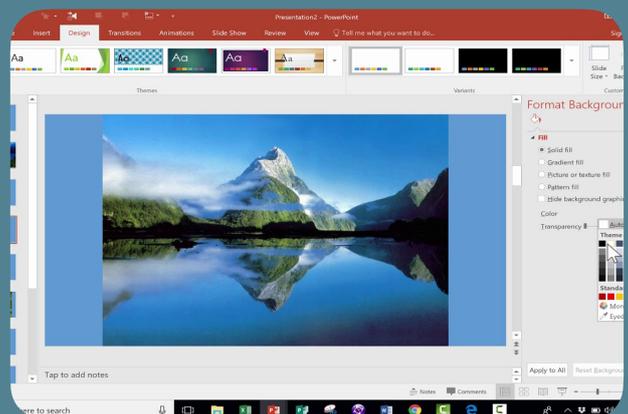
<https://www.apple.com/uk/keynote/>

Powerpoint



Microsofts legendary presentation software, but comes at a cost. Useable on all platforms, both desktop and mobile, Powerpoint can be a great creative tool for animating.

<https://www.microsoft.com/en-gb/microsoft-365/powerpoint>





PuppetPals HD / 2



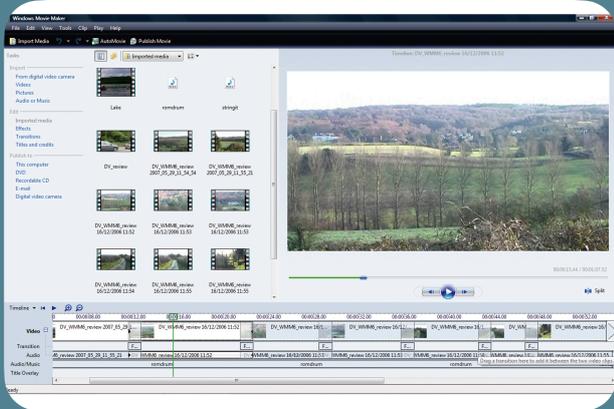
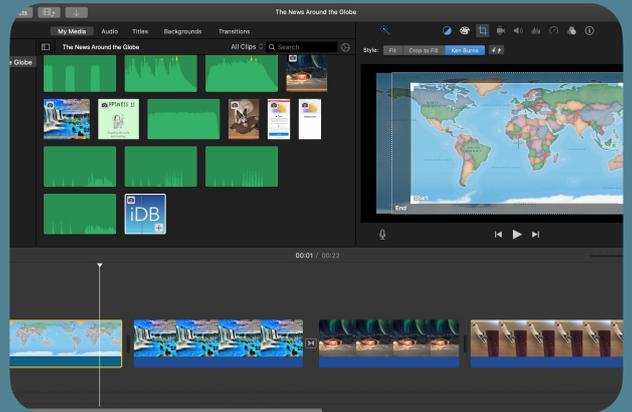
A great free App for Apple mobile devices with additional content available for purchase. Cartoon 3d scenes allow easy animation of your characters matched with smooth simple Lip-sync that is full automated. Perfect to bring topics to life
<https://www.microsoft.com/en-gb/microsoft-365/powerpoint>

Filmmaking

iMovie



Apple's free movie editor is available for desktops and mobile devices. On iPhone/ iPad this app becomes a essential tool for creating films with students, now utilising green screen technology. A Simple easy interface and a fantastic trailer option to get novice filmmakers started
<https://www.apple.com/uk/imovie/>



Movie Maker 10



Free but limited is probably the best description for Microsofts movie editor. Very good for assembling clips and images with audio, but effects are limited. Made popular by it's inclusion in early Windows operating systems.
<https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/p/movie-maker-10-free>

Projects Cross curriculum

Adobe Premier Elements



For a minimal cost,PC and Mac users can take video editing to the next level with entry into Adobe's creative system. Create time-lapse films or add incredible title sequences for presentations, Premier elements gives thousands of options.
<https://www.adobe.com/uk/products/premiere-elements.html>





Adobe Premier Rush



A slimmed down version of Premier elements gives free usability. Paid for desktop options are also available. Developed for both Android or Apple tablets and mobile devices. Designed for speed and ease of use, Rush helps you create HD movies in minutes.
<https://www.adobe.com/uk/products/premiere-rush>

Power Director



Cross platform video editing with free version viable on Android mobile devices. Not one for the novice, but Power director has a lot to offering terms of creative freedom within your filmmaking
https://www.cyberlink.com/products/powerdirector-video-editing-software/features_en_GB.html



Prezi

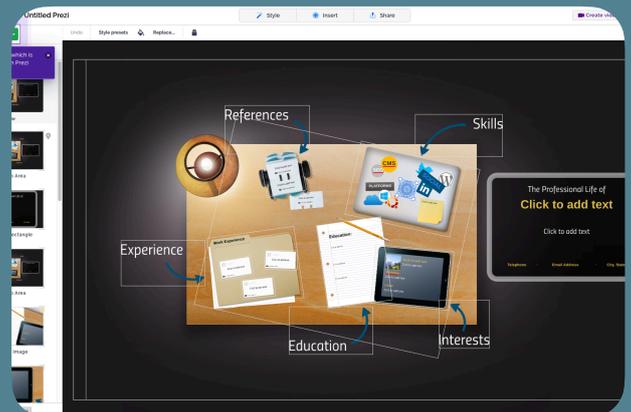
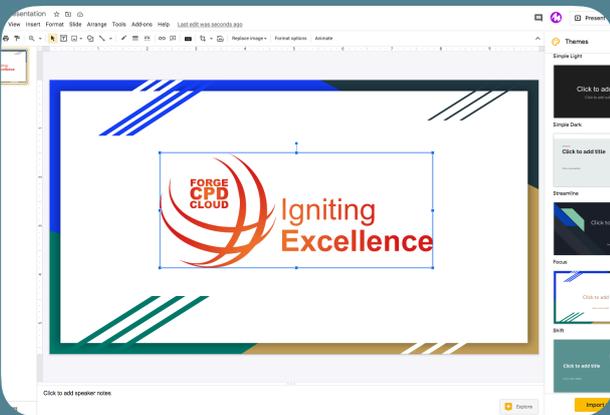


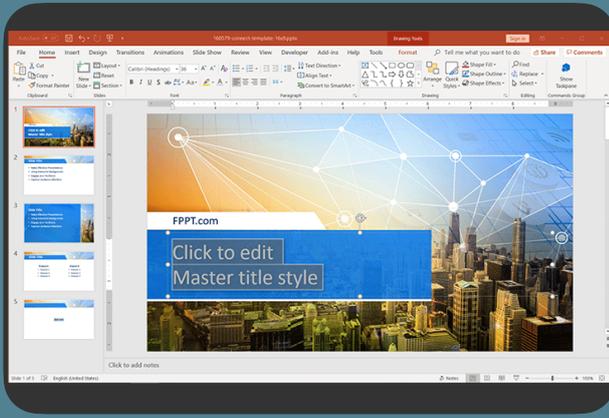
Accessible on any device through a web browser. Prezi puts a unique 3d take on creating presentations using perspective and camera rotation. Basic membership is free for teachers and students but an account is required. Put a quirky edge to your work
<https://prezi.com/>

Google Slides



A free app from Google to rival Microsoft and Apple's offerings. Accessible on any platform through both downloadable apps and cloud based systems. Simple to use and simple interface that students find much easier to work with than those from the major players.
<https://www.google.co.uk/slides/about/>





Powerpoint

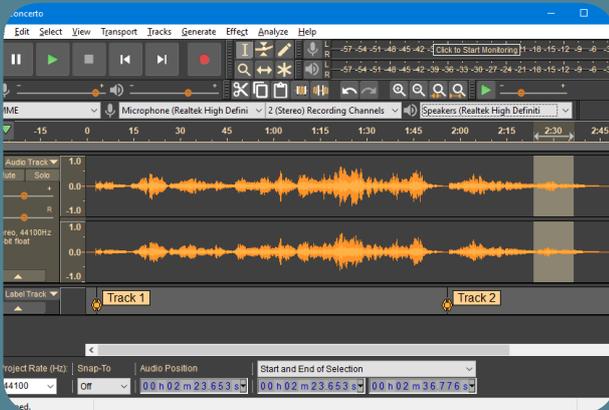
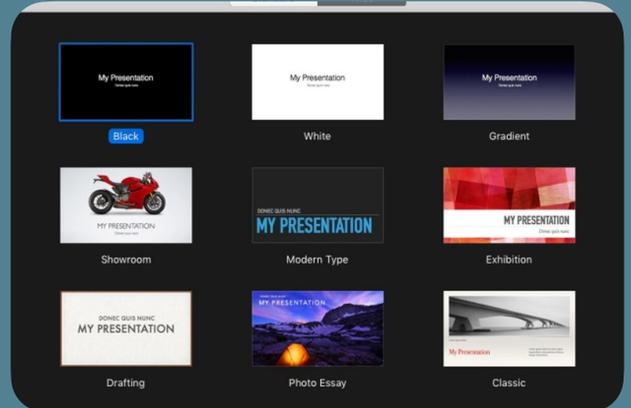


The original but still the best? Powerpoint's days as the presentation king are numbered. The software is available on all platforms but at a big cost. Free and more useable options are definitely worth a look www.microsoft.com/powerpoint

Keynote



Freely available for Mac and iOS devices, Keynote is a fantastic way to put together a fully animated presentation in just a few short steps. Create a multiple slide presentation or play with building in objects with animations creatively, it's your choice. <https://www.apple.com/uk/keynote>



Audacity



An old favourite available for free on Mac and PC. A simple multi-track audio editor and recorder with plenty of advanced options if required. Audacity offers a simple journey into audio production and creation. <https://www.audacityteam.org/>

Garageband



The number one free music creation tool, sadly only accessible on Apple platforms. Garageband offers easy music creation for all ages, using built in sound bytes. Record your own instruments or sounds to add to your tracks or purchase additional content via the App Store <https://www.apple.com/uk/ios/>



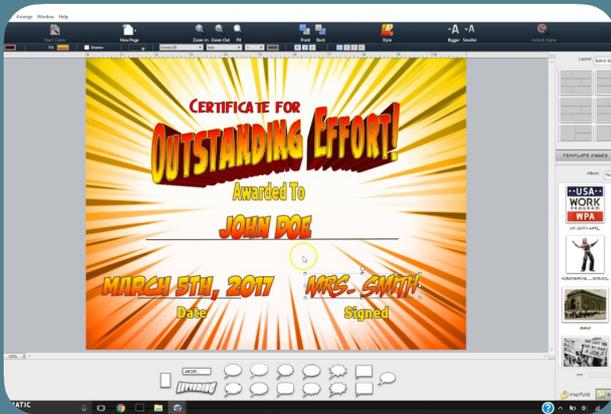
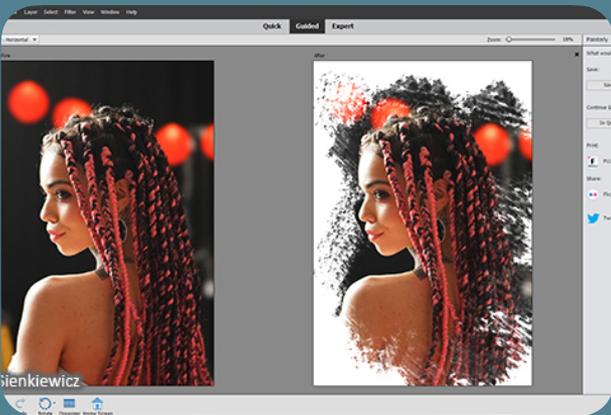


Incredibox  

Without doubt, Incredibox is the best free way currently available to get your young students interested in music creation using loops. The super simple interface gives fantastic results from the options available.
<https://www.incredibox.com/>

Adobe Photoshop Elements  

Photoshop Elements is the cheapest, though not free, route into Adobe's creative system for graphic designers and budding photographers. More simplistic than Adobe's Photoshop, it can be used with great effect in the classroom.
<https://www.adobe.com/uk/creativecloud/photography.html?>

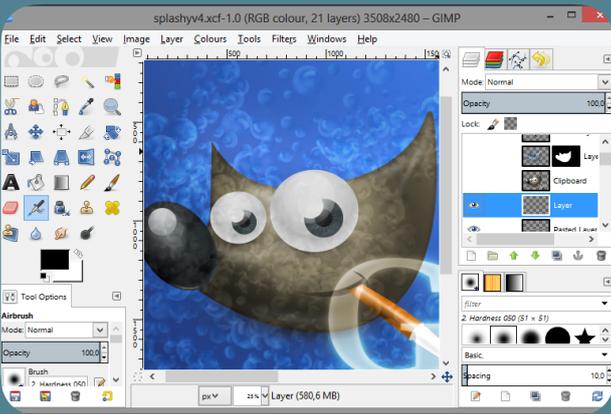


Comic Life  

Comic Life makes yet another appearance in our list. Although not free it is a wonderful way to get students working with graphic design. Posters, Comics, composite images are all easily created with comic life's many tools and options
<http://plasq.com/apps/comiclife/macwin/>

GIMP GNU  

GIMP GNU is a free fully capable graphics package available for Mac and PC. A great free. Alternative to Adobe's Photoshop but does have a steep learning curve to get the most out of it, well worth a try.
<https://www.gimp.org/>



Art Rage



Available across all Computers and mobile devices for a minimal cost, Art Rage gives users full access to an incredible array of artist tools and brushes, allowing the creation of wonderful artwork from students of all ages

<https://www.artrage.com/>

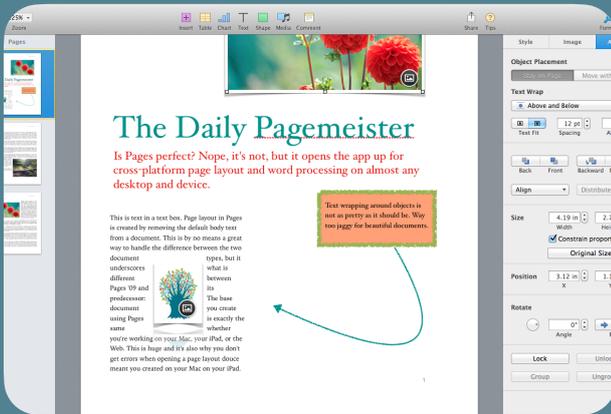


Comic Life



Yet again Comic Life appears on our list of go to Apps. Primarily a more graphic focused piece of software, Comic Life also offers some great word processing options for any literary based school projects.

<https://www.gimp.org/>

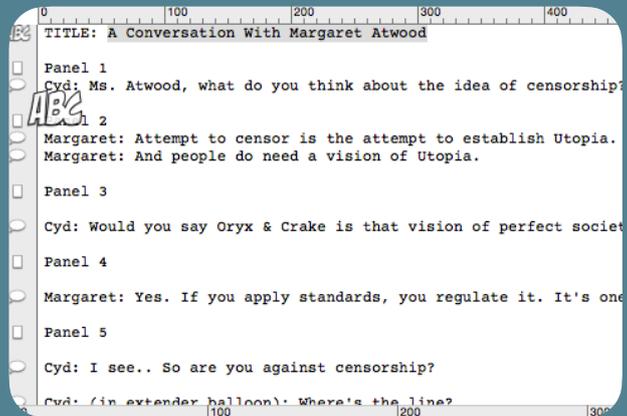


Pages



Free word processor / desktop publisher from Apple and available on desktops and mobile devices (Also online using Apples cloud services. Pages has an easy to use interface that children find a breeze to use. A super free alternative to Microsofts Word.

<https://www.apple.com/uk/pages/>

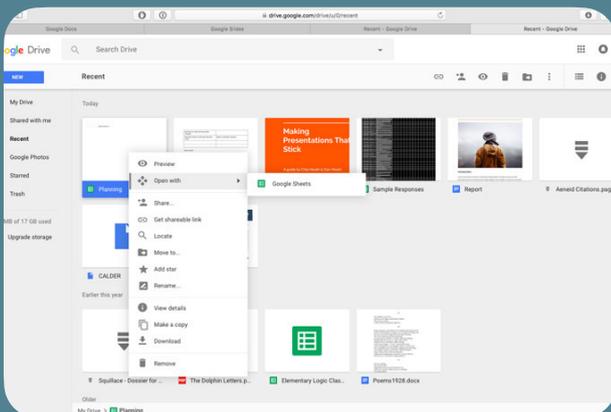


Google Docs



Google's free Docs software can be accessed on any device. Docs is a powerful word processing tool that with a multitude of export types. choices. It also has the added bonus of some great collaboration options for students creating joint projects.

<https://www.gimp.org/>

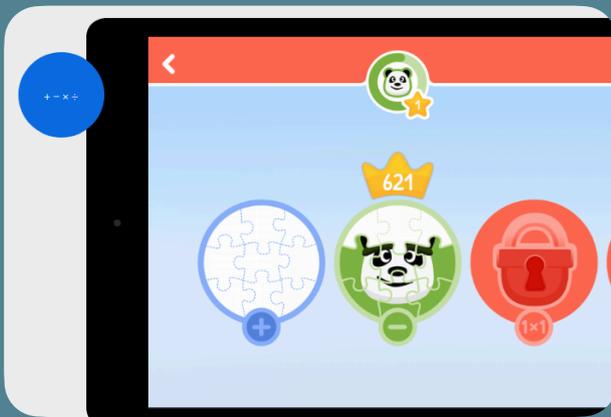


Microsoft Word



The original Word processor for desktop computing, now available on all devices. Extremely powerful with lots of options but comes with a high price tag. The interface isn't the most welcoming for younger students.

<https://www.gimp.org/>



King of Maths



A free and fun way to learn simple addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. King of math developers have created a handwritten input system for this app making it very intuitive for younger students whichever mobile device they use.

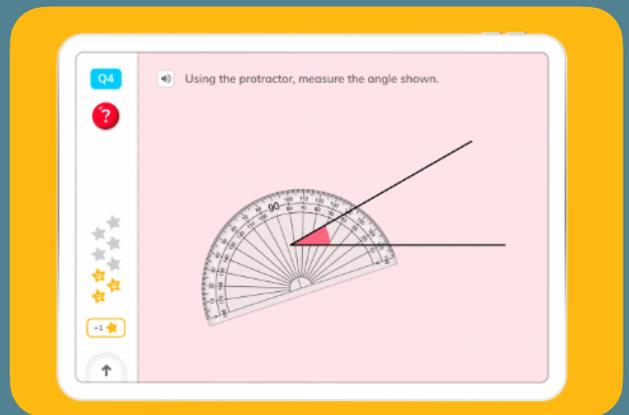
www.wonderkind.de/en/app/king-of-math

Doodle Math



Fully cross platform Doodle Math offers both free and paid options for children aged 4 - 14. No App is required as the content can be accessed through any web browser, however a free account is required for use.

<https://www.doodlemaths.com/>



Monster math



A fun free App for KS1 and KS2 students. Monster math is a fun and creative way to enhance children numeracy knowledge offering a selection of fun stories and challenges to complete

<https://apps.apple.com/gb/app/monster-maths-ks1-kids-fun/id931943412>

What Improper Fraction?

$2\frac{1}{2} = \frac{\quad}{\quad}$

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

0:50

Finish

Komodo Math



Accessible through any web browser, Komodo Math offers a numeracy learning platform that closely follows the national curriculum for KS1 and 2 students. With a subscription starting at £7.50 per Komodo offers individual learning platforms for every student and plenty of teacher support

<https://komodomath.com/d/5>

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Q4 Using the protractor, measure the angle shown.

5 stars

+1 star

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