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*Parallel Provision*

*A Class Community Approach To Blended Learning: Seesaw & Google Classroom  
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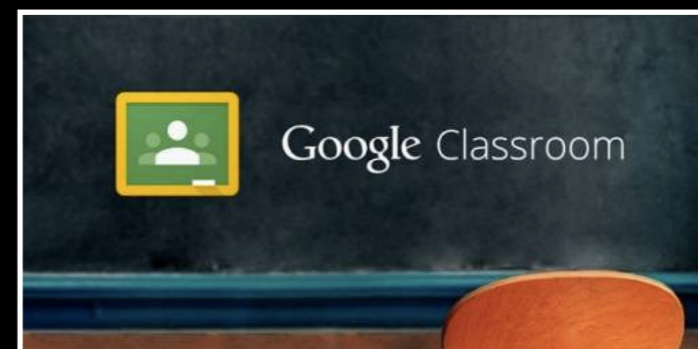
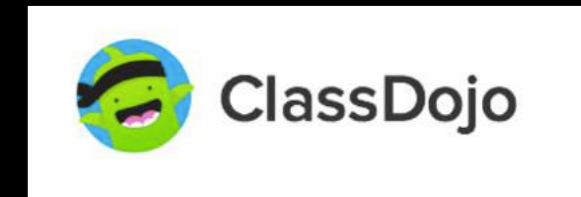


*A Class Community Approach To Blended Learning*



## ***Choose and use from these across your school***

- \* Tapestry: often already embedded in Early Years. Paid-for product with data analysis / tracking.
- \* Class Dojo: hugely popular platform that achieves teacher to parent communication very easily.
- \* Seesaw: primary-friendly interface; easy to post video / audio / tasks; integrated blogging function.
- \* Teams: Microsoft's platform that staff may already be familiar with; integrates with Office. Free.
- \* Google Classroom: Clear and organised interface; product created specifically for education. Free.



## Seesaw

- ✓ Product established for a number of years
- ✓ You may well be able to use the free version for your needs as a school
- ✓ Includes an ever-expanding set of tools for students and teachers to be able to post pics / annotations of documents / voice recordings / videos. Great one-click blogging option.
- ✓ Very easy interface for teachers and for children - particularly suited for years 1 - 3
- ✓ Web access and apps. Direct Google Login option makes it an easily accessible choice for schools who have this path + codes / QR code options.



- You may feel that the paid-for options become a necessary part of use
- For example, free version only allows two staff to be teachers of one class; annotation of PDFs is limited in free version. Then again, that's quite possibly fair enough - you can't have everything for free! If paying as a MAT, may be worth looking at options for multi-school purchasing
- Does not include the direct links into modern productivity software like Teams does with Office; Google Classroom does with G-Suite

1. Go to <https://app.seesaw.me> on a computer. Or install the Seesaw **Class App** on an iOS or Android device.



2. Choose "I'm a Student".



3. Scan this code using Seesaw's built-in QR code scanner. Or type in these letters to access your Seesaw account: **UFTQ OWXD LGME XKDK**





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We hope you have a FABULOUS weekend! Well done for working SO hard this week. We have loved seeing all of your work and the variety that you have sent in.

Have a lovely weekend and we hope you are looking forward to Music Week!

Mrs Martin and Mrs Ali x



We are planning a few more special videos for next week's topic...watch this space.

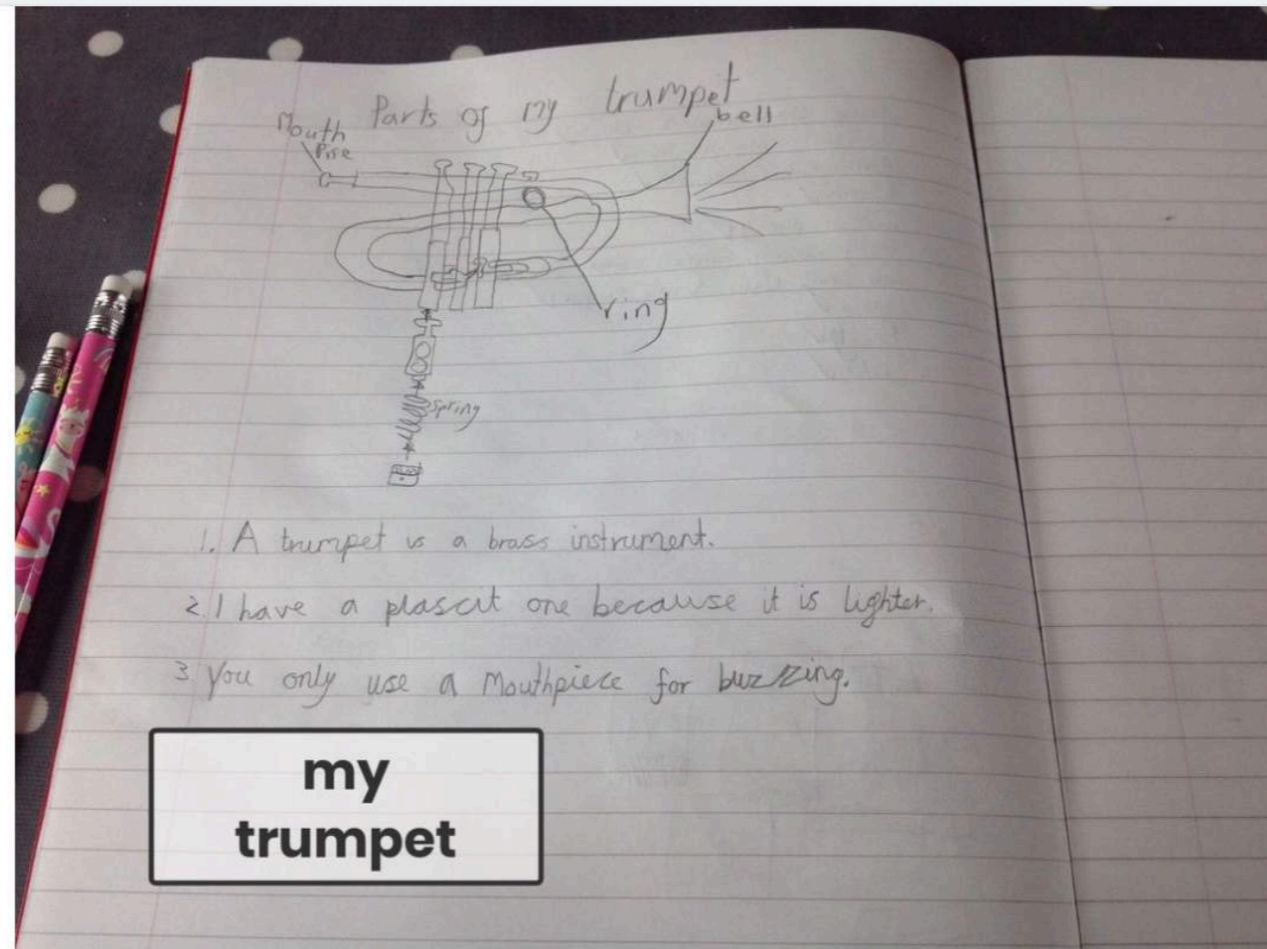
Have a lovely rest of the day and have a restful weekend.

Love from Mrs Martin and Mrs Ali



Enter your comment





Jul 1, 2020

♥ Mrs Martin

💬 Mrs Martin And you are marvellous at playing the trumpet too!!

♥ Liked

💬 Comment





T [redacted]

Recognising notes

1/3

1 Match the note to its value.

2 Dan has two £10 notes and one £5 note.  
Circle the notes that Dan has.

[Profile Picture] Enter your comment [Microphone Icon] [Close Icon]

Jul 1, 2020

♥ Mrs Martin

💬 Mrs Martin Super money work [redacted]! If there are 100 pennies in a pound. How many pennies are in £5?

[redacted] 500 😊

Mrs Martin Yay - top marks!





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Activity Library

Community My Library

1st Grade

rainforests

Activities matching "rainforests" for 1st Grade

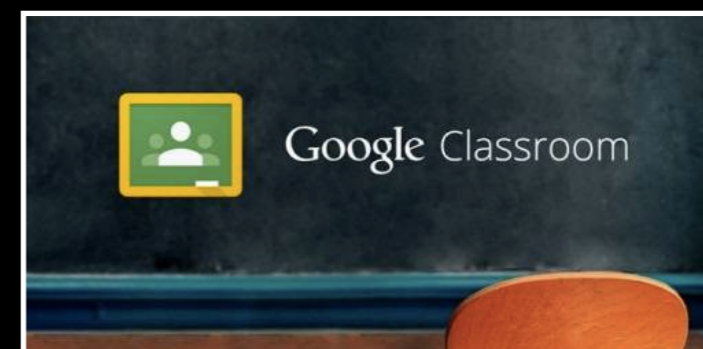
- Rainforest Layers!** by Tracey Williams (1,299 likes)
- Rainforest Habitat** by Meghan Murphy (920 likes)
- Rainforest Biome/Habitat** by Amber Smith (887 likes)
- I see a... Rainforest Animals!** by Tiffany Marzullo (566 likes)
- Animal Habitat: forest and rainforest** by Catherine Newlin (306 likes)
- word HIPPO** by James Myklebust-Hamp... (155 likes)
- Habitat explorers - Rainforest** by James Myklebust-Hamp... (155 likes)
- Reading: What Lives in a Rainforest? by...** by Maricar Bautista-Osorio (461 likes)

Post Student Work

- Photo
- Drawing
- Video
- Upload
- Note
- Link

## ***Google Classroom***

- ✓ Product established and developed specifically for education for a number of years.
- ✓ Clear and rational layout of Classes / Assignments.
- ✓ Integrates with Google's widely used and streamlined G-Suite productivity tools.
- ✓ Tools like Screencastify can post directly.
- ✓ Logical tool for schools that have followed Chromebooks in classroom route
- ✓ Free for education



- Is this type of interface really appropriate for primary age children? Do friendlier and simpler interfaces on Class Dojo or Seesaw fit the age bracket better?
- No ability to film webcam videos directly in the web version - though Screencastify or other tools will do the job fine.

## A suggested Google Classroom Structure

The screenshot shows a Google Classroom interface for a class named 'Gwithian / Year 3/4'. The 'Classwork' tab is selected, displaying a list of assignments. At the top, there are navigation tabs for 'Stream', 'Classwork', 'People', and 'Marks'. A 'Create' button is visible, along with links to 'Google Calendar' and 'Class Drive folder'. The main content area shows a list of assignments under the heading 'Wk bg 15th June Famous and Significant People'. The assignments are as follows:

Assignment Title	Posted Date
Learning by Questions Florence Nightingale...	Posted 17 Jun
Spellings List 27-tasks have also been set o...	Posted 15 Jun
Monday English	Posted 15 Jun
Tuesday English Task	Posted 15 Jun
Wednesday English Task	Posted 15 Jun
Thursday English Task-Acrostic Poem	Posted 15 Jun
Friday English Activity-Ducksters	Posted 15 Jun
Times tables	Posted 15 Jun





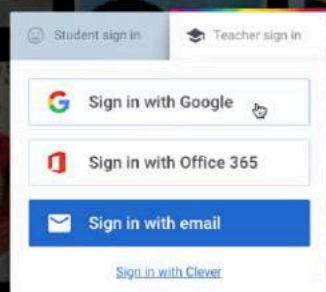
## Screencastify - Screen Video Recorder

Offered by: <https://www.screencastify.com>

★★★★★ 10,674 | Productivity | 8,000,000+ users

Works with Google Drive | Runs offline

The simple way to create and  
share ebooks in your classroom

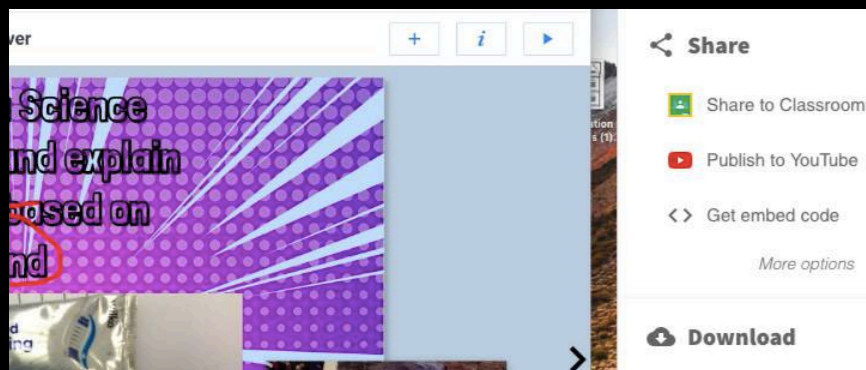


Recording your voice - and possibly your screen - can be a great way to communicate quickly and efficiently.

This is not live video - it is a recording of up to 5 minutes. There are annotation tools as well - this could be you discussing a PowerPoint; presenting a picture; presenting a document. A really useful and fun tool that makes communicating quick and with a human touch.

Click here to find Screencastify, install it and experiment with how it works. Feeling shy? It can be just your voice and that's fine - in fact, in some ways it's more practical.

Clips can be *shared directly into Google Classroom* or just copy the link (top right) to paste anywhere.



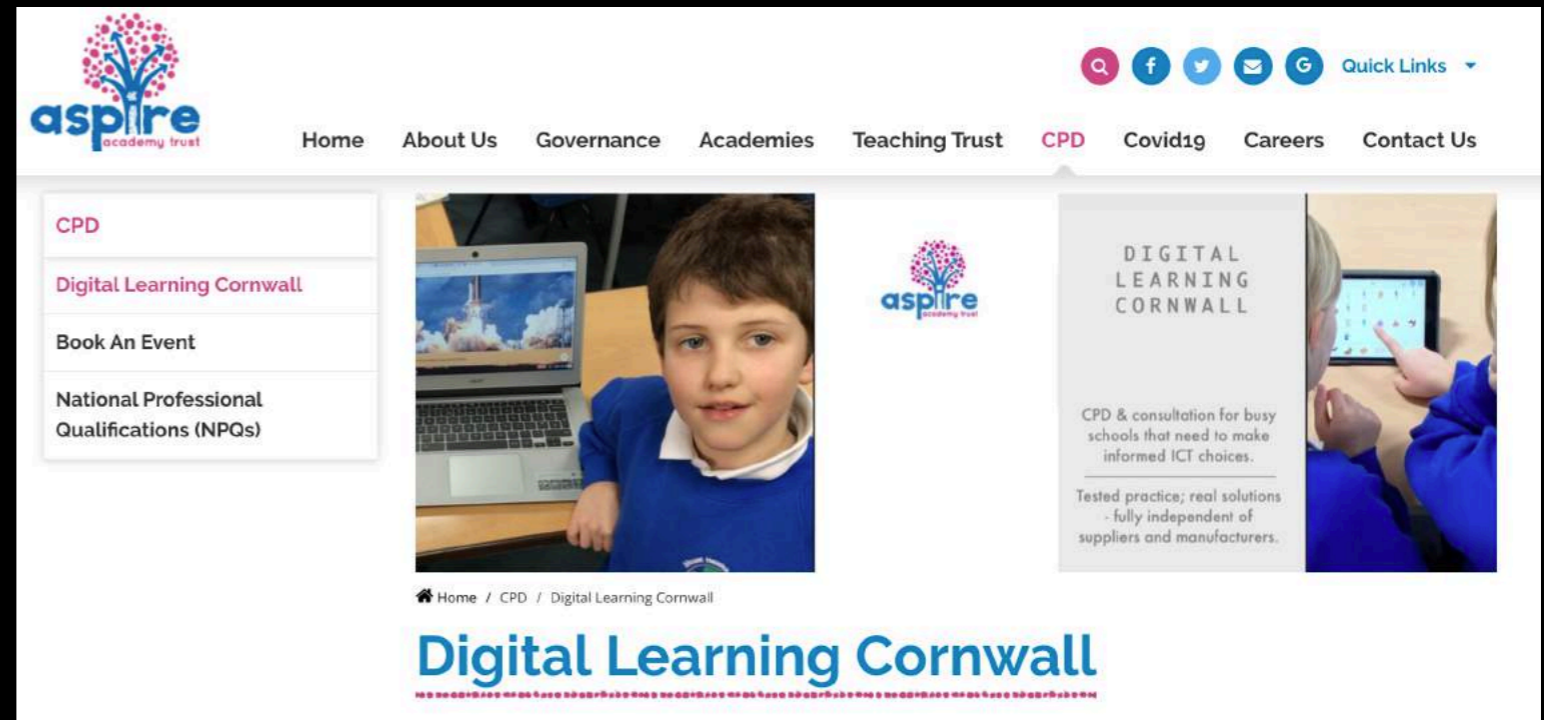
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## Upcoming webinars, all with FREE online access:

- \* *Learning Journals / Tracking for Early Years and beyond with Tapestry*
- \* *EdTech Leadership & Strategy for your School / MAT*
- \* *Explore Seesaw in context of In-Class & Blended Learning*
- \* *EdTech Maths: Explore tools that have genuine impact (for In-Class & Blended Learning)*
- \* *Google Classroom & extra tools for Blended Learning, including use of video*
- \* *Book Creator: Motivate & Engage both In-Class and Remotely*



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