

Title: Padlet

• **Version:**

Initial Padlet Free

• **Publisher or Producer:**

Wallwisher, Inc.

• **Target Audience:**

4+ per publisher... Disagree and think it would be 7+ for the program to be useful but a 4-year-old could play with it.

• **Type(s) of software with your justification:**

This app would be categorized as a tool because that is what it can be used as, a tool for the user to get the desired job done. This is something that the user could use to help blog their opinion or for a teacher to send homework to their students, either way.

• **Curriculum(s):**

Within the classroom, Padlet can be used as a way for teachers to easily share information with students instantly. Without having to Bluetooth anything or hand anything out. Padlet allows teachers to send documents to students while also allowing the teacher to know what students have been on the page, for how long and if they completed the work. Teachers can send vocabulary to students that are due for a test or give them writing prompts for them to answer by the next class. Students can also use Padlet to take class notes with. It can be used with any subject where needed. Teachers can create a quiz for students to answer on while seeing their responses instantly.

• **Cost:**

Basic Membership: Free

In-app purchases:

Jetpack Membership (Pro):

Monthly: \$12.99

Annually: \$99.99

• **Write a paragraph or two describing the software:**

This App is a way for anyone to use a blank page, which is what they call a padlet, to create anything that their heart desires. Videos, pictures and much more can be put within the Padlet. They even have wallpapers that can be used to make your Padlet more appealing. Padlet is flexible to meet individual needs whether it is the need of a student, teacher, mom, etc. This app is great for people to post their blogs that they want other's opinions on or for people to answer FAQ's on a certain subject.

The app is free to use but there are a few restrictions. The free version only gives you three "Padlets" to work with. The backgrounds that are offered are of an abundance

but still limited. Padlet is available on iPhones as well and is tailored for use on small devices that are easy to use. With the free version, video and pictures are limited to the size of uploads allowed but is still functional.

- **Write a paragraph or two on your impressions of the software and possibly how you see the software being used in your class:**

We can see the good of this app, Padlet is really helpful and we think that it can be used as a virtual post-it note board. For it being a small group of people who have been working on it, we think that they have really shown their dedication. The app was very easy to use and easy and simple to personalize with the wallpapers available. We can see the bad of this app, Padlet can be a lot to handle and it takes time to create the padlet that people need. The free version is really restricting as well. When we tried to make a padlet, the app didn't allow us to name it ourselves, or we just didn't figure out how.

- **Does the software pass APPS:**

We think that overall, this app passed as an application because it is very useful and fulfills its purpose as helping people meet their individual needs.