# Padlet

*VERSION: 82.0*

*PUBLISHER: Wallwisher, Inc*

*Target Audience:*

Middle School

*Curriculum:*

This is for students creating assignments after a lesson and not learning. It is a reinforcement for what they have done.

Student can use this to create book reports, to make lists, to make KWL charts, to be used as an exit slip, to create a portfolio, to create a literary analysis, and even to write poetry. It might be good for notetaking in the classroom if students were creating a list-type format of Padlet.

*COST: FREE for basic*

You can have a Basic version for free which gives you three padlets and 10MB of files, it has ads, and it ha standard support.

The PRO version is $8.33 a month and gives you unlimited padlets, 250MB of files, no ads, priority support, and folders to keep your creations in.

*Software Description:*

Padlet is a software that allows students to create projects for a class that can be individual and collaborated upon. It allows students to upload files, to link files, to search for things, to film something, to take a picture, to record, to draw pictures, to create a map, and 'more'. This software is an 'empty page' that allows students to begin a project and add anything they like to it. Each new project is called a 'Padlet'. They can choose custom wallpapers and themes to make it look prettier.

You can 'Make a padlet', 'Join a padlet', and view their 'Gallery'.

It has your most recent creations, your made creations, your shared creations, and your liked creations.

It has 'Padlet Support' that can help people with the program, as well as 'Padlet Blog' where users can connect to one another.

*Impressions:*

It is not easy to use. It has no instructions for it at all and it is very slow. It does not load fast. It is very blank and has a lot of white space. We were easily frustrated by this app and would not recommend it. It takes a while to learn it and does not seem to get easier. It is fairly easier to navigate but once you got to where you were going it was *slow* and hard to create a new padlet. The full version may be better but

we did not pay for that. For the basic version, it seems like it is not very easy to work and would not let students use it often once they are able to figure out how to work it.

It is not intuitive.

It often freezes and it does not load fast or even let you know if it is loading at all. It makes no noises and the pages jump from one another and it has no real 'control'. It does not work well with touch-screen which makes it a bad app.

*Does it pass:*

No.