

Evaluation

Title: GoNoodle

Version: 3.3.0

Publisher/Producer: GoNoodle, Inc.

Target Audience: 4+, Made for Ages 6-8

Type of software: Discovery Learning or drill and practice

Justification: I went ahead and did both discovery learning and drill and practice because you can search through and find videos you want to do and then some videos are specifically educational review (for example clap it out reviews syllables).

How does it fit into curriculum: You can find just for fun videos for brain breaks and indoor recess. You can also select videos that work as an engaging and dynamic way of reviewing lesson components.

Possible environment and why: I would use it as a teacher tool that I would search out videos for the class to do as a whole via my smartboard.

Cost: Free

Software description: GoNoodle app goes to a home screen where there are tons and tons of videos. From the home screen you can choose from some of their featured videos, some categories are listed, or by the type of video you want to find (relax, delicious, sporty, and such). There are also featured in school ones and featured channels. The other option you have is to search GoNoodle for what you want. For example, search “adjectives” and videos that have something to do with that will pop up. Other than that there is not much to it.

Software impression: GoNoodle has a bunch of fun, engaging and dynamic videos on a variety of topics that are primarily focused on getting kids up and moving. Great for incorporating some gross movement into lessons. I would primarily use these videos as a brain break or for indoor recess however, there are some good educational ones as well. They have some Spanish videos too which was a nice feature. The app is very simple to use. It would be nice to be able to build your own playlist/library.