On-Line Tools

Name of Tool: Kahoot

URL: <u>https://kahoot.com/</u>

Description: Kahoot is an online resource that would be great to incorporate into the classroom. It is very easy for a teacher create an example and also easy for a child to navigate. It allows teachers to have the option to make a survey, questionnaire, and even a quiz! Kahoot can be used in a fun competitive manner to review content. Besides this, it is convenient for a teacher because it provides immediate results. Overall, this app has wonderful enhancements with its bright colors, fun sounds, competitive manner!

How I would use it: I would use Kahoot to review a lesson. The best part is the creator gets to make it from scratch which allows the teacher to choose a subject and the questions. It then is put into a game like-form so students are engaged and having fun. The timer and instant results would allow me to see which students understand the lesson and what specific question stumped students. Overall, I think this would create a fun environment and have students eager to participate to earn the most points and win!

Name of Tool: GoNoodle

URL: https://www.gonoodle.com/

Description: Go Noodle is a great tool that I want to incorporate into my classroom. By utilizing GoNoodle, it improves student's behavior and attention, betters their academic performance, and strengthens classroom cohesion. This resource allows students to get up out of their seat and participate in fun movements during the day. It can also be used to relate to core subjects and topics or added in the schedule to be a part of a class' daily routine. One of the great things is

that this can be used both at school and at home! GoNoodle is bound to get students excited and let out some pent-up energy.

How I would use it: I would use GoNoodle every morning. By adding this tool in every morning, it helps students wake up, get excited, and creates a routine for our class. I also plan to use GoNoodle as a brain break during the school day. Since I am teaching elementary students, I think it is important to provide them with multiple opportunities throughout the day to be active and a chance to clear their head after academic work. The short break allows students to retain information better, focus, and helps them sit still during the next lesson.

Name of Tool: Survey Monkey

URL: https://www.surveymonkey.com/

Description: Survey monkey allows teachers to create a survey and then share it with anyone. Survey monkey is easy to understand allows someone to create their own survey and customize the number of questions and the specific question itself.

How I would use it: I think this would be a great tool to use in the classroom because it allows students to be involved without using a traditional pen and paper. I would use this as a review assessment. I would also use this tool in the beginning of the school year to get information from parents. This would make it easy for them to complete at any convenience and helps eliminate sending/collecting papers from students. It would be very convenient to have all responses uploaded on my account and easy to find at any given time.