

- 1) Grade level
 - a. Third
- 2) Curriculum topic
 - a. The curriculum topic that will be addressed is social studies in terms of the different climates around the world.
- 3) Tools
 - a. The tools that will be incorporated into this mini-lesson include PowerPoint and Thinglink.
- 4) Synopsis of what I am doing/how I am using the tools
 - a. PowerPoint will be used to create an EBook with all of the climates included in the book. I will create an example book and then students will create their own after they have seen what mine looks like. Each page of the book will have a picture that represents each climate as well as fun facts about the climate. Students can find any picture they would like as well as research facts about the climate that they want to include in their book. They will finalize their book and I will print them out and make them look like they have been published. Thinglink will also be used so that students can visualize each climate because not every student will have experienced each one. I know I have never experienced the harsh cold climates, so it will be a learning experience for me as well. The Thinglink tool allows the user to have an interactive experience with images as well as a 360-degree view of the photo. Students can use this tool to enhance their photos that they choose to include in their PowerPoint EBook.
- 5) How students are doing it
 - a. The students will be doing it individually because I want to see what each of their views are for each climate. There are hundreds of photos for each climate, so students finding their own photo of each climate will not be a problem. They can also each use Thinglink individually because it is not something that would be limited to only one student being able to use it at a time. After they have completed their book, then I will print it out and they can read it to the class.