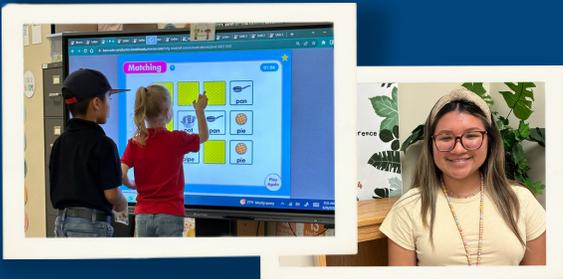




NEWSLETTER

October 2023

TEACHER SPOTLIGHT



Ms. Diaz, a new Kindergarten teacher at Sam Houston Elementary, enjoys using her panel as a station in her classroom. She has the students use interactive websites to work on the topic of the week during Math and Reading.



ORIGINALITY REPORTS

You and your students can use Originality Reports in Google Classroom to check work for authenticity. When you run a report, it compares a student's Docs, Slides, and MS Word files against webpages and books on the internet, and previous student submissions. This can help students catch problems before they submit their work, and allow you to easily check student writing while grading.

Videos: [Set-up](#) / [Generate Report](#)



UPCOMING PD EVENTS

- 10/28 [TCCA](#) @ Davis High School. Join the largest free ed-tech conference in Texas and pick up some tricks and treats for your classroom.
- 11/7 District Staff Development - Look for Canva, new Google tools, Sphero Bolt and Indi among other amazing technology sessions.



GOOGLE CLASSROOM YOUTUBE W/QUESTIONS

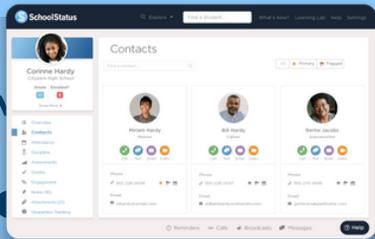
Add interactive questions to YouTube videos through Google Classroom. You can add multiple choice, checkboxes, or open-ended questions at different points in the video. For a video tutorial, click [here](#).



PANEL TIPS

Snowflake Zones allow you to split your panel into several, independently functioning areas. This option supports a wide variety of objectives. You may select different apps for each zone, multiple copies of the same app in every zone, or your presentation in one plus an interactive area.

See this [guide](#) to learn more about zones or watch a video tutorial in the [Clear Touch Experience](#).



SCHOOLSTATUS BROADCAST

Broadcast Messaging allows a user to send out a single text message or email to multiple parents at once. Responses come back as private 1:1 conversations, so other parents will not see those conversations. Click "Learn More" above or go to the [Learning Lab](#) for a quick course.

PRINTING FROM A CHROMEBOOK

Please refer to the following [click sheet](#) for directions to print documents from a Chromebook.



TECHNOLOGY INTEGRATION PROJECTS

Required throughout the year. See your DLAC for more information or help.

[Technology Integration Plan](#)
[Technology Project Checklists](#)

TRAINING RESOURCES

[Technology Training Resources](#)
[School Status - Learning Lab](#)
[Galena Park ISD Learns - Youtube](#)



CANVA TIP

Easily edit any PDF in Canva with just a few simple clicks. Learn more by watching this [video](#).



CONTESTS

- Multimedia Medal Contest
 - Due to campus Dec. 4, 2023
 - Requirements - [flyer](#)
- Multimedia Contest
 - Part 1 due Feb. 12, 2024
 - All the details - [flyer](#)
- Classlink Digital Art Contest
 - Due to campus May 10, 2024
 - Requirements - [flyer](#)

TASK REMINDERS

ATTENTION

- Oct. 10
 - [TEA ID number submission](#)
- Oct. 10-13
 - Register for Nov. 7th Staff Development Sessions
- October 30
 - [Complete online compliance trainings](#)