

Title of Session: K to 3+ Resources

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SusanR joined the room.

SusanR: Hi Dolores

DoloresG: Hi, Susan

SusanR: Are you doing anything interesting in terms of tech that you wish to share

BjB: tell Sue about the Wordles, Dolores

DoloresG: I was just telling BJ about the success of the Wordles

DoloresG: I have the 8th grade using gaggle to upload and transfer files - this is all new to them

SusanR: aha Wordles ..many uses in education ..wonderful app

DoloresG: trying to use tikitok with the 6th grade

SusanR: wow

DoloresG: I love what I do - if I didn't have to make a living I would just do it

DoloresG: imagine I get paid to do what I love

SusanR: super

SusanR: have you used classtools.net ?

DoloresG: no, I have never heard of it

SusanR: Classtools.net allows you to create free educational games, activities and diagrams in a Flash!

DoloresG: oh, wow, that sounds good

SusanR: has been selected as the top tool in past years

DoloresG: is it free

SusanR: yep

SusanR: Classtools.net provides free, customisable flash templates to embed into blogs, wikis and websites. There is no signup, no passwords, no charges

SusanR: and there are new additions to the site

DoloresG: I will investigate that tomorrow

DoloresG: Or are we going there tonight

SusanR: investigate and return with your comments

SusanR: <http://classtools.net/>

SusanR: here is an example on economic growth

SusanR: http://classtools.net/widgets/dustbin_1/7Aqod.htm

SusanR: for use with students

BjB: Sue, please explain what a widget is

SusanR: yes a widget is ..

DoloresG: I am back< I looked

SusanR: a software system for running applets on the web, desktop or mobile phone

SusanR: This will explain

SusanR: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Web_widget

SusanR: what a widget is

DoloresG: yes, I understand now

SusanR: back to classtools

SusanR: I used the timer with a grade 3 class this week

SusanR: the timer is from classtools

SusanR: <http://classtools.net/education-games-php/timer/>

SusanR: check it out

DoloresG: pretty neat!

SusanR: and create games with this or consolidate info
http://classtools.net/widgets/quiz_5/BgGCy.htm

SusanR: anyone wish to skype?

SusanR: testing

DoloresG: I have used skype to do an interview

SusanR: what is your skype name?

DoloresG: I can't use the video part because I have things - too many things connected to my computer, but my name is guitard2

SusanR: anyways do play with classtools

SusanR: <http://twitter.com/russeltarr>

SusanR: <http://twitter.com/sroseman/>

BjB follows Russ and Sue

SusanR: we are on skype

BjB: cool

SusanR: come on over

SusanR: tedandsue

SusanR: ok

SusanR: <http://twitter.com/tappedinorg>

SusanR: <http://larryferlazzo.com/>

SusanR: <http://larryferlazzo.edublogs.org/>

SusanR: thanks again

SusanR: for coming

DoloresG: thank you, Susan, for all the information

BjB: The next K-3 session will be on January 26

SusanR: super

DoloresG: I will say bye for now! I will be back.

BjB waves goodnight

SusanR: we should marry TI with skype

BjB: thanks, Sue