

Formative Assessment Tools

<i>Online Platform</i>	<i>Functions</i>
Padlet	Acts as digital KWL that can be used to gather student feedback.
Socrative	Develop quizzes, exit tickets, use before or after instruction and organizes data for teacher analysis.
Backchannelchat.com	Pause during a lesson or reading of a text and ask everyone to comment or respond to a question or prompt.
Nearpod.com	Push content out to student devices, one screen at a time, and allow them to interact digitally through multiple-choice questions, open-ended response, annotating text online, drawing on a blank canvas, exploring a virtual 3D image, etc. Provides a way for teachers to facilitate a lesson and get immediate real-time feedback as to what your students are thinking.
EdPuzzle	Use any video from a myriad of online sources and insert pause points where students must gather thoughts, answer a question, make a prediction, etc., before they can continue the video. Completely customize a student-directed video lesson and gather feedback via student responses in real time.
Explaineverything.com	Watch your students' thinking. Explain Everything is an interactive whiteboard that asks students to explain their thinking through a problem or through a prompt. Focus on quality over quantity.
Flipgrid	Use any iOS device to create a video response to a question or prompt. Because you can't have a high-quality conversation with every student every day, this allows you to see what they know via explanation.
Kahoot	Use gaming to review! This assessment platform is game based but allows teachers to create content and disaggregate data.
Go Formative	Upload documents, create your own questions, embed videos or pictures and receive immediate data on student performance.