

The Educator's Guide to

wakelet



A welcome from Wakelet



Hi everyone!

At Wakelet, humans are at the heart of everything we do. Without humans, technology has no meaning, search results have no context, and the content that matters most gets lost.

And it's humans like you, the people inspiring the next generation, that inspire us to keep building and refining the platform so that it's the best it can possibly be.

We love seeing the way that educators have embraced Wakelet. Whether you're using it in the classroom with your students, to connect with parents or to progress your personal development, educators like you are always coming up with creative and innovative ways to use Wakelet. You bring the human touch.

This eBook for Educators is just one example of the creativity, ingenuity and passion of our users and we're so grateful to John, Sean, Karly, Jennifer, Randall, Scott, Paul and Claudio for all their hard work creating it.

If you have any questions or would like a one-to-one introduction to the platform, don't hesitate to get in touch via Twitter [@Wakelet](https://twitter.com/Wakelet) or email at support@wakelet.com



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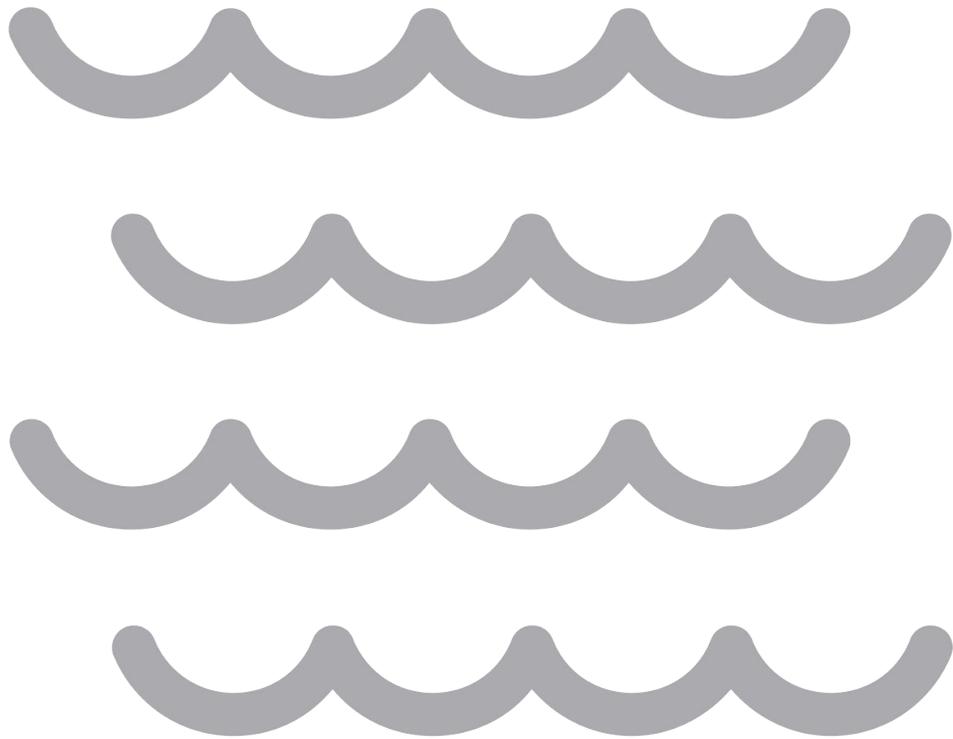
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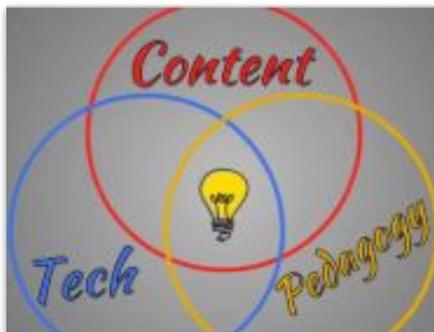
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Wading In (Getting Started)



What is **wakelet** ?

Wakelet is a free platform that allows you to curate and organize content to save and share. You can save videos, articles, images, Tweets, links or even add your own text. Save this content in your bookmarks, or organize related items into a collection.



Explore lots of examples of collections created by the Wakelet community.

wakelet.com/explore

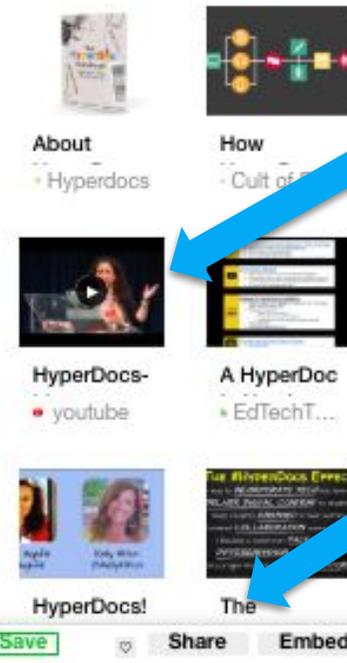


Created by
Sean Fahey
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All About #HyperDocs

17 items

A Hyper-what? A collection of some of my favorite HyperDoc blog posts to help other educators learn more about this method of creating and packaging digital lessons.



Create a Collection

Organize your saved items into stunning collections. Add your own images, text and reorder however you like.

Save content from the web

Save articles, videos, images, Tweets, and pretty much any link you find online. Items that you save are private and can be edited at any time.

Share with the world

Keep your collections private or share them with the world. You can also embed collections on any blog or website.



Creating an Account

wakelet

Enter Code

Login

Sign Up

Welcome to Wakelet!
We are excited for
you to be here!
#TheHumansAreComing

Create your account

Start by going to
<https://wakelet.com>
Click Sign Up.

Choose if you want to continue
with an account you have
established with Google,
Facebook or Office 365.

OR

Just use your email address
and create a password.

Welcome to Wakelet

 Continue with Google

 Continue with Facebook

 Continue with Office 365

OR

E-mail address

Password

By checking this box you agree to Wakelet's
Terms, Privacy and Rules.

Sign Up

Be responsible.

Read the Rules and Terms of Service.

Check the box to agree and click sign up!



wakelet.com/rules/html

By checking this box you agree to Wakelet's
Terms, Privacy and Rules.

Sign Up



Setting Up Your Profile

Take the time to customize your public profile!
Your public collections will be displayed on your profile.

Start by clicking: **Edit Profile**

Change your profile image.
Upload a picture or a saved avatar you have created.

Change the header image.
You can upload your own image or choose one from the library. **Click Apply.**

Edit your name and Wakelet handle.

Hint! Make this handle consistent with other social media platforms, such as Twitter.

Edit your Bio.

Be creative! Share what your role is in education. Share your story. Share your interests.

Add links to websites and social media.

Complete your profile by clicking: **Save**

Your Links
Add links to websites and your social profiles here

- https://twitter.com/wakeletwave1
- blogspot.com/wavemaker|
-
-

Cancel Save

The screenshot shows the profile editing interface. At the top, there's a dark blue header with a camera icon and the text "Change header image". Below this is a circular profile picture placeholder with a camera icon and the text "Change profile image". Underneath are three text input fields: "wavemaker" with a pencil icon, "@ wavemaker010819zyx" with a pencil icon, and "Bio" with a pencil icon. To the right, a preview of the profile is shown with a header image of a surfer, the name "wavemaker", the handle "@wakeletwave1", and the bio "Making waves here and there since 2018." with the hashtag "#wakletwave". A green "Save" button is visible at the bottom of the preview area.



The **wakelet** Home Page

Let's take a look at your Wakelet Home Page. This is where you'll land every time you login to Wakelet.

Bookmarks are all the items you've ever saved to Wakelet. Here you can search, edit, delete, or save a bookmark to a collection.

As you are working in Wakelet, you can always easily get back to your home page or view your public profile.

Here you can see all the collections you've made. Sort them by when they were created, last updated, or from A to Z.

Sean Fahey
@SeanJFahey
Following 79 Followers
View Public Profile >

Collections	21
Bookmarks	445
Group collections	5

Create a new collection

DitchBook Chat
2/21/19
240 items

Spring Coach Edcamp
4 items

Content
Tech
Pedagogy

Group Collections

Home Profile

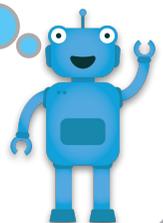
Sort by: Updated

Public, Unlisted, & Private

Group Collections is the section that displays the collections you've been added to as a *contributor only*. You will first have to accept the invite to being a contributor. This could be done via an email confirmation or by adding the collaboration code. See page 12 for more information on the Wakelet Collaborations features.

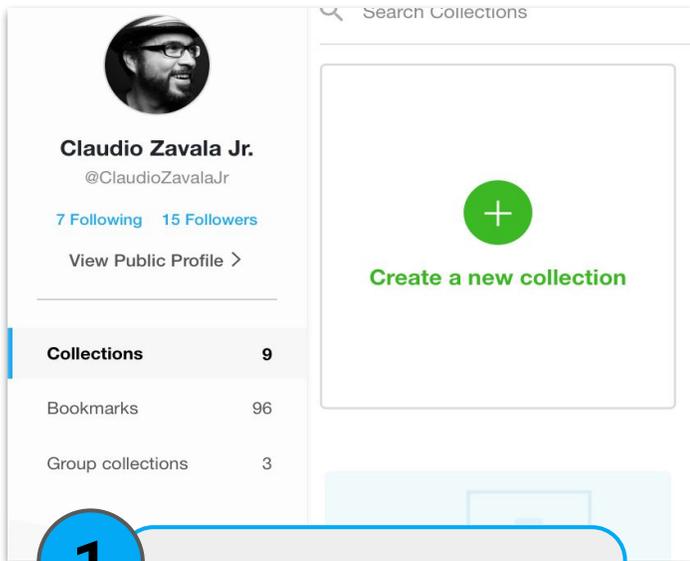
On the side bar Be sure to checkout your followers and who you are following also.

At the top you'll see a bell where you'll get notifications. Also click on explore to view other public collections.



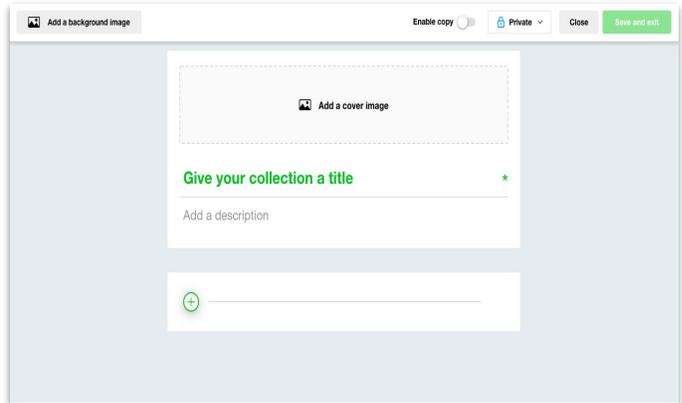
Creating a Collection

You can create a Wakelet Collection in five easy steps!



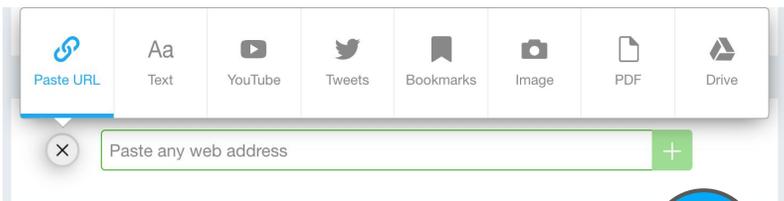
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From your Home page, click on **Create a new collection**



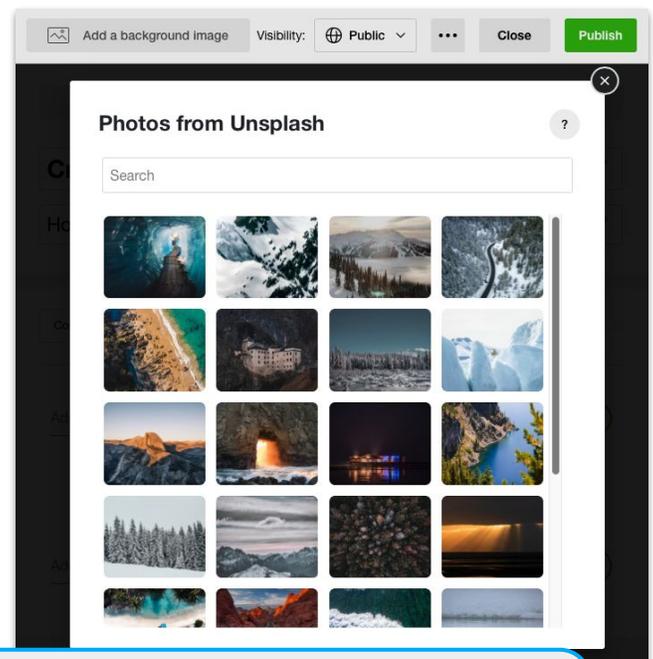
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Give your collection a title and description. Add a cover image and background image.



3

Add resources to your Wakelet collection. Click on each icon to add a link, a tweet, a YouTube video, an image, bookmarks, PDFs, from your Google drive or type your own text. You can add more links by clicking on the green plus sign.



Click on **Add a background image** to add an image. Choose from your own or from [Unsplash.com](https://unsplash.com) library.



Creating a Collection

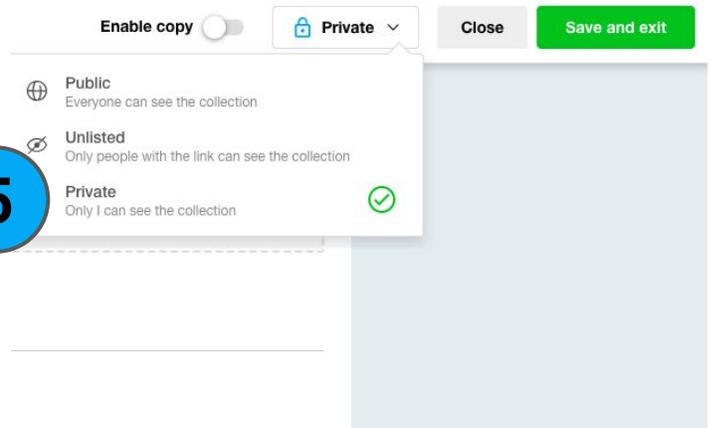


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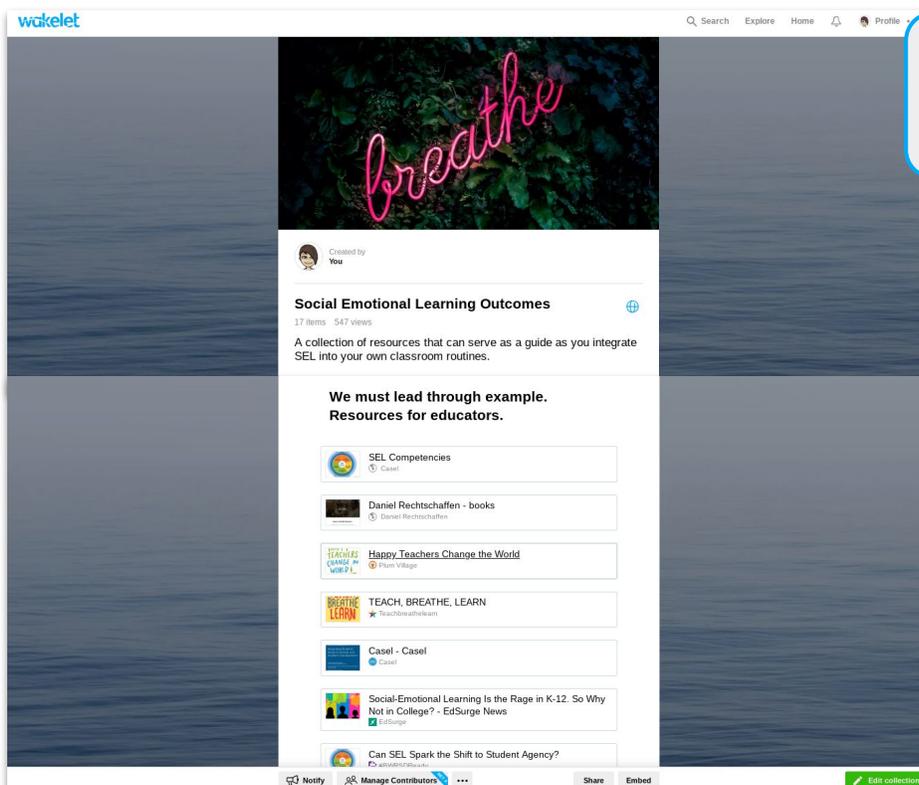
Click on **Media View** to change look of your Wakelet collection. (Media View, Compact View or Grid View)

Select the viewing access of your new Collections. Choose Public, Unlisted or Private for visibility. Then click Save and Exit to make your collection live.

5



Click on **Save and Exit** and you have a **collection!**



Rockstar Example Collections:
Brandi Reams has created and shared tons of collections including resources to use in the classroom and for PD.

Brandi is a kindergarten teacher and Wakelet Ambassador. Be sure to follow her on Wakelet.



wakelet.com/@BrandiReams



Public Collections on your Profile

When you publish a public collection it will be visible on your profile page. You then can organize your collections into different categories.

Start by clicking:



Next click:

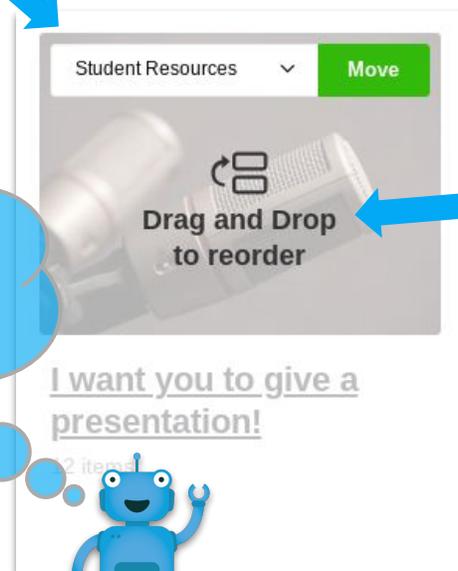


Scroll down to see collections that you have made public. They will be "uncategorised" to begin with.

Add a "category" section!
Think about this as folder labels.



Then hover over each collection to select the category it belongs in.



You can also drag & drop collections to reorder within a label.

Reorder categories on your public profile to make most relevant resources available to others based on "current unit" or "PD session presentation."

End by scrolling back to the top and clicking:



wakelet Sharing Options

There are several different ways you can share your Wakelet collections with the world using the bottom menu.

Share Button

- Share via Social media tools
- Share by QR Code
- Share by shortened link

Embed Button

The embed button allows you to embed a collection on your website or blog. Customize the look and feel to match your site!

Embed this collection

Choose your layout



Customise options

- Cover Image
- Collection Title
- Collection Description
- Border

Set Fixed Height

px

Minimum fixed height 250px

Choose theme

Light/Dark Mode

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```

Copy Embed Code

Share Collection



<https://wke.lt/w/s/w1PvZa>

Copy

Google Classroom

Allows you to add your collection to:

- Assignment
- Announcement
- Question



Manage Contributors BETA

Share



Edit Collection

Notify Button

Let others know you included their tweet in your collection. A link to your collection is also shared.

</> Embed

PDF Export

Notify

Change Visibility

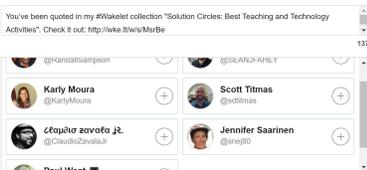
Delete Collection

The ... Menu

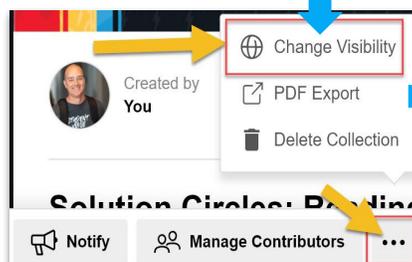
Don't forget to set your visibility settings to public or unlisted in order to share

Notify on Twitter

Help your collection reach more people!
Let authors know that you've quoted them



Cancel Notify



Change Visibility

Public

Everyone can see this

Unlisted

Only people with the link can see this

Private

Only I can see this

Cancel Save

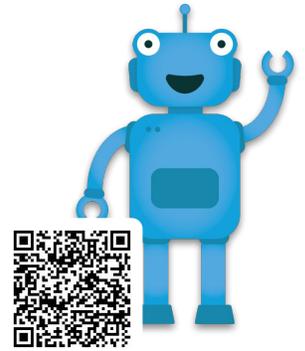


Hangin' Ten (Leveling Up)



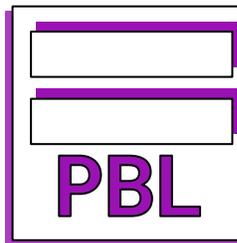
wakelet in the Classroom

Here are just a few ways to bring curation into each class regardless of content. Check out the full blog post from Paul West (bit.ly/2CU3cIf). Each included link will take you to an example collection, or click on the icon next to each one.



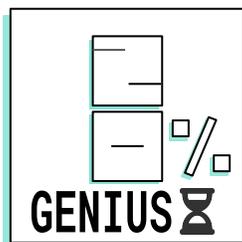
Document continuous progress by saving numerous links to a Wakelet collection.

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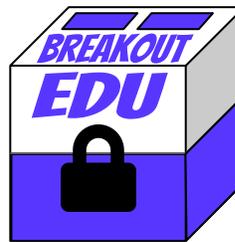
Gather research and resources into a Wakelet for Project Based Learning.

wke.lt/w/s/DA9T5



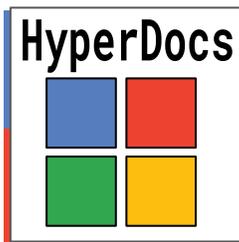
House all of the research and created artifacts for a Genius Hour project.

wke.lt/w/s/Yj0vq



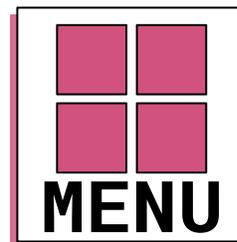
Collect digital Breakout EDU games or use Wakelet to create your own.

wke.lt/w/s/Ulbch



Create a multimedia text set for a HyperDoc using Wakelet.

wke.lt/w/s/8RHhA



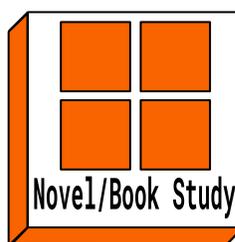
Curate a Wakelet of activities for a Personalized Learning Menu.

wke.lt/w/s/8y9Tq



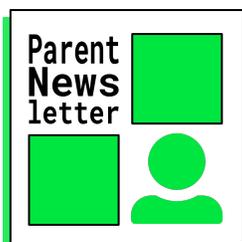
Organize a Wakelet of Google Earth tours for students to choose from around a theme.

wke.lt/w/s/lxqt1



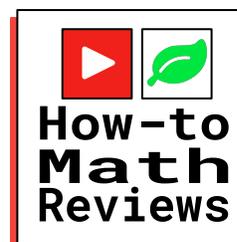
Package a variety of activities for a novel/book study into a single Wakelet.

wke.lt/w/s/Rx3NB



Highlight the most important activities and resources from class for parents.

wke.lt/w/s/LCSYs



Rank order tutorial videos with reasoning to support and then make your own.

wke.lt/w/s/rxVWO



Collaborating with

The process to begin collaborating on a collection starts by clicking the Manage Contributors button which appears on any of the collections that you own after clicking save.

Manage Contributors ^{BETA} Share Copy ||| ... Edit Collection



Via name or email

Via shareable link or code

Under the via name or email option you can invite via email, or add friends who you follow on Wakelet.

Under the Via shareable link or code option you have a shareable link, qr code, or text code.

Type name or email

People you follow

 Wakelet Ambassadors @WakeletAmbassadors Add

<https://wakelet.com/i/invite?code=10a5> Copy Link

 10a5 Copy Code

Manage Contributors >

View and remove contributors using the manage contributors tab.

Contributors

 Anonymous Gecko @ Contributor Remove



Read more about collaborating with Wakelet in this blog post by Amy Roedinger.

<http://bit.ly/wavecollab>



Collaborating with **wakelet**

You don't need an account to contribute to a collection! Here's how to join a collaborative collection with or without a Wakelet account.

Got a code? Here is how to contribute to a collection without a Wakelet account.

Go to www.wakelet.com and at the top select "Enter Code".



Enter contributor code

Cancel Join

Enter your contributor code, Select Join

Enter your name, select Add

Add your name

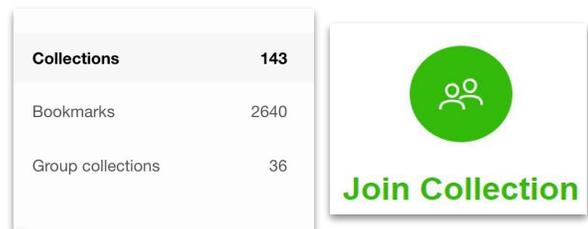
Let other contributors know who you are by adding your name below

Add

You are now ready to add resources to the collection.

Already have an account? Here is how you can join a collection.

Login to your account and select Group collections from the left menu.



Select Join Collection

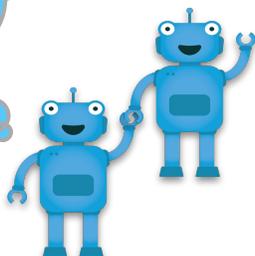
Enter contributor code and select Join

Enter contributor code

Cancel Join

You may also join a collection via a link someone has shared with you through email or other methods. Click on the link and follow the prompts to join.

Collection contributors can only add items, edit or delete items they added, and reorder the collection.



Need to generate a new link or code?

Under the manage contributors tab, select Invite Contributors, click the Via shareable link or code option.

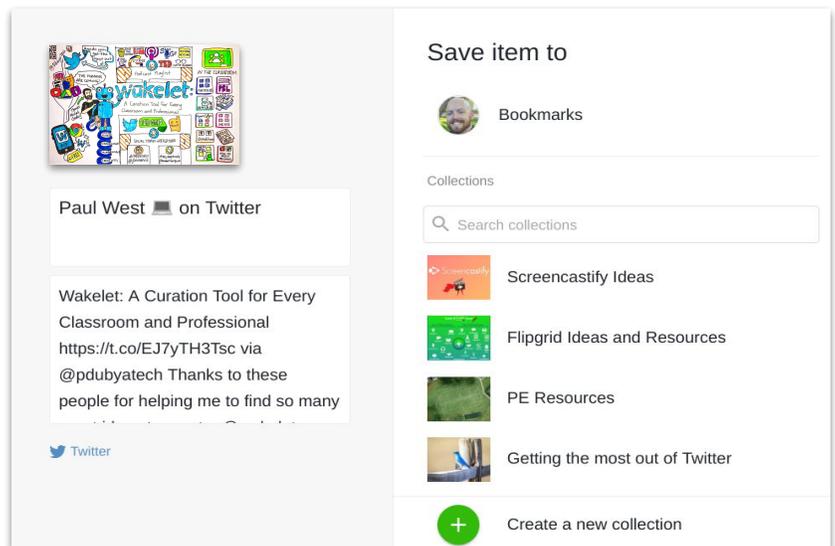
Use the Generate a new link or code option. This will create a new code and render the old code unuseable

[Generate a new link and code](#)

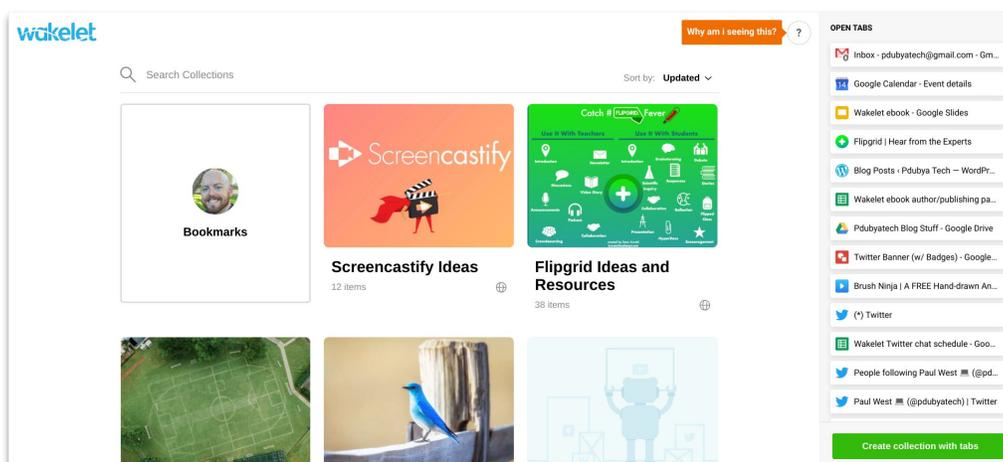


wakelet Chrome Extension

On any web page, simply click on the **W** from your extension bar to save it as a Wakelet bookmark. A menu will pop up with options of where to save this new bookmark. Before saving you can edit the title and description. Use the search bar to help you find a needed collection faster, or create a new one on the spot.



Once you add the extension, you will see a **W** on every Tweet to make it easy to add to a collection in just two clicks. Don't let great ideas and resources get lost in the stream again.



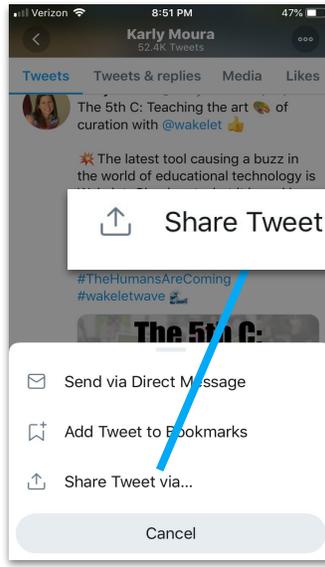
You also have the option to make Wakelet your "New Tab" default page, which gives you quick access to your collections, as well as make a collection from your current open tabs in one click or drag and drop open tabs into collections you have already created. Sort your collections by last created, updated, or A to Z.



The **wakelet** App on iOS



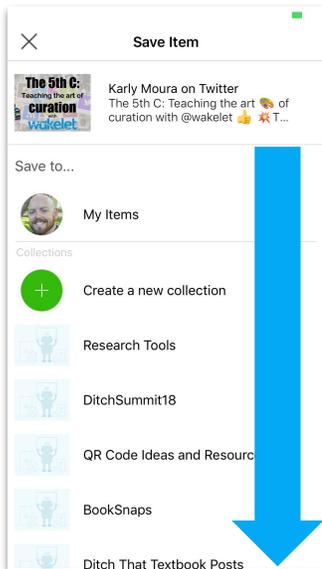
Find something to save to a collection, tap share.



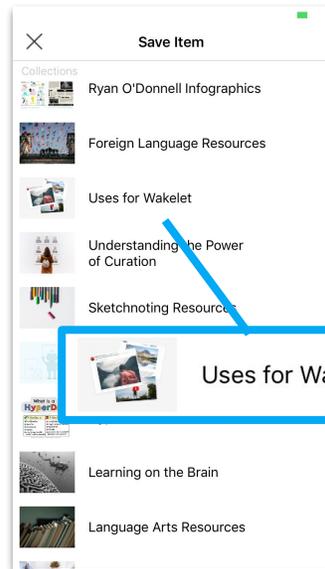
Select "Share via" to get to options.



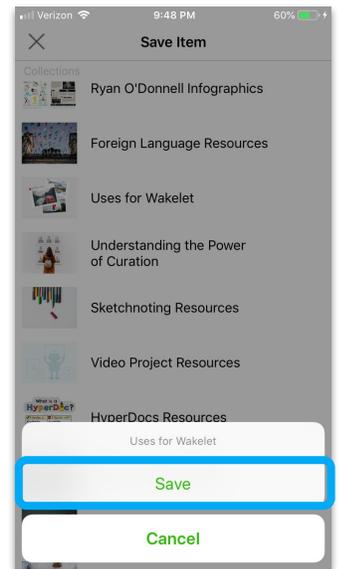
Select the Wakelet app from your menu of options.



Scroll to find your collection or create a new one.



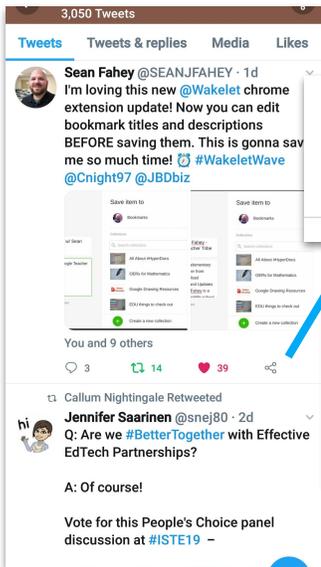
Tap on the collection in which you want it to be saved.



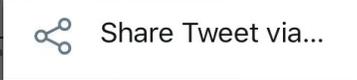
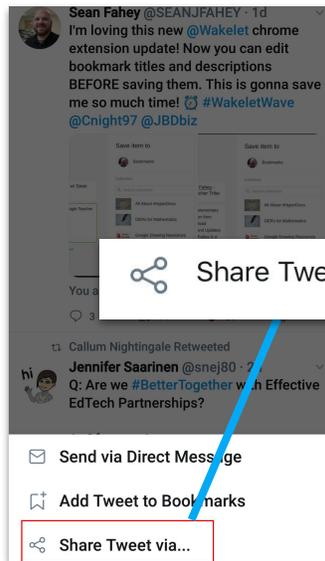
Tap save and then continue where you left off.



The **wakelet** App on ANDROID



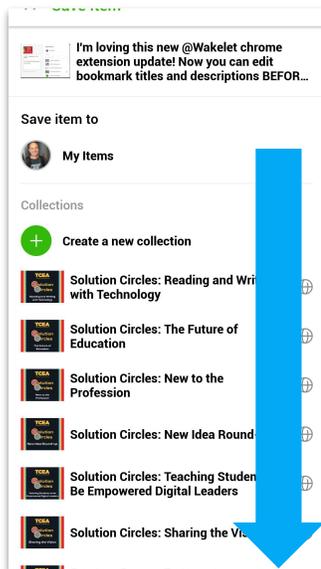
Find something to save to a collection, tap share.



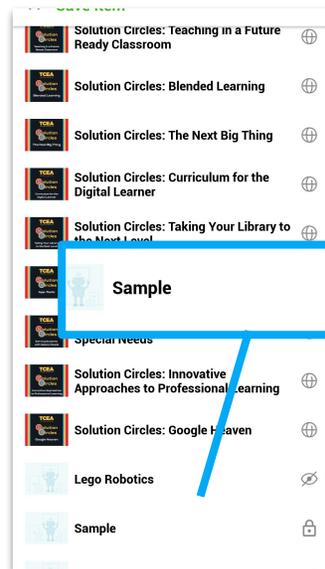
Select "Share via" to get to options.



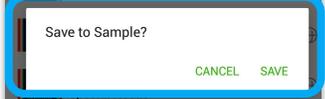
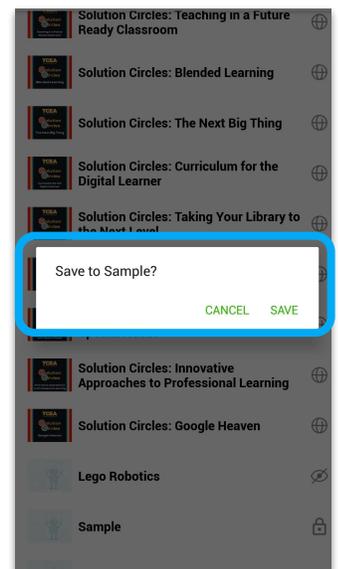
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Scroll to find your collection or create a new one.



Tap on the collection in which you want it to be saved.



Tap save and then continue where you left off.



Appsmashing

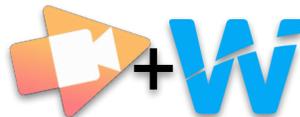
Appsmashing happens when something is created in one app then transferred to another app. Wakelet is PERFECT for this! The opportunities to share digital creations are endless. **The choice is yours, use apps to create and curate the experience in Wakelet.** Below we highlight two great app integrations Wakelet has already setup.



goo.gl/P76ZBh



Wakelet has teamed up with Flipgrid to make sure that when you add a link to a Flipgrid video it is embedded and can play straight from Wakelet. To take advantage of this feature just copy & paste the "Share with families" link of any Flipgrid response from the grid admin.



Want to add a video to a collection? It's super simple now that Wakelet and Screencastify are fully integrated. Be sure to checkout the resources below. A Wakelet collection with instructions how to set up the Screencastify integration and a blog post by Stella Pollard, where she gives some great ideas on how to app smash these two together.

Screencastify Blog:
Casting and Curating: Stella Pollard's Take on the new Screencastify/Wakelet Integration

Wakelet Collection:
Using Screencastify with Wakelet



Stella is a Instructional Technology Coordinator and Wakelet Ambassador



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goo.gl/wBJqQq



Riding Waves (Resources)



Sharing **wakelet** with Others

Are you looking for resources to share with your colleagues or perhaps present about Wakelet at a conference? These resources, along with this ebook can help others catch the Wakelet wave.

Use this Power of Curation with Wakelet HyperDoc created by Karly and Paul West as an introduction to Wakelet or as a self-paced professional development tool to use during or after your session. This HyperDoc walks participants through an exploration of Wakelet, the importance of curation, creating a Wakelet account and more.

bit.ly/2FcCeNn



Understanding **wakelet** in 4 steps

bit.ly/2UVA7In

Presenting Wakelet?

Check out these slides which explain Wakelet in 4 easy steps



Created by **Stephanie Howell**
[Follow](#)

Wakelet PD

12 items Copied from Wakelet PD

This collection will introduce you to Wakelet, show you how to use the platform, and introduce you to just some of the many ways you could use it

One of the Wakelet Superhumans [Stephanie Howell](#) remixed this amazing collection that will introduce your attendees to Wakelet in your professional development session.

You can also use this collection to share with your colleagues who are just getting started with Wakelet.

wke.lt/w/s/TA8wd



Blog Posts & Tutorials



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Wakelet Blog Posts

10 items 1 view

Blog posts written by members of the Wakelet community offering information, tips, tricks, and resources.



How to use Wakelet: Telling our school's story

Wakelet Blog

With its versatility, easy-to-use interface, and unique look, Wakelet has become a popular free tool for schools around the world. Here, middle school principal Mariah Rackley shares how she uses Wakelet I'm humbled by the opportunity to write this blog post for Wakelet.



12 curation ideas for students AND teachers with Wakelet

Ditch That Textbook

How do you get the most out of social media without letting things get lost in the shuffle? Being an educator on social media can be both inspiring and overwhelming. There are so many great ideas and resources out there to use that it can be hard to keep up with it all.



Using Wakelet In The Classroom For Curation And Research

Kathleenamorris

Looking for a simple and free curation tool? This ultimate guide to using Wakelet in the classroom explains what Wakelet is, how to get started in 4 easy steps, and how Wakelet could be used by teachers and students.



How Wakelet can transform the classroom for teachers and students

Wakelet Blog

Teachers around the world are using Wakelet to transform classrooms to meet the needs of 21st century students. Wakelet facilitates and supports educational communities by allowing the presentation of engaging educational content in a format that's easy for both teachers and students to access and follow.

Members of the Wakelet community are constantly sharing tips, tricks, and resources on their personal blog pages or on the official Wakelet blog.

Check out this Wakelet collection to see even more posts along the ones highlighted here! As more are published they will continue to be added to the collection.

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Do you know that Wakelet has an entire YouTube playlist of "how to" videos to get you started using Wakelet?



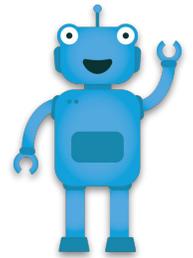
The playlist includes videos on everything from creating a collection to how to use Screencastify with Wakelet. Check them out!

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The **wakelet** Community

(Become a Superhuman)



Ready to ride the #WakeletWave? Join the Wakelet Community! The Wakelet Community get lots of perks like access to new features, idea sharing with the Wakelet team, and exclusive rewards!



Community Member

Level 1

Begin your journey as a Wakelet Superhuman!

As a Community Member you'll be able to:

- ~ Have a say in the features we build
- ~ Test new features before they're released
- ~ Receive exclusive behind-the-scenes info
- ~ Have direct access to the Wakelet team
- ~ Receive some great Wakelet goodies to say thank you for your help and support

Sign up at goo.gl/bfwpvk



Ambassador

Level 2

You'll have the opportunity to become an expert in Wakelet and curation, train other users, and officially represent us.

As a Wakelet Ambassador, you'll receive:

- ~ All the perks of being a Community Member
- ~ Online recognition
- ~ Training from the Wakelet team
- ~ Exclusive Wakelet goodies for yourself and to share with others



Hear it from the Experts



We have some experts and they want to share with you!

Head on over to Wakelet for a collection of tips and use cases. wke.lt/w/s/garvk

Grab a surfboard & chat!

**#wakeletwave
chat**

Join members of the Wakelet Community and beyond during our monthly twitter chat.

Be sure to follow Kristina on twitter so you don't miss a chat.

(Currently scheduled for the 2nd Thursday of each month.)



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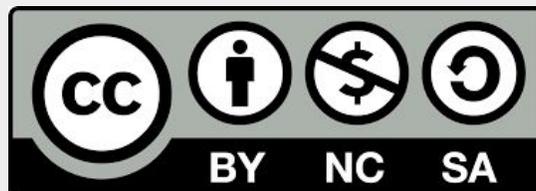
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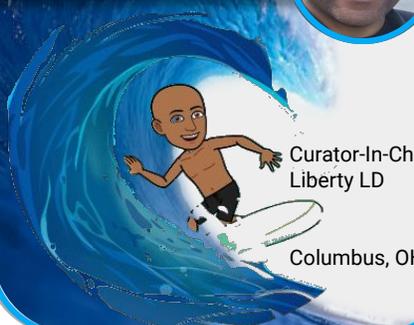
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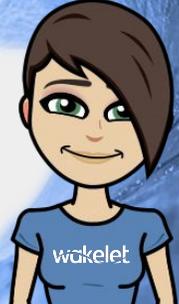
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