Engaging Students with

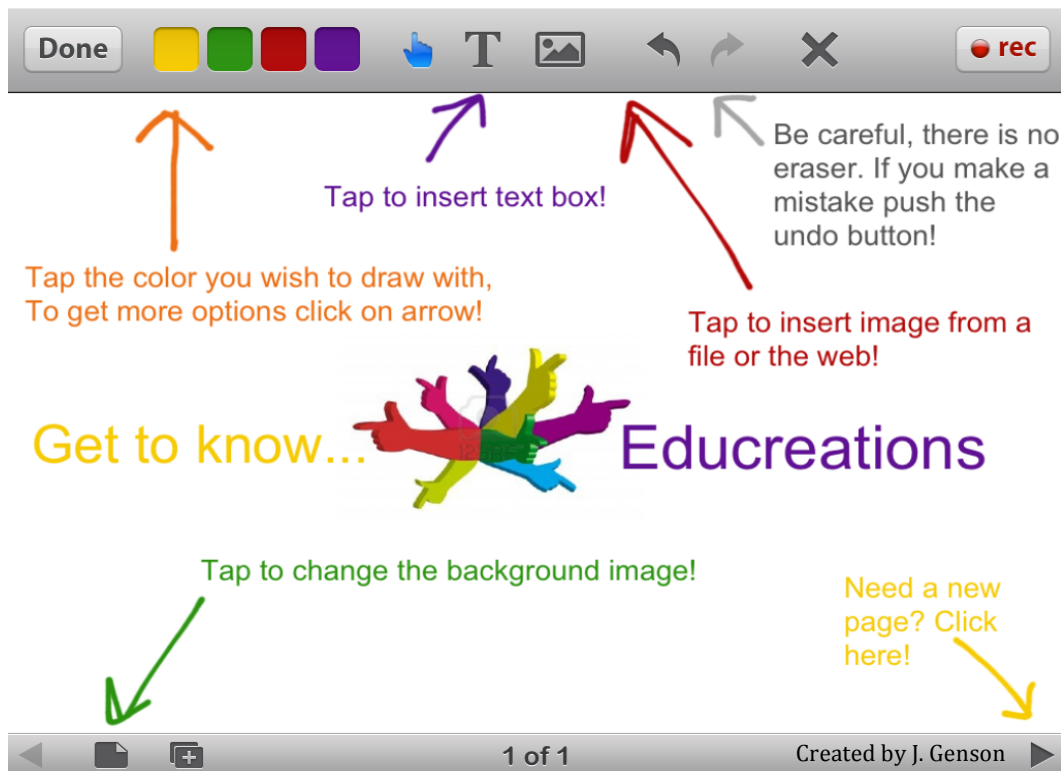educreations

What is Educreations?

Educreations is a recordable interactive whiteboard that captures your voice and handwriting to produce video lessons that you can share online. Lessons can be produced and/or replayed in any web browser or from within the Educreations iPad app.

★ *This cross-platform feature makes the tool more accessible to students.*

Key Features:

- You can draw images from scratch (10 pen color options)
- You can add typed text
- You can add photos from the camera roll, take photos, search for photos on the web and/or add import photos from Dropbox
- There are four built-in background options: white paper, lined paper, graph paper, and a coordinate grid
- You can create multiple pages

Here's a snapshot of the user-friendly iPad interface:

Done

Tap to insert text box!

Be careful, there is no eraser. If you make a mistake push the undo button!

Tap the color you wish to draw with, To get more options click on arrow!

Tap to insert image from a file or the web!

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Tap to change the background image!

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In addition to *teachers* using Educreations to produce video lessons, here are a few ideas for *student* use:

- Create a video for homework
- Demonstrate understanding of a new concept
- Present information to the class or teacher
- Create a video in a small group to share with another group

Steps for Getting Started:

Step 1
- Create your teacher account and set-up your course(s).
- Each course you create will have a unique course code that can be shared with students.
- You can create your account by visiting www.educreations.com or through the iPad app interface.

Step 2
- Each student will need to create an account. This process can be completed on an iPad or on a computer.
- iPad option: If you take this route, you will need to provide students with your course code in advance.
- Computer option: If you take this route, you can (1) provide students with your course code or (2) provide students with a unique registration URL that has an embedded course code.

Step 3
- Once students have registered, you are connected to them.
- You can create lessons and share them with a specific course. All enrolled students will automatically gain access to them through their personal accounts.
- Similarly, published student-created work will be automatically shared with you.

Step 4
- Begin using Educreations with your students!

For more ideas and examples, go to: http://www.educreations.com/browse/

Happy Educreating!