

**Online forum**

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# **Tools to make lessons interactive and engaging**

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- Online learning is not the NEXT big thing, it's a NOW big thing.

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- The most profound words will remain unread unless you can keep the learner engaged. You can't see their eyes to know if they got it so... say it, show it, write it, demo it and link it to an activity.

James Bates

# A must and a wish criteria

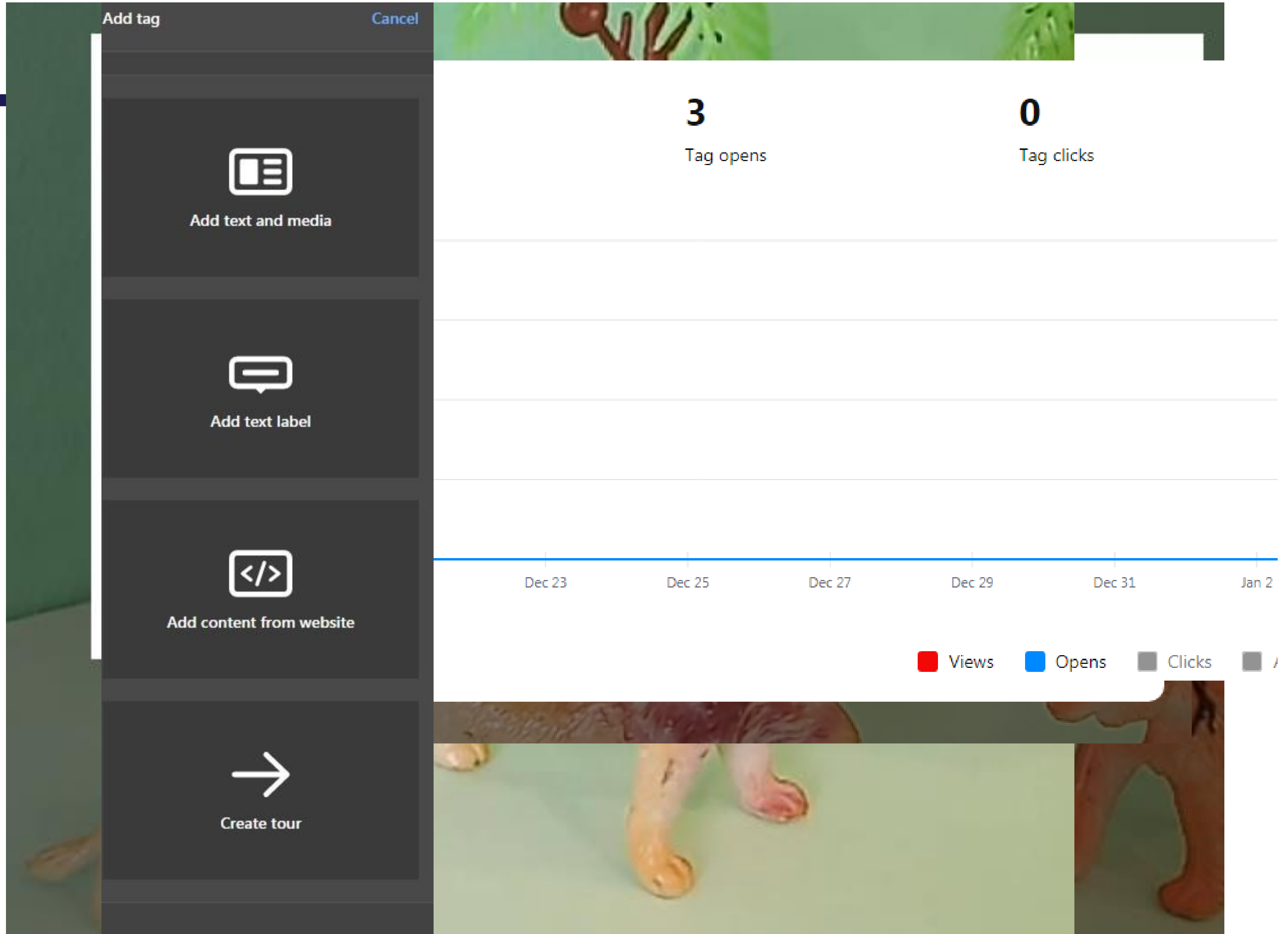
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- User-friendly interface
  - Built-in collaboration options
  - Free
  - Lets keep track of students' progress
  - Multifunctional or easy to fit together
  - Easy to integrate into LMS or easy to share



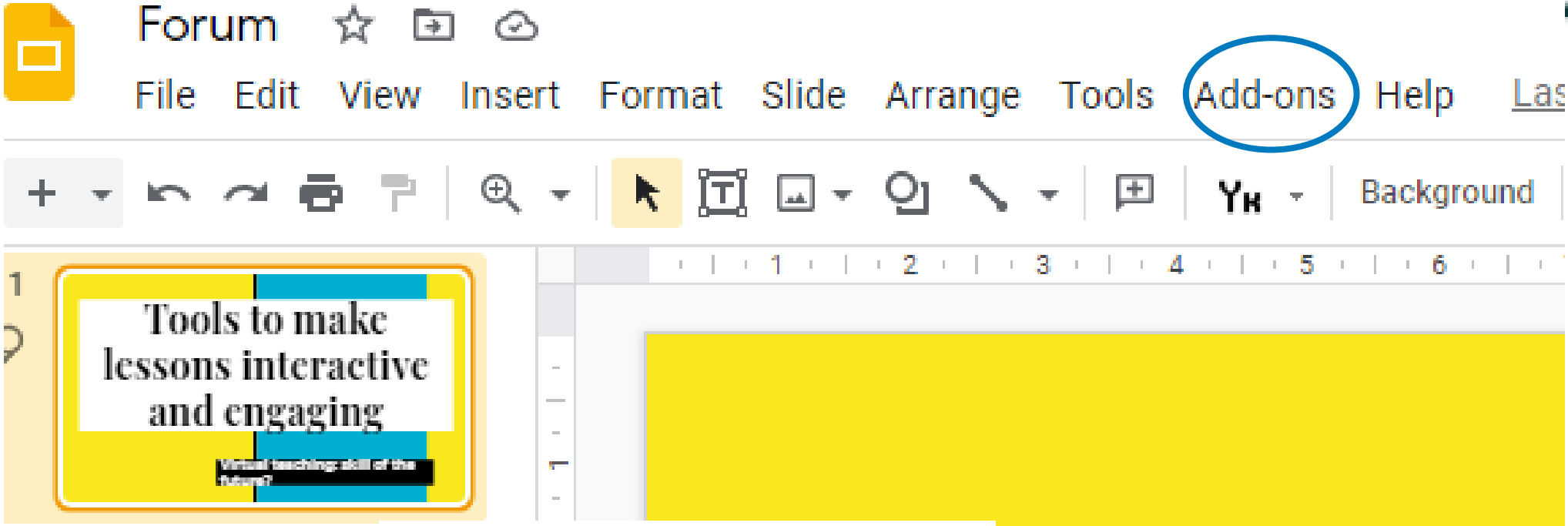
# Creating online learning content



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# Google Slides add-ons



A screenshot of the Pear Deck add-on interface. At the top, there's a 'Pear Deck' header with a close button and a 'Start Lesson' button. Below that is a 'TEMPLATE LIBRARY' section with a blue banner that says 'Our Template Library' and 'Explore and add premade content to your lesson'. Underneath is an 'ASK STUDENTS A QUESTION' section with the text 'Adds a question to your current slide:'. This section contains several question type icons: 'abc' (Text), a grid icon (Choice), '123' (Number), 'www' (Website), a pencil icon (Draw), and a four-way arrow icon (Draggable). At the bottom is an 'ADD AUDIO' section with the text 'Record or upload audio files for your lesson:' and a large blue button that says 'Add Audio to Slide' with a 'Premium' tag.





# Creating polls and surveys

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 Mentimeter

AnswerGarden 

 **STRAW POLL**  
The place to create instant, real-time polls for free.

 kwiksurveys


 fast poll

 Poll Everywhere

 1pm

 Survey

 Google  
Forms

 GoSurvey

 SurveyMonkey

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 surveyplanet




The place to create instant, real-time polls for free.

Type your question here

Enter poll option

Enter poll option

Enter poll option

IP Duplication Checking 



Improve spam prevention 

Allow multiple poll answers

Create Poll

Save as Draft

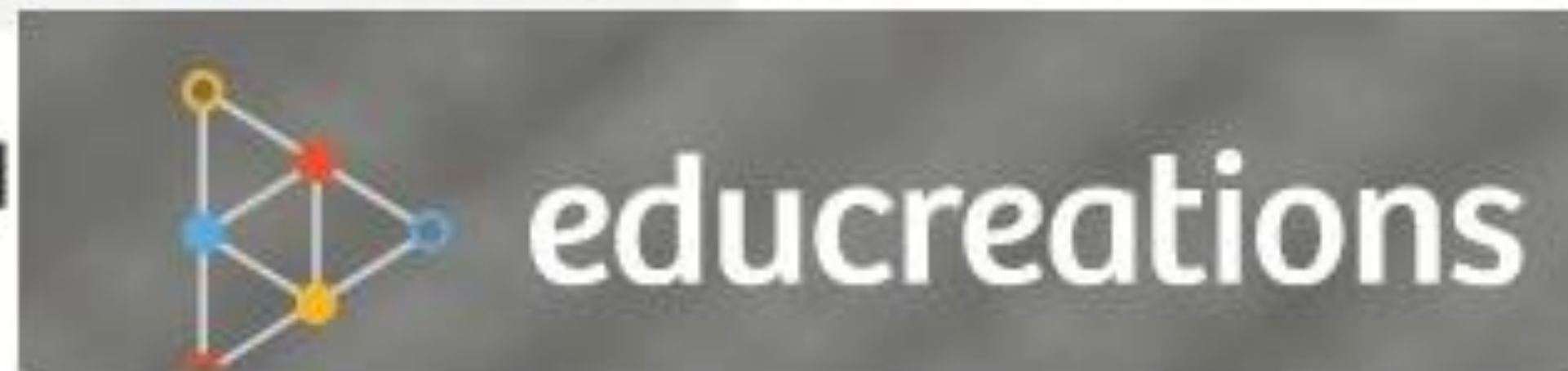


# Tools to facilitate discussions and collaboration



Explain Everything

miro



Google Jamboard

# www.explaineverything.com

Virtual classroom is **STILL** a classroom!

Cameras on

Stay focused

Use appropriate language

Mute yourself

RESPECT

Treat others with the respect you wish to be given

But what's your **REAL** name

Sign in with your real name

FTT

The image shows a virtual classroom interface with a yellow background and horizontal lines. On the left is a vertical toolbar with icons for copy, hand, eraser, highlighter, lasso, text, zoom in, zoom out, and refresh. At the top right is a blue camera icon. Below it is the text 'Cameras on'. To the right of that is a magnifying glass icon over the word 'FOCUS' in red, with the text 'Stay focused' below it. In the center, there is a green speech bubble icon with the text 'Use appropriate language' below it. To the right of that is a black microphone icon with a diagonal slash through it, with the text 'Mute yourself' below it. Further right is the word 'RESPECT' where each letter is on a separate colored block (R: green, E: purple, S: pink, P: green, E: blue, C: brown, T: pink). Below this is the text 'Treat others with the respect you wish to be given'. On the left side, there is a white box with a black question mark icon and the text 'But what's your REAL name'. Below this is the text 'Sign in with your real name'. At the bottom left is a small blue icon with 'FTT' and at the bottom right is a small white icon.



# Creating interactive learning quizzes and games







# GoSoapBox

## Conflict Resolution

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CONFUSED

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ONLINE

Add Reply

Edit This Discussion



Email Discussion Data to Myself

Multiple Choice


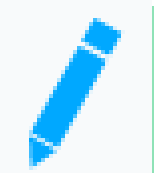


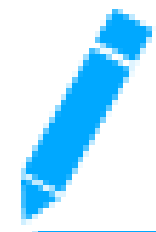
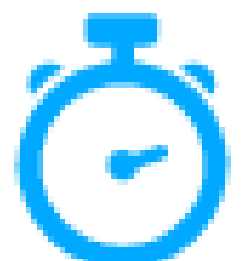
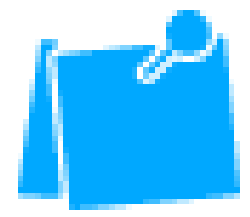


Short Answer

See Who's Online

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Create ▾ |  Quick Launch | 

Quick Launch Beta

-  Time To Cl
-  Draw It
-  All Ring  
to start
-  Open Ended Question
-  Draw It
-  Timer
-  Collaborate Board
-  Flipgrid
-  Memory Test

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- The most effective, successful professionals are constantly learning, they take the time to apply what they have learnt, and they continually work to improve themselves.

Joel Gardner