
No, Not YouTube...TeacherTube!

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TeacherTube allows you to host, tag and share your instructional videos with the world. If you see a video that interests you, you can link to it on the TeacherTube site or embed it into a web page, wiki or blog.

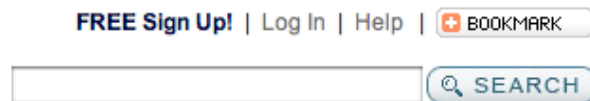
TeacherTube members can:

- Upload Support Files to attach your educational Activities, Assessments, Lesson Plans, Notes, and Other file formats to your video.
- Browse hundreds of videos uploaded by community members.
- Find, join and create video groups to connect with people who have similar interests.
- Customize the experience by subscribing to member videos, saving favorites, and creating playlists.
- Embed TeacherTube videos on websites.
- Make videos public or private - users can elect to broadcast their videos publicly or share them privately with those they invite.

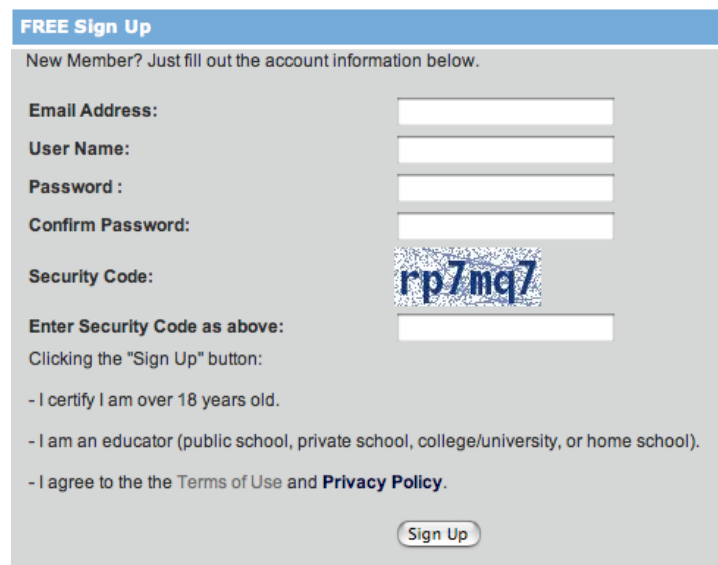
Register

To begin using TeacherTube you will first need to sign up for a free account.

- First, click the FREE Sign Up link located on the upper right of the page.



- Next, Enter in the required information and click the Sign Up button:



FREE Sign Up

New Member? Just fill out the account information below.

Email Address:

User Name:

Password:

Confirm Password:

Security Code: **rp7mq7**

Enter Security Code as above:

Clicking the "Sign Up" button:

- I certify I am over 18 years old.
- I am an educator (public school, private school, college/university, or home school).
- I agree to the the [Terms of Use](#) and [Privacy Policy](#).

Click the Log In link located at the top right of the page.

Uploading your own video:

Uploading videos can be very time consuming. Be prepared to wait a little bit while your file uploads.

First, click on the "Upload" link located near the upper right of the screen.

Before uploading your video, you will be asked for the following details:

- Title
- Description
- Tags (keywords used to describe your video)

Video Channels – Choose 1 to 3 channels that best describe your video.

- College/University
- High School
- Middle School
- Student Products
- World Languages
- TeacherTube Tutorials
- Fine Arts
- Career and Technology Education (CATE)
- Physical Education
- Science
- Social Sciences
- Writing
- Elementary
- Professional Development
- Reading
- Math

The following details become available after download:

- Date Recorded
- Location Recorded
- Country

File Details can be updated by going to My Videos and clicking Edit Video:

- Broadcast:
 - Public - Share your video with the world!
 - Private - Only viewable by you and those you send the video to through the share feature.
- Allow Comments: Yes or No
- Allow Ratings: Yes or No
- Allow External Sites to Embed This Video: Enable or Disable

TeacherTube will accept the following video file formats:

- WMV (Windows Media Video)
- .AVI (Audio Video Interleave)
- .MOV (QuickTime Video Clip)
- .MPEG or MPG (Motion Picture Experts Group)
- .MP4 (MPEG – 4)
- .FLV (Flash Video)

TeacherTube will accept the following support file formats:

- .doc (Word Document)
- .ppt (PowerPoint Documents)
- .pdf (Portable Document Format)
- .rtf (Rich Text Format)
- .txt (Text File)
- .csv (Canvas Drawing File)
- .xls (Excel Document)
- .mp3 (Audio File)
- .wav (Waveform [audio format](#))
- .kmz (Google Earth Saved Working Session)
- .swf (Flash)

Activity - Activities might include student instructions, projects, etc.
 File : Show File

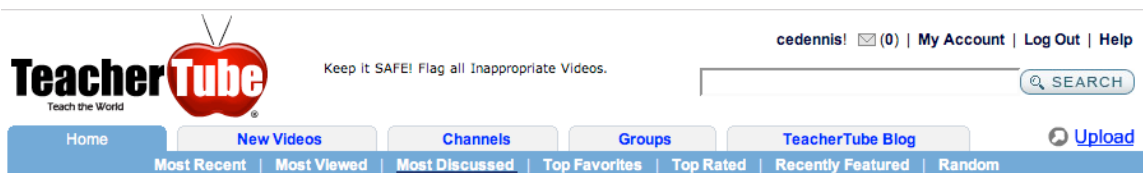
Assessment - Assessment might include quizzes, discussion questions, etc.
 File :

Lesson Plan - Lesson Plans might include outlines of instructional procedures, etc.
 File :

Notes - Notes might include background information, implementation ideas, etc.
 File :

Other - Other might include items not described in previous categories, such as multimedia presentations, etc.
 Title :
 File :

Max file size: Unlimited. Valid Support File Formats: .DOC, .PPT, .PDF, .RTF, .TXT, .CSV, .XLS, .MP3, .WAV, .KMZ and .SWF (For help click the HELP link in upper right corner.) No copyrighted or obscene material. .
 After uploading, you can edit or remove files at anytime under the "My Support Files" link on the top of the page.



How to navigate the site:

- **Home:** home page of site
- **New Videos:** click here to see the most recently uploaded videos.
- **Channels:** click here to see a list of "channels" or groupings of videos.
- **Groups:** you can search for groups, view videos from groups, or join a group if you choose.
- **TeacherTube Blog:** click to receive up-to-date information about the site.
- **Upload:** click here to upload your own video.

Search for a video:

The search field is available from any page on the site (in the top right corner). Type in the keywords (tags) for a video you are looking for.

When viewing a video, there is a list of options located below the video.

- **Email to a friend:** A form will open in a new window; you can do this without having an account.
- **Save to favorites:** Saves to your list of favorites that's accessible when you login to the site.
- **Feature this video:** Clicking this link will send a request for a video to be featured on the home page.
- **Flag as Inappropriate:** It's important to flag any videos that you feel include inappropriate content... especially because the site is devoted to academics.
- **Post Comments:** You can post a comment to the person who uploaded the video. Maybe you would like to tell them what an awesome job they did, find out about a resource they used, or possibly point out incorrect facts or information that were used. Again, because of the academic nature of the site, constructive feedback is important.

Resources

<http://www.teachertube.com/help.php>

<http://www.teachertube.com/blog.php>

If you are ready to upload video to TeacherTube, I recommend this 7 min. video regarding tips for uploading: http://www.teachertube.com/view_video.php?viewkey=385758d31890a4bca996