

Regional Office of Education #33



Adult Education

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Tech Tools

- Loom videos - tutorials (Zoom, Burlington English), COVID orientation
- TalkingPoints - multilingual texting
- GoReact - feedback on student videos (ESL)



The GoReact logo consists of the word "goreact" in a lowercase, sans-serif font. The "go" is in black, and "react" is in red. A small red play button icon is positioned between the "o" and "r". The logo is on a white rectangular background tilted upwards to the right.

The TalkingPoints logo features a blue speech bubble icon with a white play button inside, followed by the word "TalkingPoints" in a blue, sans-serif font. The logo is on a white rectangular background tilted upwards to the right.

Tech Week

- Week following Registration Week/2nd Week of Class
- Set-up website accounts to be used during term, Zoom download, & mock Zoom class
- Works well with older students who might not be as comfortable with computers & technology

Canvas (LMS)

<https://canvas.instructure.com/login/canvas>

- Free Learning Management System (LMS)
- Reliable way to get assignments to students who don't always have reliable internet service for Zoom
- Has Discussion feature for student interaction
- Ability to upload curriculum at one time & set date/time for modules & assignments to publish

The screenshot displays the Canvas LMS Dashboard. On the left is a dark sidebar with navigation icons for Account, Dashboard, Courses, Calendar, Inbox, History, Commons, and Help. The main content area is titled 'Dashboard' and features a grid of 'Published Courses (5)'. Each course card shows a title, date, and time, along with icons for discussion, documents, and folders. A 'To Do' panel on the right lists upcoming assignments with their due dates and times. A 'Coming Up' section is also visible, listing future assignments. At the bottom right, there is a 'Recent Feedback' section.

Ruth Bader Ginsburg

Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg, a warrior for gender equality, died Friday from complications of metastatic cancer of the pancreas. "Our nation has lost a justice of historic stature," Chief Justice John Roberts said. "We at the Supreme Court have lost a cherished colleague. Today we mourn but with confidence that future generations will remember Ruth Bader Ginsburg as we know her, a tireless and resolute champion of justice." Her passing weighs heavily on those that her work affected, and those that stand for the same views. Many of those people, myself included, worry about what will happen now that she's gone. Her work led to women and the LGBTQ+ community receiving basic human rights. She showed that America's system wasn't broken, but running exactly as it was meant to: white, cis-gendered men, being placed on top. Everything she did made large strides in the direction to equality, and I hope that someone she would approve of will pick up the torch. I chose this article because I am a feminist, and I have many friends and family that would be treated much differently without RBG. This might not do her justice, but I hope it gave you enough to understand why she is so very important to the on-going fight for equality. My article doesn't even scratch the surface of all she's done, but I hope it's enough to show how important she was for the fight for equality.

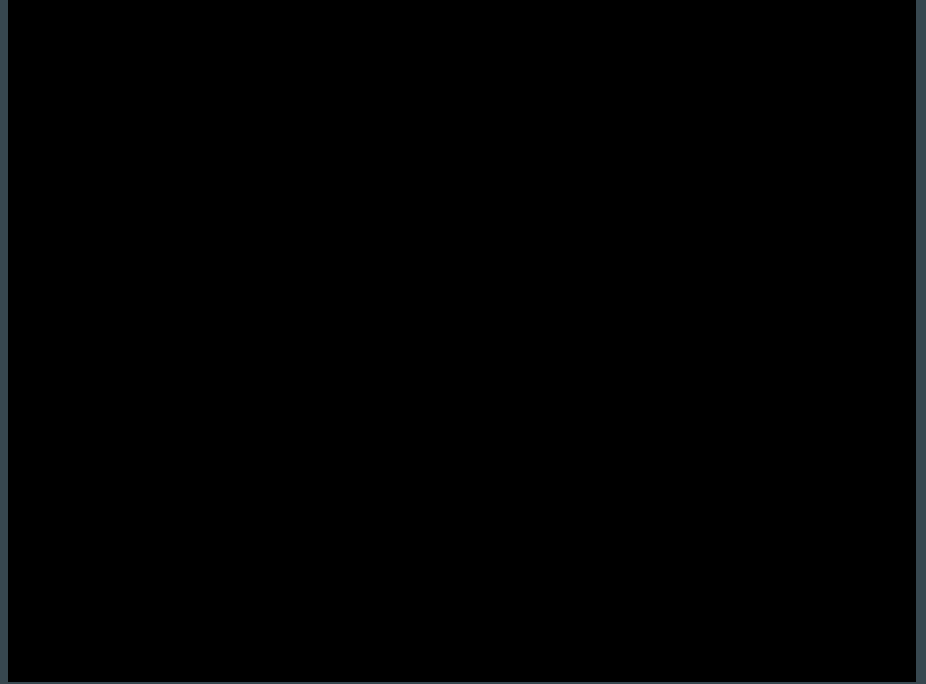
Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg, Champion Of Gender Equality, Dies at 87
By Nina Totenberg
NPR
September 18, 2020 7:28 PM ET

Individual Check-Ins

- Weekly 1 on 1 instructor/student Zoom class
- Spread out over 3 nights that would normally be held in person
- Helps build rapport with students when we can't be in class and meeting face-to-face
- Lessons & assignments can be more individualized for each student
- Student poll preferred 1 on 1 check-in over large Zoom class

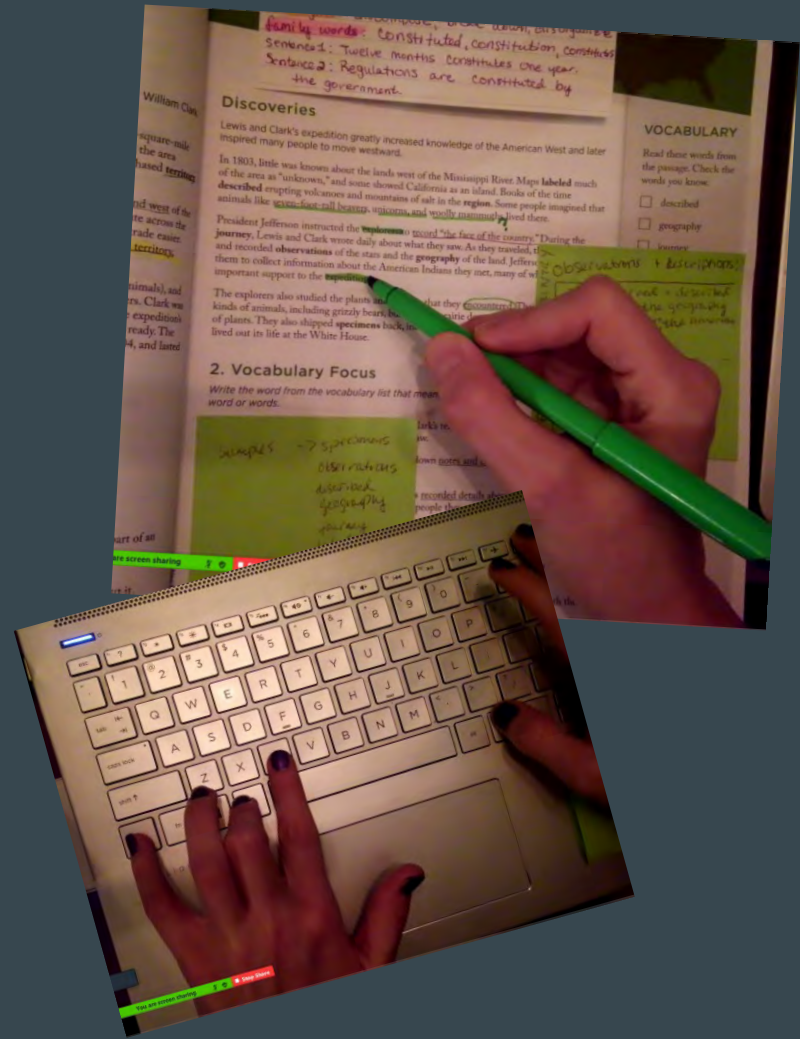
Padlet

- Online platform for sharing resources
- “Padlets” = bulletin boards; posts = sticky notes
- 8 layouts, plus different editing settings, make this an interactive tool to be used in class
- Free and paid accounts



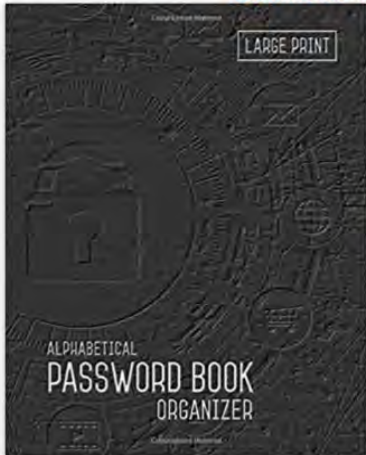
Elmo

- Like the old-fashioned Elmo, but for Zoom!
- Some of my uses:
 - Creating vocabulary notecards
 - Modeling (writing, annotating text, concept-mapping...)
 - Demonstrating basic keyboarding techniques



Password Books (for students)

- Can be found online for \$6 each
- Pages are marked alphabetically (by website)
- I demonstrate how to use once



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**ALPHABETICAL
PASSWORD BOOK
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