## Educreations

Educreations allows you to create and record lessons for students to view independently. In addition, it give students a creative media they can use to prepare presentations for their teachers and classmates.

## Directions:

- 1. Open Educreations and watch tutorial. From the "My Lessons" screen go to the settings gear and click View Intro to Educreations.
- 2. Choose one of the topics listed below to create a short narrative:
  - How to make a cup of coffee
  - Directions to the school board office
  - How to create a folder on your iPsd to store similar apps
  - Create a tutorial that shows where the external buttons on the iPad are.
- 3. Decide what you want to say in your video. Remember the focus today is learning to use the app (no one will watch your video unless you share it).
- 4. Tap "New Lesson".
- 5. Select the color you want to write with by taping it in the menu.
- 6. You can add a background, such as grid paper, to your slide by tapping the background icon in the lower left hand corner.
- 7. You can duplicate the current slide, including all ink and images, by tapping the "Duplicate Slide" icon.
- 8. Click the record button and begin writing and recording the information you want to share. You can pause the recording and restart anytime.
- 9. To insert text, tap the "T" in the menu bar. Then tap anywhere on the screen where text should appear. A text box will open and you can use the keyboard to enter text. The color of text and the size of the font can be changed at the top of the pop up keyboard. To finish entering text, tap the done button.

  \*\*Note that recording has stopped while text has been entered. Simply tap record to restart your recording.
- 10.To insert a picture, tap the image button. You will have the option of selecting from various photo locations. Simply navigate through those selections to chose the picture you want to insert.
  - \*\*Note that recording has stopped while an image is being entered. Simply tap record to restart your recording.
- 11.To move or change a text box or image that you have already created, tap the selection tool (hand icon in the menu bar). Then tap the item you wish to edit. This will display several editing options.

- \*\*Note that recording has stopped while text and images are being edited. Simply tap record to restart your recording.
- 12. To add a new slide to your presentation, tap the arrow tip in the lower right corner.
- 13. Select "Done" in the dashboard when you are finished. This will prompt you to create a free account.
- 14. Select "Create Account" and fill in the appropriate information.
- 15. To watch your video from somewhere other than your iPad you will need to email a link to it. To do this open the App and select "My Lessons". Click on the lesson you want to send. In the upper right hand corner you will see four images: the Facebook icon, Twitter icon, an envelope, and chains. To e-mail, select the envelope. To link or embed the picture, select
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