

Flat Classroom Lesson #1



FLAT CLASSROOM

1. Complete the Pre Flat Classroom Survey

Fill out the survey and turn it.

2) Join the Wiki-

Go to <http://flatclassroomproject.wikispaces.com> -- Join the wiki.

3) Join the Ning

<http://flatclassroomproject.ning.com> -- Join the Ning.

4) Complete your audio introduction

*See samples at <http://flatclassroomproject.ning.com/> - left side of page.

A. Write your introductory audio file answering the following questions:

- Explain who you are, where you live and what school you go to school.
- Tell a little about what life is like where you live.
- Tell a little about what you do at school, for a hobby etc.
- Share your ideas for the project.
- How do you think you will cope collaborating with students in other countries?
- What will be the advantages?
- What will be the disadvantages?
- What new skills will you need to learn to be able to do this project?

You do not need to start from scratch. Just revise your Web page introduction. Print it out and show it to me.

B. Record your introduction

- 1) Open Garageband
- 2) Use the “+” to add new tracks as needed.
- 3) Record your voice first. Then add background music and/or sound effects as desired. Save.
- 4) Open iTunes, Go to Preferences, Advanced, Import Using. Make sure it is set to Mp3.
- 5) Open your Garageband file. Share to iTunes. From iTunes, drag the file into your folder (in the Shared folder on the hard drive).
- 6) Log into the Flat Classroom Ning - Upload your file.

Evaluation is according to the rubric on the back.