

# Making an Impact

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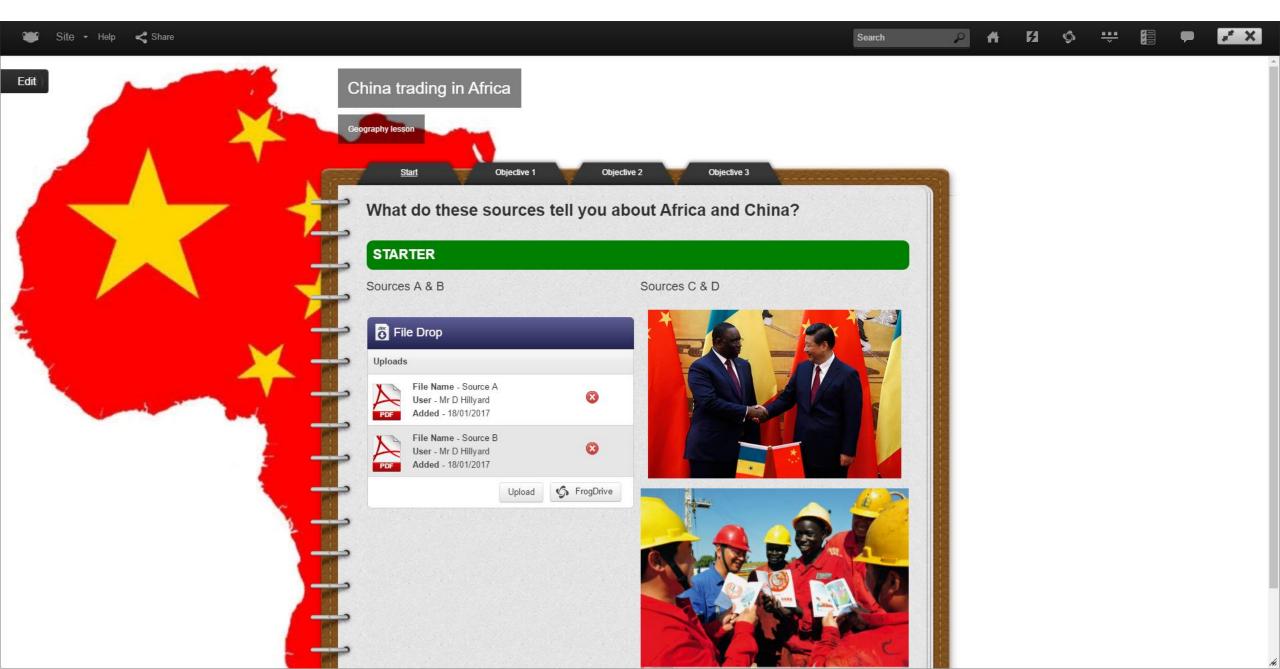


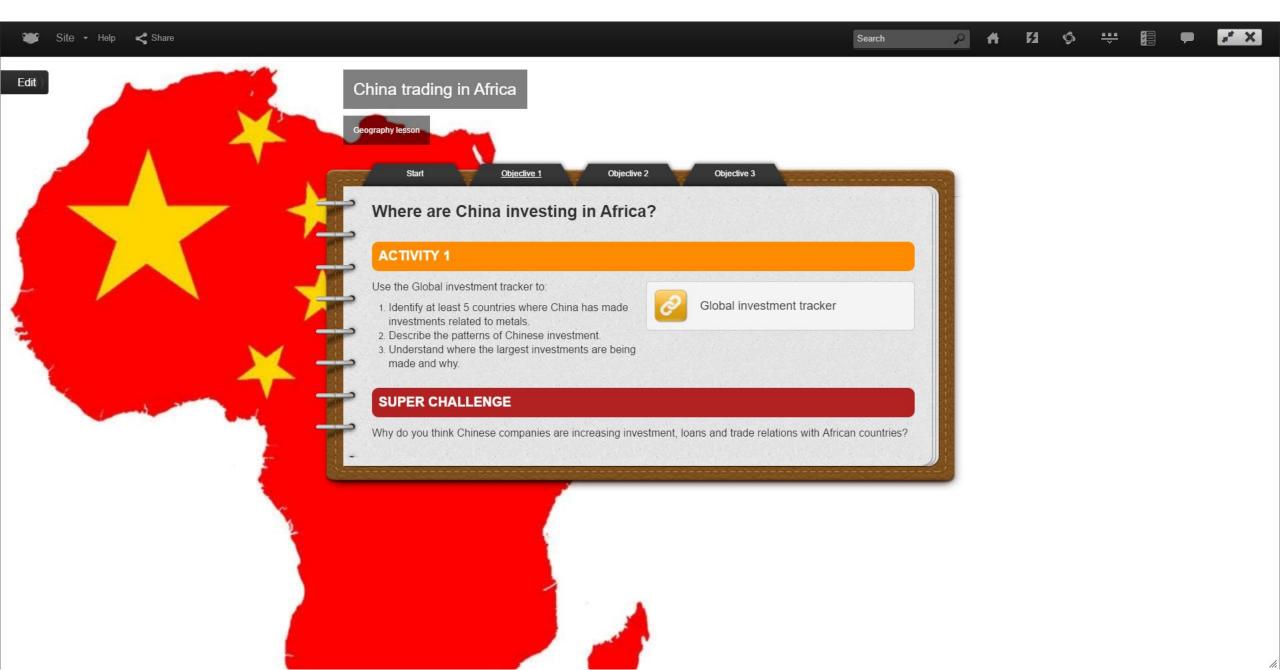


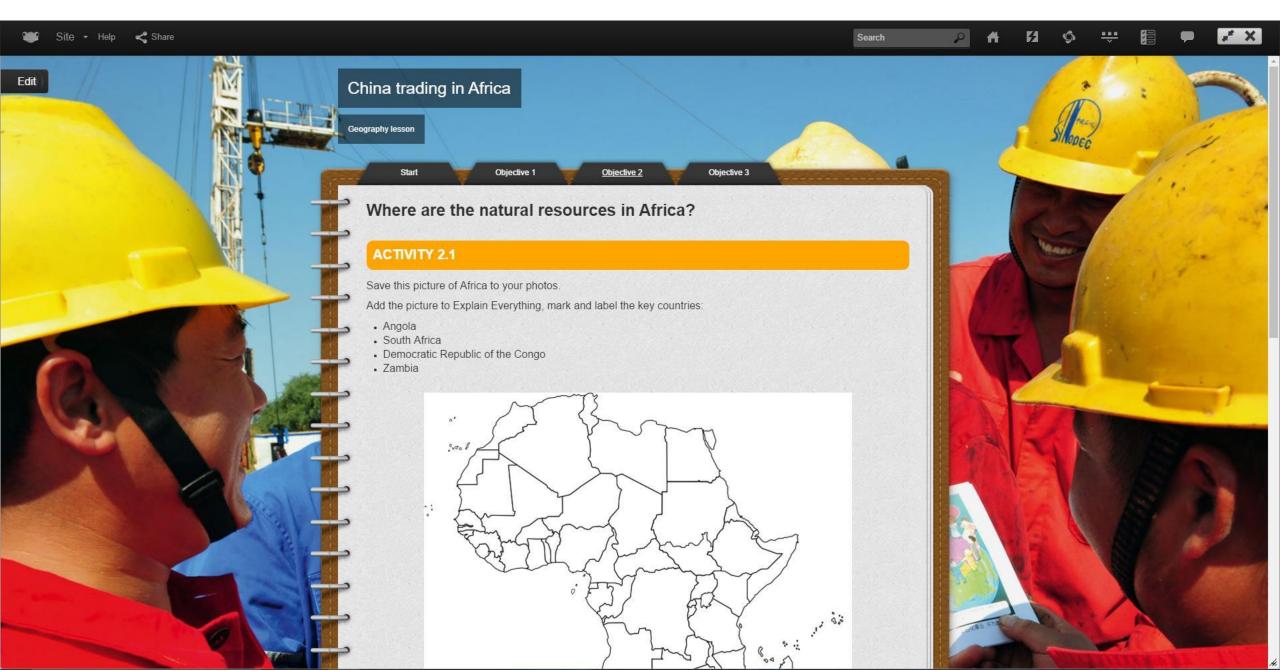


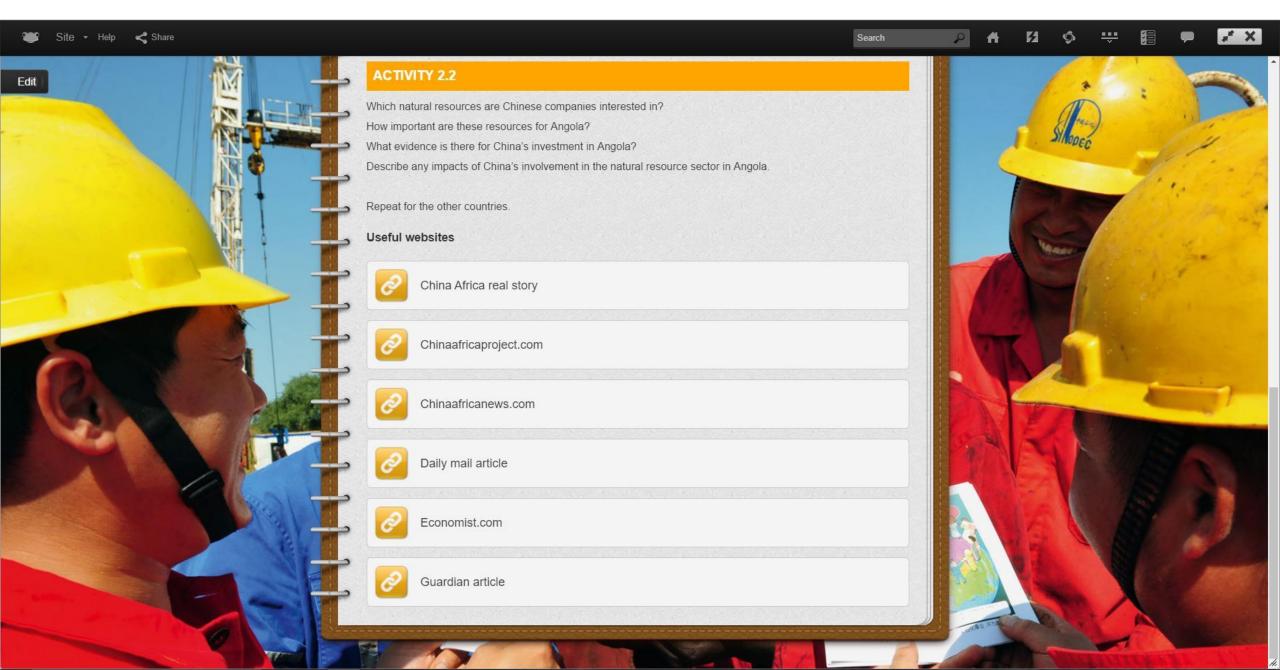
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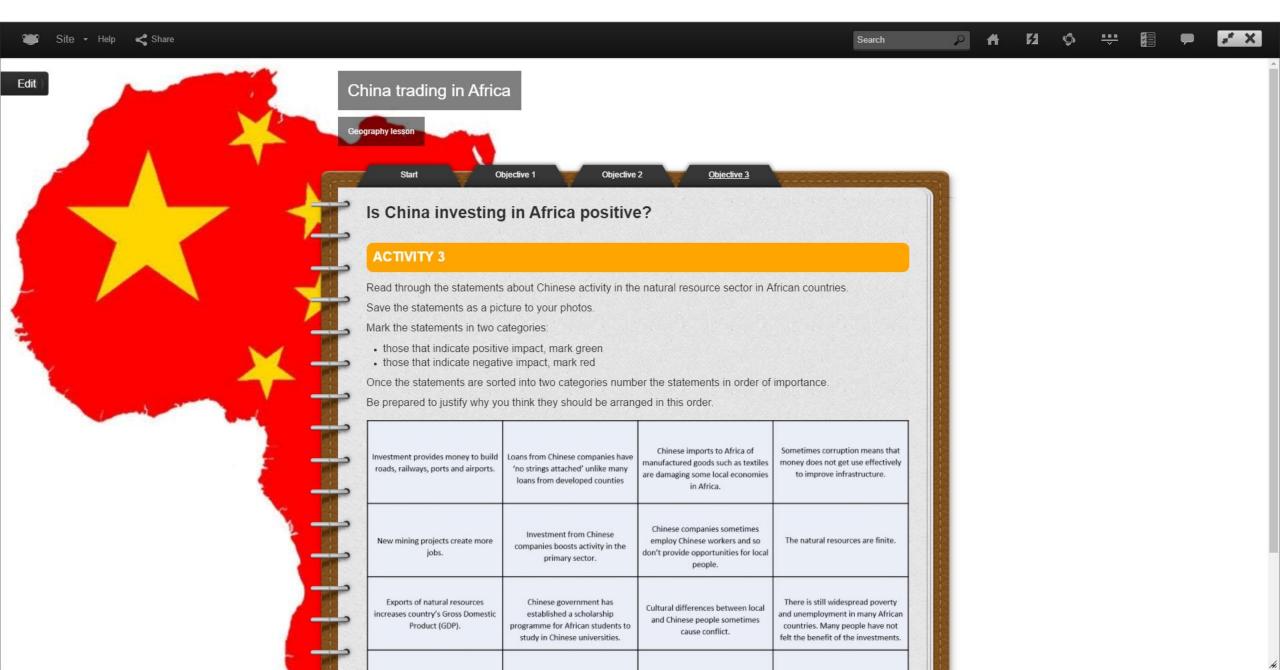
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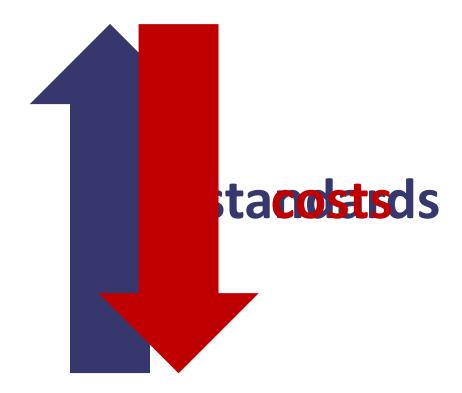
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- no photocopying of worksheets
- time saving: better work/life balance
- collaboration & shared pedagogy
- distributed leadership & increased morale
- opportunity for reflection
- consistency & collaboration
- supports cover teachers/non-specialists
- harnessing mobile technology & BYOD
- students are self-starting & independent
- anytime, anywhere learning
- increased parental engagement





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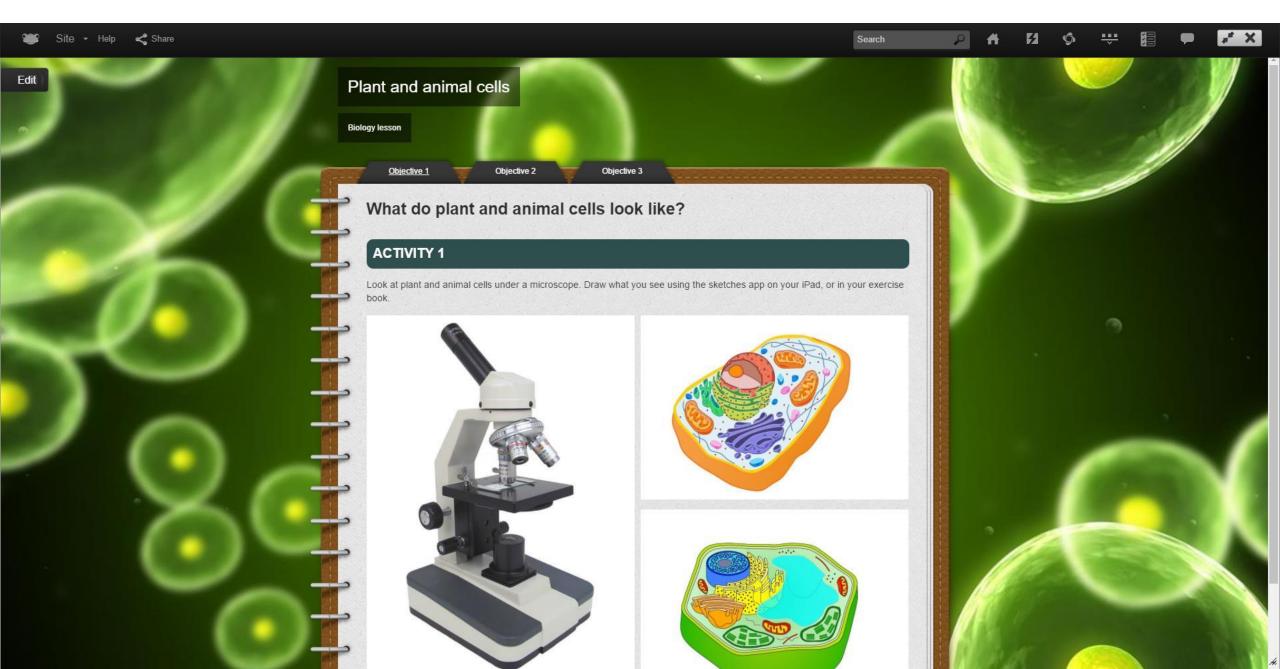


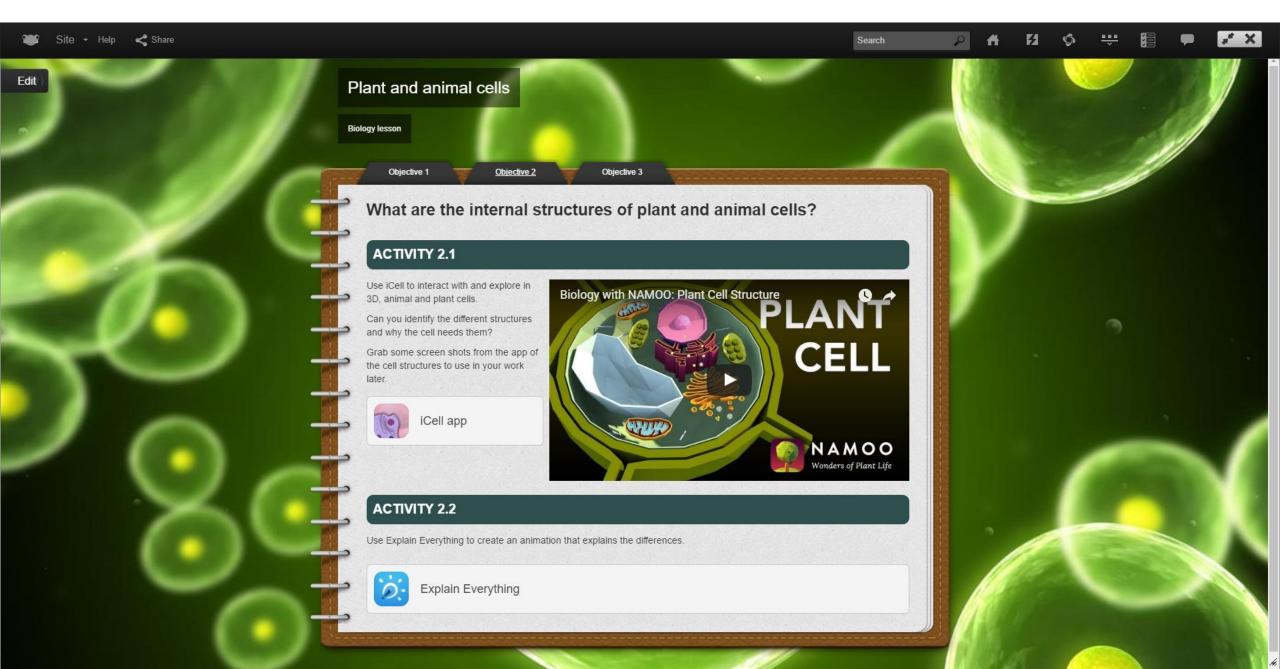
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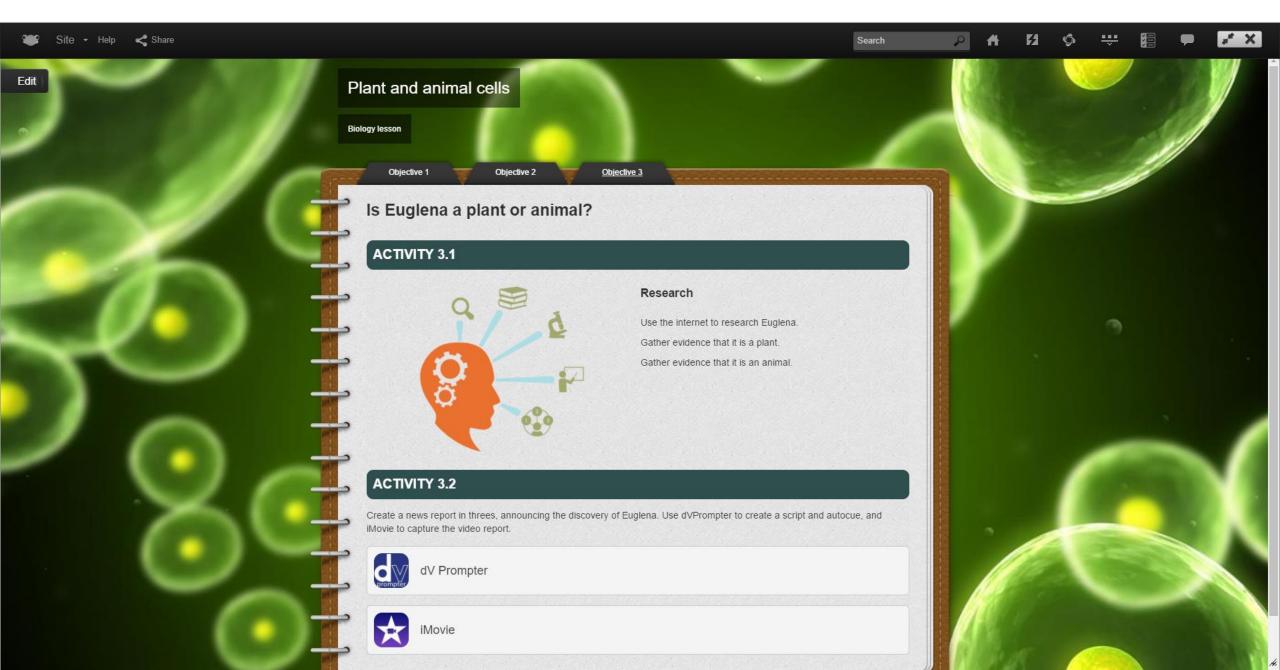
A traditional science lesson:

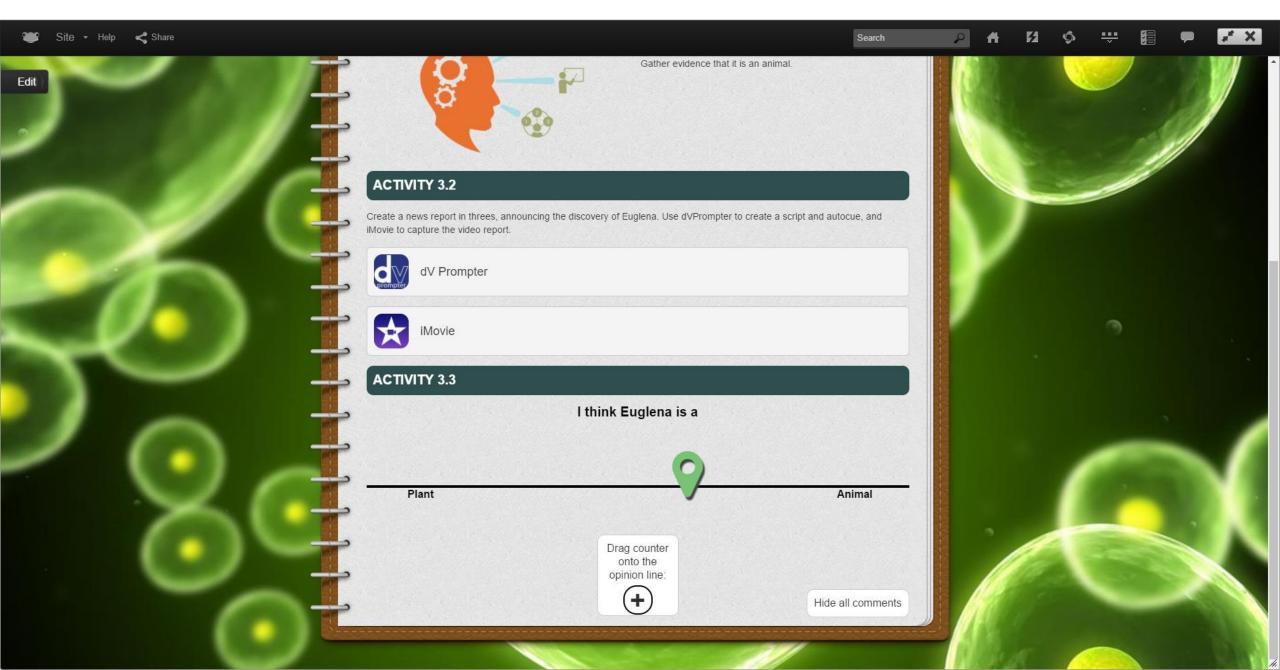
Teacher explains and demonstrates from the front of the class:

- Look at plant and animal cells under a microscope. Draw what you see.
- Use a text book to find out the purpose of internal structures of a cell. Label an image of a plant and animal cell.
- Read about Euglena in your text book. Is it a plant or animal cell? Write a conclusion.













# The integration of Frog with tablet technology has the potential to transform learning by:

**Enhancing** learning with opportunities only new technology provides;

Engaging pupils in learning with innovative new approaches;

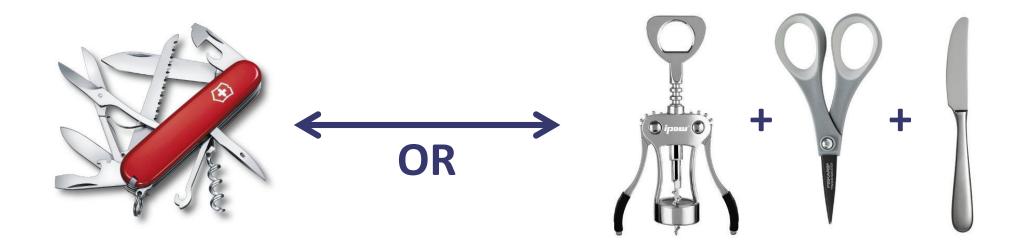
**Enabling** a more personalised, independent and student led learning experience.



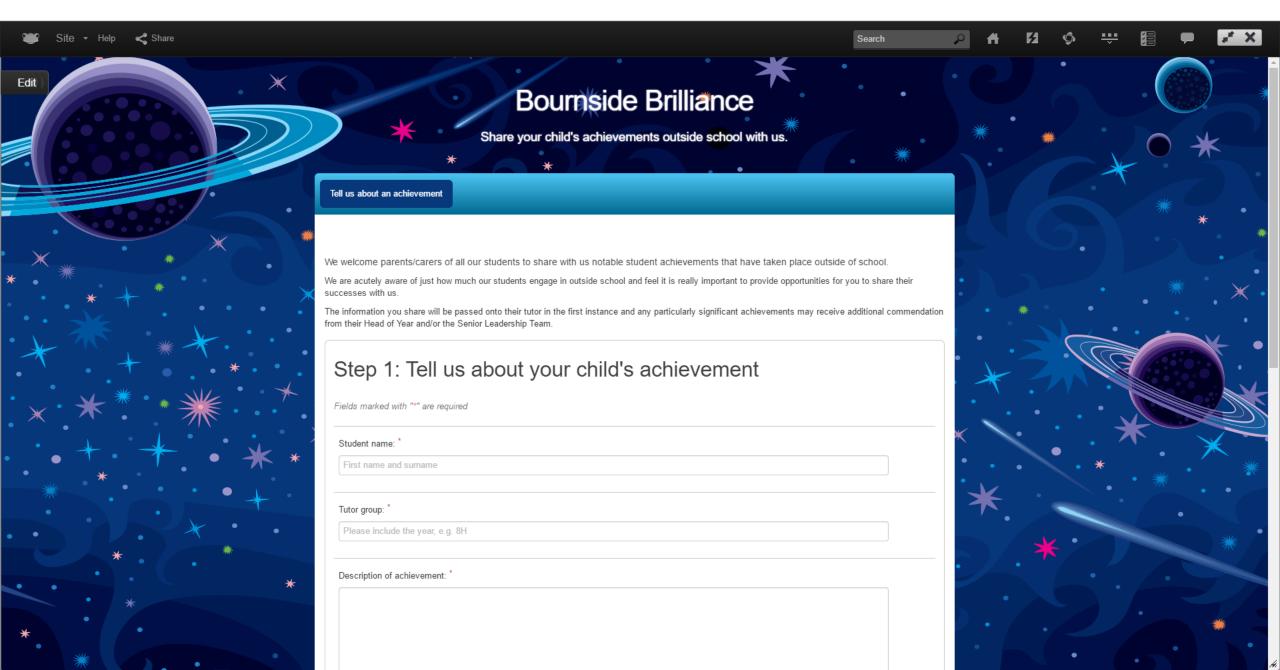


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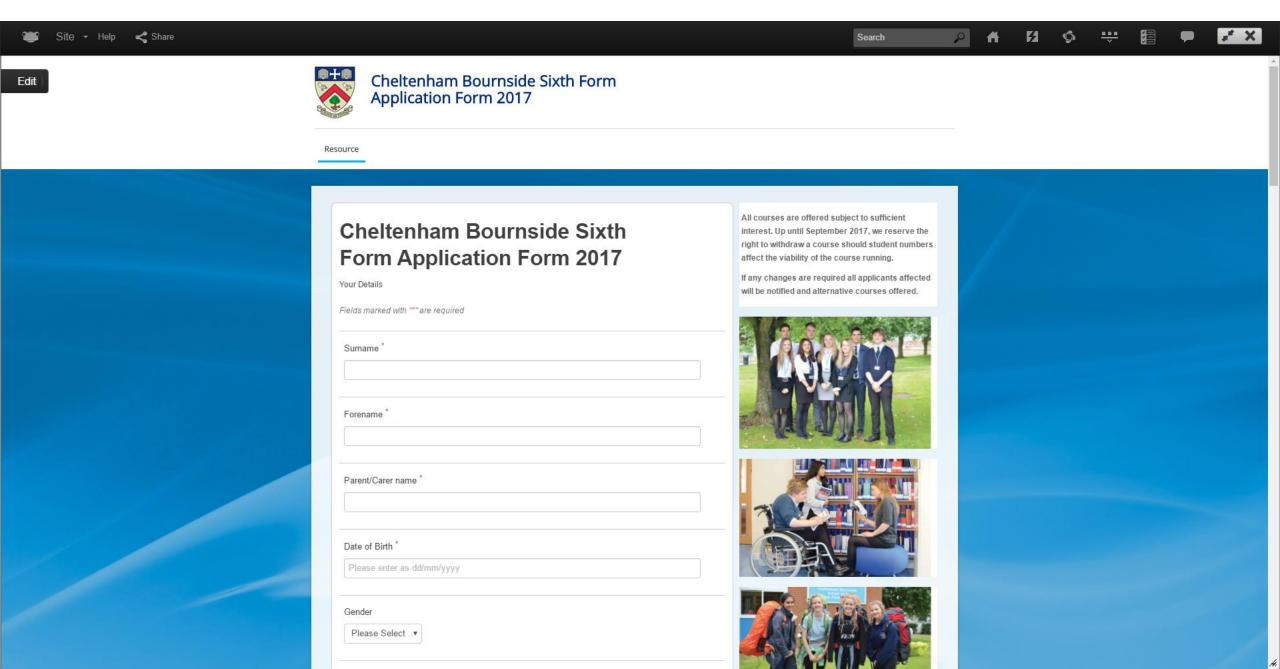
- Facilitating communication and collaboration with stakeholders.
- Saving money by making everyone more productive.
- Saving money by reducing photocopying and consumables.
- Saving money by not investing in tools that duplicate the functionality of Frog.



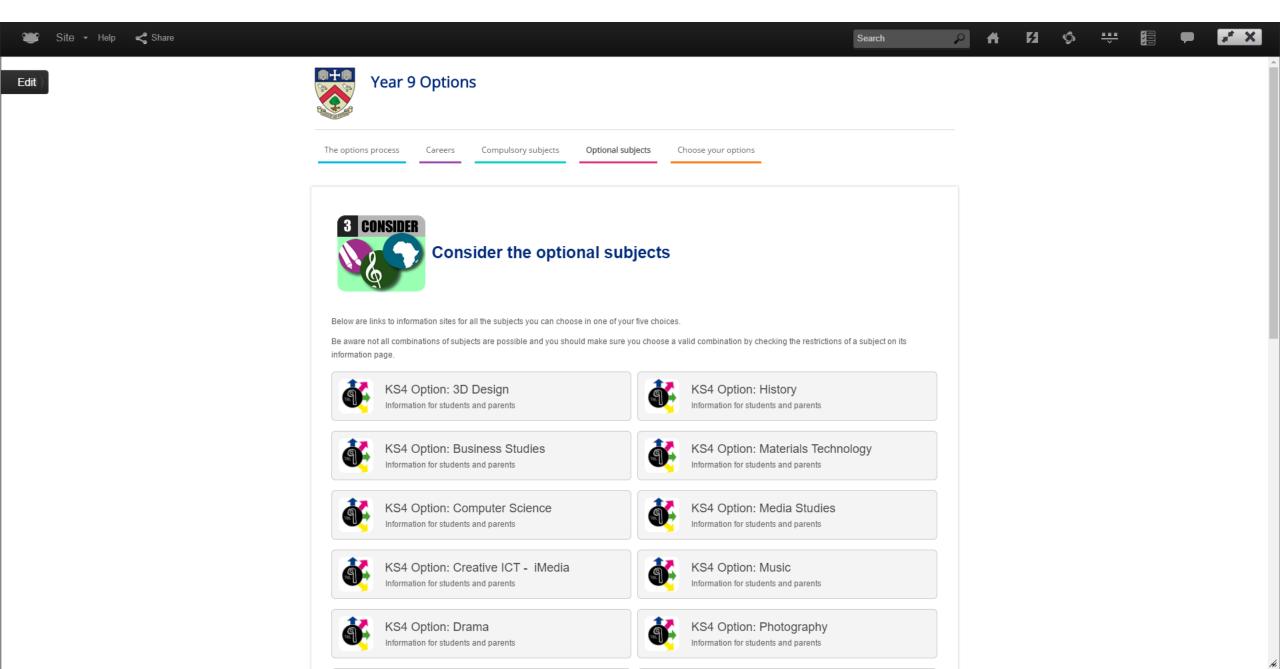
#### Collaboration with parents: sharing their child's achievements outside school



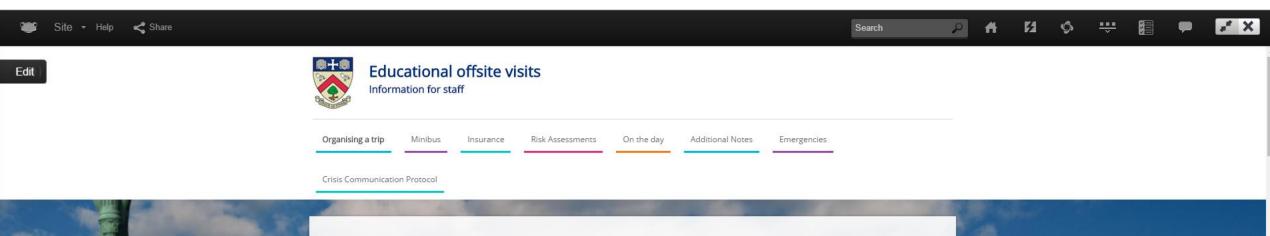
## Reduced photocopying and administration: application forms



#### Reduced photocopying and administration: no Year 9 option booklet



#### Reduced photocopying and administration: no staff handbook





#### This site is for teachers thinking about, or planning an educational visit

Please follow the procedures below.

#### Administrative support

NOTE: The school office do not provide administration for trips. You will need to do this yourself, and may be a consideration before proposing the trip.

#### Step 1: Getting approval for the trip

#### Is your trip category 1 or category 2?

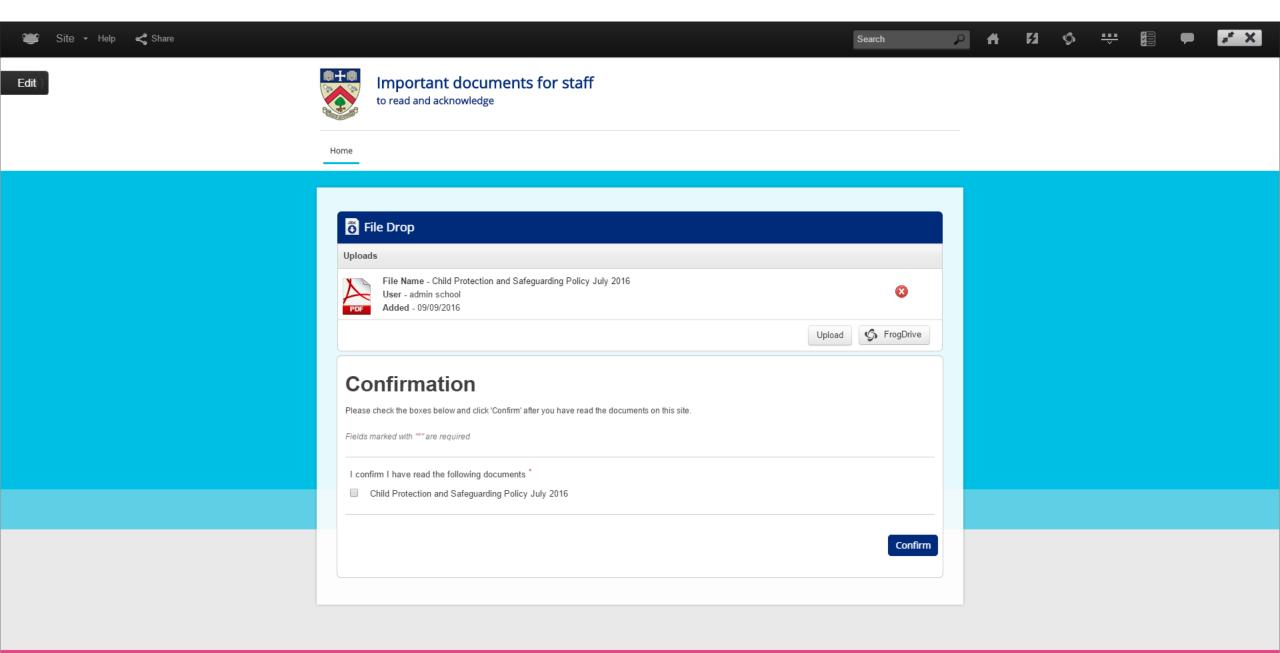
Category 1 trips include: trips abroad, residential visits, adventurous activities & hazardous pursuits. This may include airborne activities, camping, caving, canoeing, canyoning, climbing, coastering, field studies in mountainous areas, ghyll scrambling, gorge-walking, mountain and moorland walking, mountaineering, mountain biking, pony trekking, ropes courses, snowsports and watersports. We do not support students undertaking paintballing.

Category 2 trips are everything else that involves taking students off site.

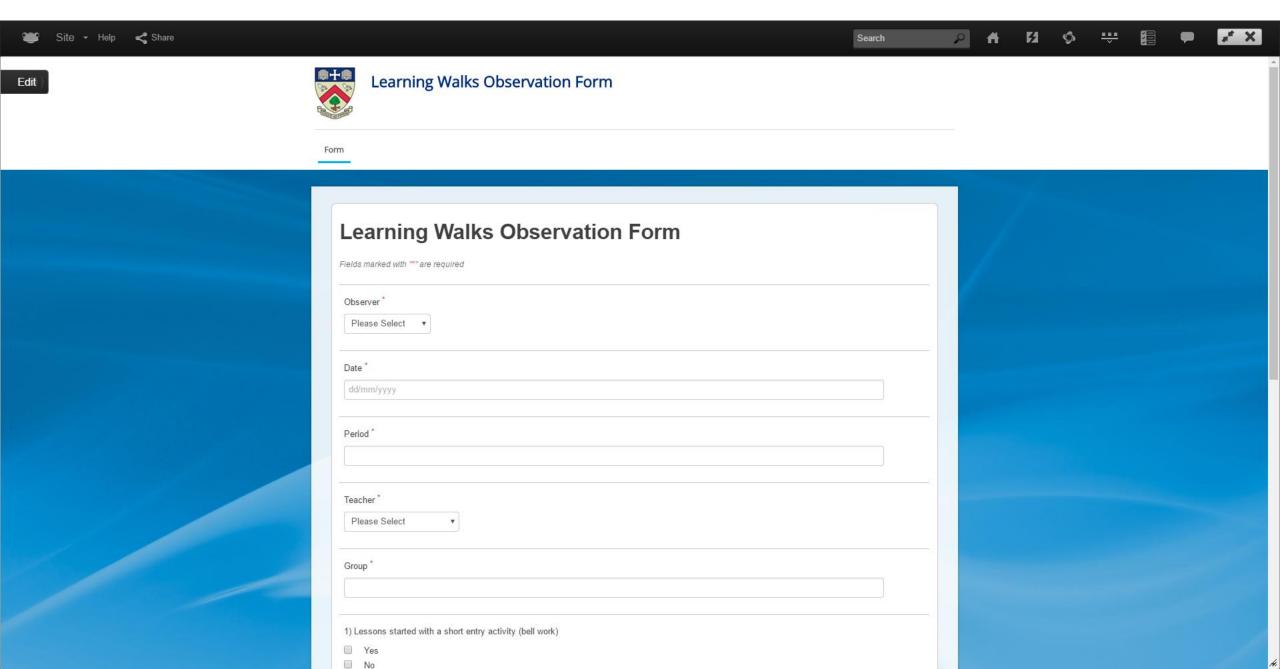
#### Minimising disruption: considerations before seeking approval from SLT offsite visit coordinator (OVC)

- . All trips and visits which take place during school terms must have clear curricular links or form part of the agreed programme of Outdoor Education activities.
- Individual members of staff should not normally miss more than 10 days of teaching for trips and visits during the academic year and never more than 5 days consecutively. Planned absence should be discussed with Heads of Department.
- . Trips are avoided whenever possible during September and during the last weeks of term before the Christmas, Easter and Summer holidays.
- Year groups are not allowed to participate in trips during the period leading up to internal or external examinations (this includes trips during school holidays).

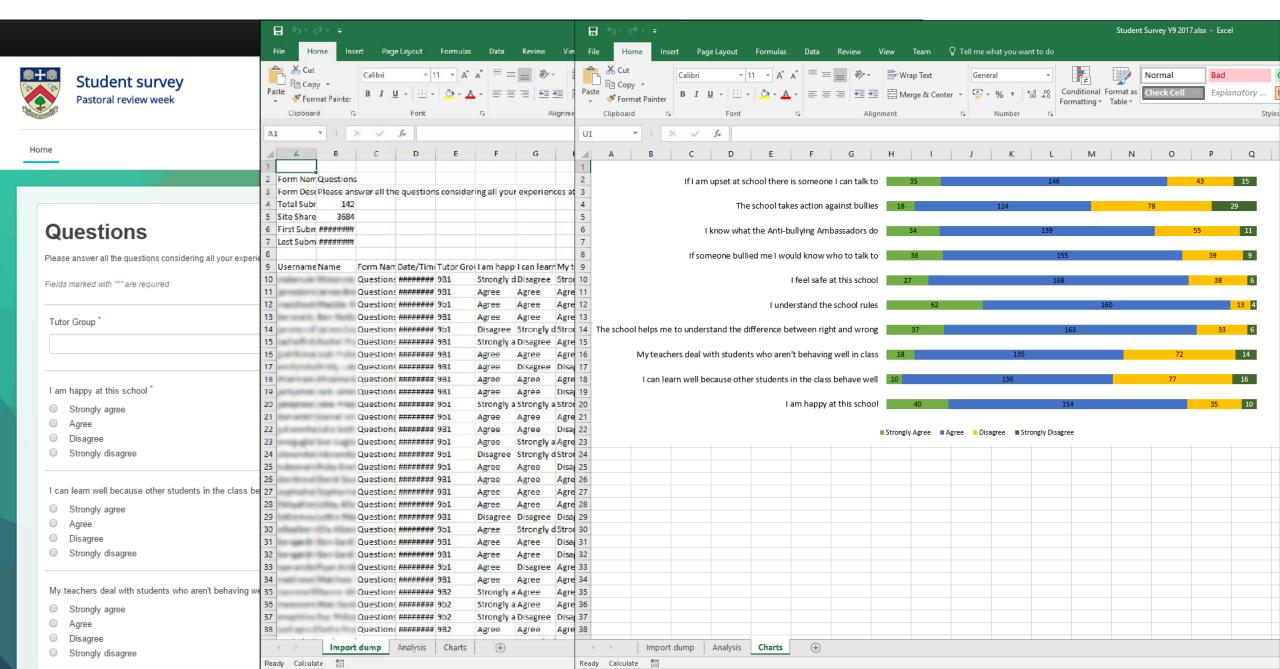
#### Reduced photocopying and administration: acknowledging important documents



## Easy access to data for analysis: lesson observations



#### Easy access to data for analysis: student surveys



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## 5 actions

1. Gain a good knowledge of what Frog can do.

This is about being able to make sound strategic decisions with IT applications. Do you want lots of apps or one platform? Do other IT systems duplicate Frog's functionality, and is there a sound rationale for using one tool instead of another?

2. Identify something in your school improvement plan that Frog can make a difference with.

Communication, administrative efficiency, or the quality of teaching and learning. Success with Frog can only be driven from the top of the school, one step at a time.

3. Learn how Frog can help you achieve your objectives.

The functionality of Frog is increasing all the time. Have you looked at assignments, play, progress and feedback?

4. Set a goal.

Specific and measurable objectives with tangible outcomes. Consider the strategic vision, necessary change in culture, who can actually make a difference, and the CPD that would be required to get you from A to B.

5. Measure your success against this goal.

Continue to evaluate where you are and where you want to go next.





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