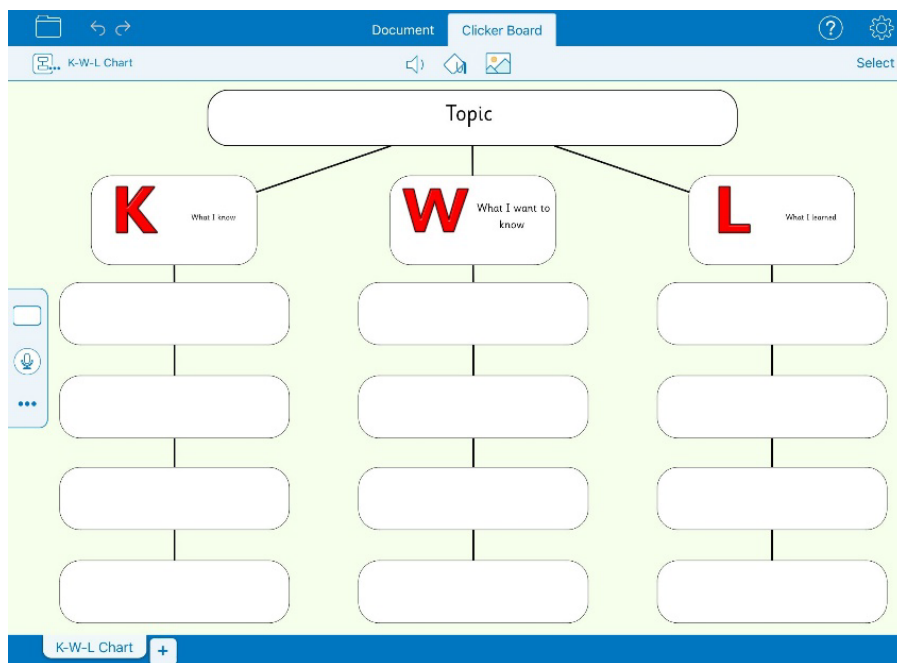SET▶BC

Clicker Writer: K-W-L Chart

Introduction

The K-W-L Chart helps students think about what they **K**now about a topic, what they **W**ant to know, and what they have **L**earned about the topic in the end. This note-taking chart on Clicker Writer will guide students through a three-step process to organize prior knowledge, develop a purpose for learning, and track their progress.

Integration Ideas

- Graphic organizer
- Group discussion to engage in a new topic.
- Assessing background knowledge.
- Summarizing what students have learned.
- Generating questions about a topic.

Task Challenge Activity

1. Launch the **Clicker Writer** app on your iPad and open **LearningGrids** by tapping the **Folder** icon in the top left-hand corner.
2. Tap **LearningGrids**. The **LearningGrids** dialogue box will pop up.
3. Type 'kwl' in the search bar and tap the green **GO** button next to it.
4. Tap the green **Open** button to download the K-W-L Chart. The chart will be automatically open.
5. Double tap the **Topic** cell to add a topic. You can tap the keyboard icon in the top right-hand corner of the cell to activate the on-screen keyboard.
6. Double tap empty cells under the **K** (What I know), **W** (What I want to know), and **L** (What I learned) cells to add sentences and questions.
7. Try the following:
   a. Add some images to empty cells.
   b. Add text to empty cells.
   c. Reorganize cells.
   d. Add more cells.
   e. Add Voice Notes.
   f. Delete one image that you have added.
   g. Delete text that you have added.
   h. Delete a cell.
   i. Change the background colour of the chart.
   j. Change the background colour of a cell.
   k. Change the shape of a cell.
   l. Undo one thing you have added.

Where Can I Learn How to Use It?

➢ Introduction to Clicker Board

This tutorial on Cricksoft's website will help you learn how to create and edit a Clicker Board.

Where Can I Get Ideas on How to Use It with Students?

➢ Clicker K-W-L Chart

This blog post on Cricksoft's website introduces the K-W-L Chart on LearningGrids.

What If I Want to Know Even More?

➢ Clicker Training - Apps - iPad/Chromebook

There are accessible video tutorials on how to use Clicker Writer on Cricksoft's website.

➢ SET-BC Resources

To find more information on Clicker iOS apps – Clicker Writer, Clicker Talk and Clicker Books – please visit SET-BC Resources.