

## Free Must-Have iPad Apps for Teachers

**Air Sketch Free -** Turn your iPad into a wireless whiteboard and project live sketches to a local computer.

**Anti-Stress Quotes -** This helpful app gives you many wise quotes on the topic of stress from the most influential men and women.

**CloudOn** – CloudOn lets you use your iPad to create, view, and edit files directly in Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint. It also lets you use Dropbox to manage your files. Requires free registration.

**Dropbox** – Install Dropbox on your computer and your iPad and easily transfer and share files between the two. Requires free registration.

**Dragon Dictation** – Dragon Dictation is an easy-to-use voice recognition application powered by Dragon NaturallySpeaking that allows you to easily speak and instantly see your text or email messages. In fact, it's up to five times faster than typing on the keyboard.

**Educreations Interactive Whiteboard** – Educreations turns your iPad into a recordable whiteboard. Creating a great video tutorial is as simple as touching, tapping, and talking. With voice recording, realistic digital ink, photo imports, and simple sharing through email, Facebook, or Twitter, now you can broadcast your ideas from anywhere.

**eduTecher** (sic) – **Backpack** - This app puts the best web tools and reviews of educational websites in the palm of your hand, saving you time with lesson planning and making learning more enjoyable for your students.

**Evernote** - Evernote lets you take notes, capture photos, create to-do lists, record voice reminders--and makes these notes completely searchable, whether you are at home, at work, or on the go. Install on your computer as well. Requires free registration.

**iTunes U** – This app offers an easy way to design and distribute complete courses featuring audio, video, books, and other content. Students and lifelong learners can experience your courses for free through their iPad, iPhone, and iPod touch.

**Kindle** - The Kindle app is optimized for the iPad, iPhone, and iPod touch, giving users the ability to read Kindle books, newspapers, magazines, textbooks, and PDFs on a beautiful, easy-to-use interface. You'll have access to over 1,000,000 books in the Kindle Store plus hundreds of newspapers and magazines. Amazon Whispersync automatically syncs your last page read, bookmarks, notes, and highlights across

devices (including Kindle), so you can pick up your book where you left off on another device. Requires free registration.

**LiveBinders** - LiveBinders lets you integrate the content you use and collect in the cloud. Create virtual binders of information on any topic. Add your own text to further personalize your resources.

**Nature Music Radio** - Listen to a selective list of nature music from all over the world on a variety of radio stations.

**neu.Annotate PDF** - Read and annotate PDF documents. Annotate with drawings, highlighting text, text notes, photos, and stamps. Annotations are compatible with Apple Preview and Adobe Acrobat! Annotated PDF files can be shared via email as well as exported to iTunes. Individual pages can also be shared in PNG and JPG formats, in addition to PDF.

**QRset** - QRset is a simple, intuitive, and fun way to scan your QR codes. Scan them sideways, upside down, or inside out, it doesn't matter with QRset.

**Skitch for iPad** - Use shapes, arrows, sketches and text annotation to get your point across fast. Mark up photos, screenshots, maps, and webpages then share them with anyone you like.

**TeacherPal** - TeacherPal is a personal organizer for the teacher. It enables the teacher to organize classes, and students. Its simple and intuitive interface enables teachers to track the attendance, grades, and behavior of students.

**TED** - TED's official app presents talks from some of the world's most fascinating people: education radicals, tech geniuses, medical mavericks, business gurus, and music legends. Find more than 900 TEDTalk videos (with more added each week) on the official TED app -- now for both iPad and iPhone.

**Wikihood for iPad** - Wikihood intelligently organizes Wikipedia information for any place in the world using advanced semantic data mining. Within a few clicks, you not only get access to all the locations around you, but also the vast information related to these locations categorized by "persons" and "culture/buildings."

**Wikipanion for iPad** - Accessing Wikipedia has never been faster and easier than with Wikipanion, designed for easy, search, navigation and display of Wikipedia entries. Streamline your browsing with history grouped by visit date, and bookmarking that not only bookmarks individual entries, but individual sections within an entry.

**WunderMap** - The world's most interactive and user-friendly weather map from Weather Underground has gone full screen as well as touch screen!

**Zite Personalized Magazine** - Zite is a free, personalized magazine for your iPad that automatically learns what you like and gets smarter every time you use it. Zite delivers all the great news, articles, blogs, and videos you want, and helps you discover new stuff that you'll love.