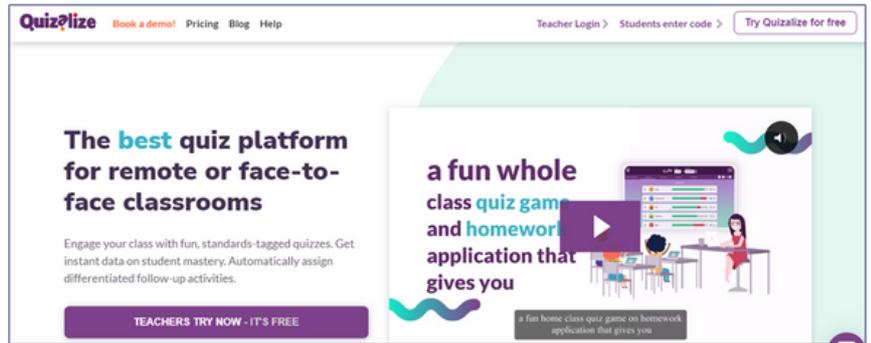


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<https://www.quizalize.com/>



 **CATEGORY:** Action

 **GRADE AND SUBJECT:** Quizalize can be used for different groups of students, starting from elementary and primary school to college and university levels.

 **SHORT DESCRIPTION:** Quizalize is a quiz- game that helps teachers better understand students and their needs. It is a handy tool for teachers to know where students are and how they are doing in the classroom.

READING TIME: 4 minutes
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 **LEARNING GOALS:** Quizalize is a quiz-making tool with gaming functionality that can be used to stimulate student engagement, increase student participation, and improve student learning. As students take their quizzes, teachers collect essential information and analytical data on their performance and track their real-time progress. These reports benefit formative assessment and provide teachers with crucial data to help them plan effective interventions, provide separated learning opportunities for students, and inform lesson planning and teaching strategies.

 **MOMENTS OF NEED OF THE TOOL:** Plan & act upon what they have learned.

 **LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY (RATING) AND AGE LEVEL:** Easy, 5-7, 8-10, 11-13, 14-16, 17-18

 **WHY USE THIS TOOL:** There are several classroom game websites, but the data sets Quizalize apart. Teachers can see who needs help while students are still taking the quiz, and they can see how students answered each question. The software also makes formative assessments fun for students. When students enjoy reviews, teachers can quickly implement more frequent examinations. This results in more valuable data on students' progress, achievements and learning gaps at the micro and macro levels. Teachers can then quickly and easily implement differentiated learning customised to each student's needs, maximising the progress of all students.

 **TOOL DESCRIPTION:** Quizalize is a quiz game website for the classroom. Quizzes can be created with multiple-choice or two-choice questions or one-word answers presented as word puzzles. Students access the quiz from the web using a class code and see the completed quiz on their screen. Teachers can see each student's progress against the score target and can choose to show this progress to the class. Teachers can connect to Google Classroom through ZZish, a dashboard/tracking system for student data. Students can play the game quickly using the class code or log in with their G Suite for Education account. Ready-made quizzes are available, some free, and teachers can share the quizzes they create for free or for a fee. After the quiz, students can see their score, the time taken to answer each question and a list of questions, their answers, and correct answers. Likewise, teachers see a quick list of students who did well and need help.

 **PREPARATION AND HOW TO USE THE TOOL:** Teachers can use this tool to create new quizzes or use quizzes created by other teachers. It is an accessible tool having text-to-speech available. Once the quizzes are completed, the teachers can have access to the students' progress. For more information visit:
<https://www.educatorstechnology.com/2021/11/quizalize-engage-your-class-using-game.html>

 **RESOURCES NEEDED:** Tablets – Smartphones – Laptops with an internet connection and browser/Smartboard

 **ADDITIONAL REFERENCES:**

- Technology for Teachers and Students, *Quizalize Tutorial – Educational Games*
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3M3We-Sl0tM>

 **PROS AND CONS OF USING THE TOOL:**

PROS Quizalize has a colourful, child-friendly interface, easy to use and intuitive. When creating quizzes, teachers may go beyond the typical question and answer options; they can also choose from different response times for students, add explanations and break down quiz questions into specific topics. Images and equations can also be added to questions, making it easy to integrate Quizalize into any school subject. Quizalize also allows you to randomise the order of questions to make things more varied for students and to project them onto interactive whiteboards so teachers can click on the quiz directly on the board. Quizalize offers a great deal of product support right from the start. It provides a guide, a video tutorial and a demonstration quiz.

CONS One of the biggest challenges for teachers who want to use quiz platforms that require every student to have a device is the accessibility of the devices themselves. Another potential barrier is that although the basic functions of Quizalize are free of charge, the whole school package has to be paid, which may prevent the school administration from being eager to universalise it across all grades and subjects.

 **TEACHERS' RECOMMENDATION RATE (SCORE):** 4.8/5