

# Glogster

<http://edu.glogster.com>

**Description:** Glogster is a web poster making program that lets students make “glogs” or posters that include images, animations, sound recordings, video and more. It lets students post these glogs to be seen by other students who can rate them, comment on them and respond with their own creations.

**System Requirements:** Adobe Flash Player 10, Firefox, Safari, Internet Explorer or Chrome web browser. 128 MBs of RAM.

**Signup Requirements:** There are no signup requirements for Glogster. Signup is required to rate other users glogs and post comments.

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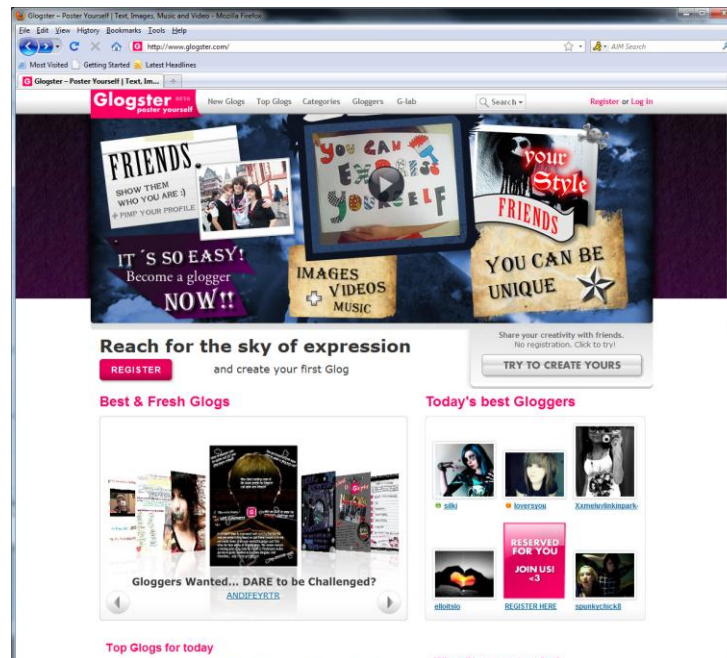
## Installing Glogster:

1. Installation is not needed for Glogster if Adobe Flash is installed
  2. If Adobe Flash is not installed it can be downloaded at <http://get.adobe.com/flsahplayer>.
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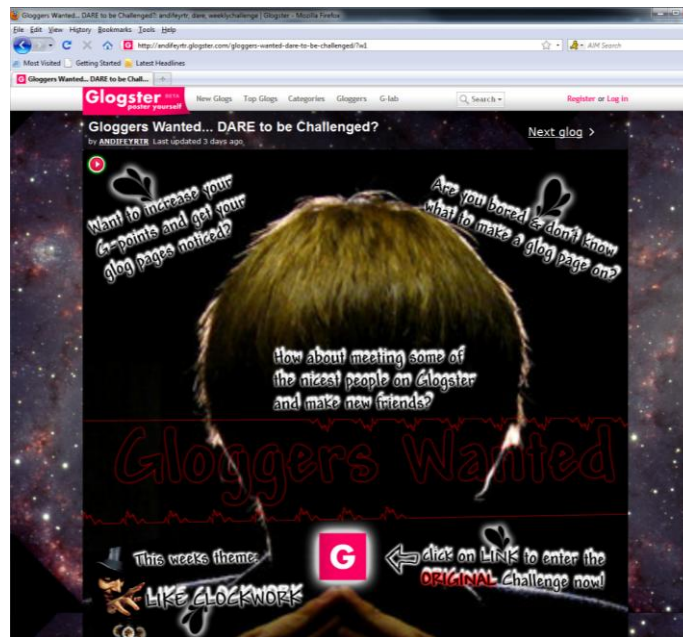
**Using Glogster:** There are several guides to Glogster (as well as a FAQ) available, but below are some tips to get started on making your first Glog.

Go to the website [www.glogster.com](http://www.glogster.com) to get started.

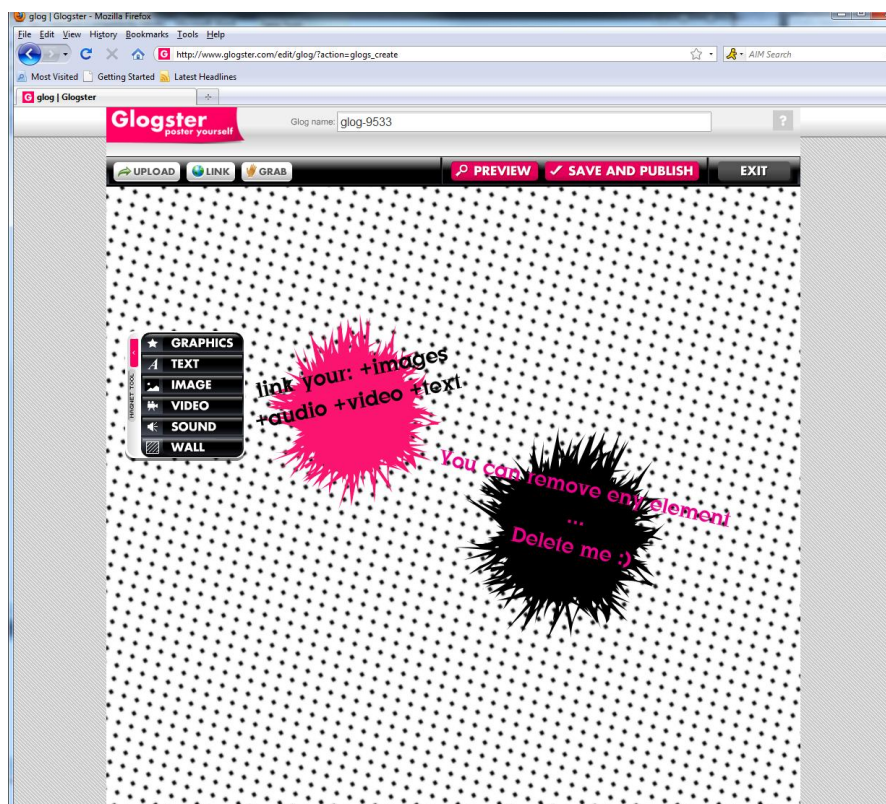
On the start screen you will see many of the best glogs from other users which are updated regularly. To see another user's glog simply click on it.



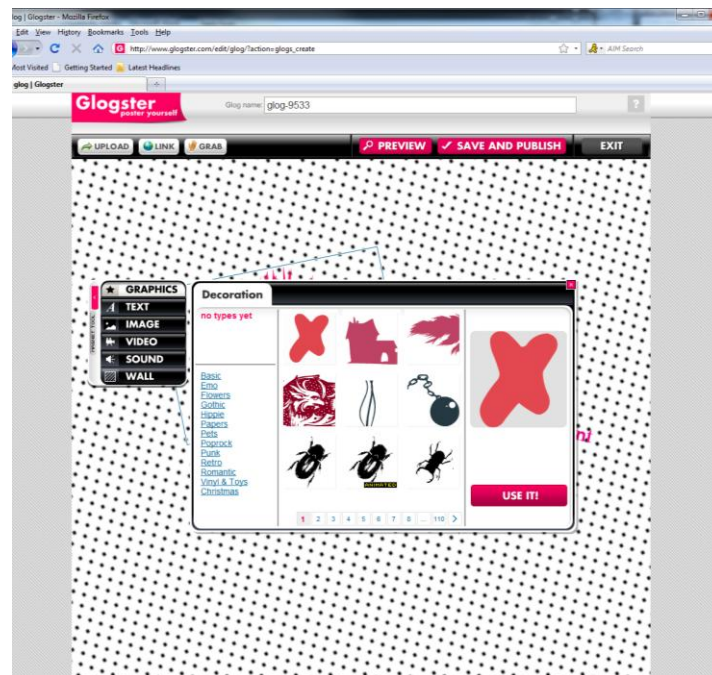
The glog will open and videos/sounds/interactive elements will load automatically. At the bottom of each glog students can rate the glog, post comments and see other glogs from the same author or other students.



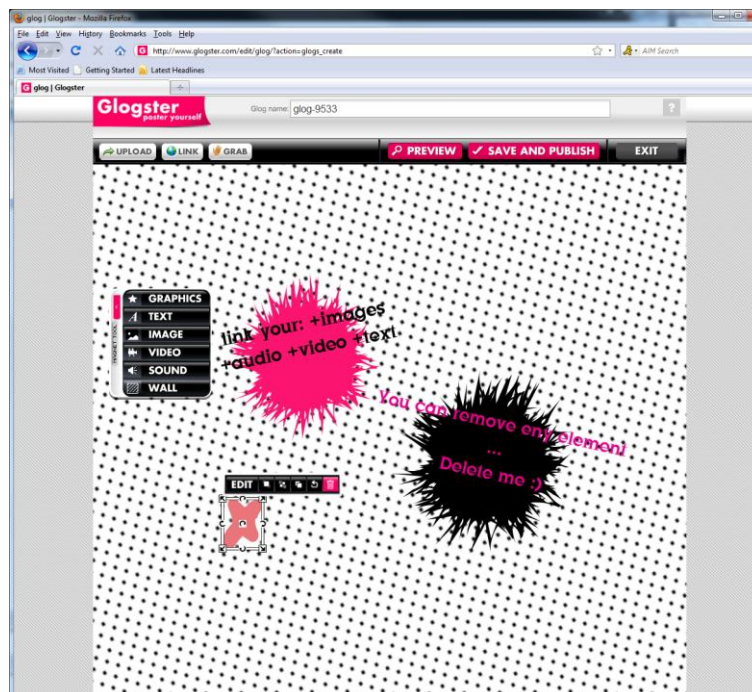
To start a new glog from the first page students simply click on "Try to Create Yours" and are taken to the canvas screen below (no registration is required to do this though you will need to register to share glogs with others)



To add graphics to the glog simply select the “graphics” option and many preset graphics will become available for use.

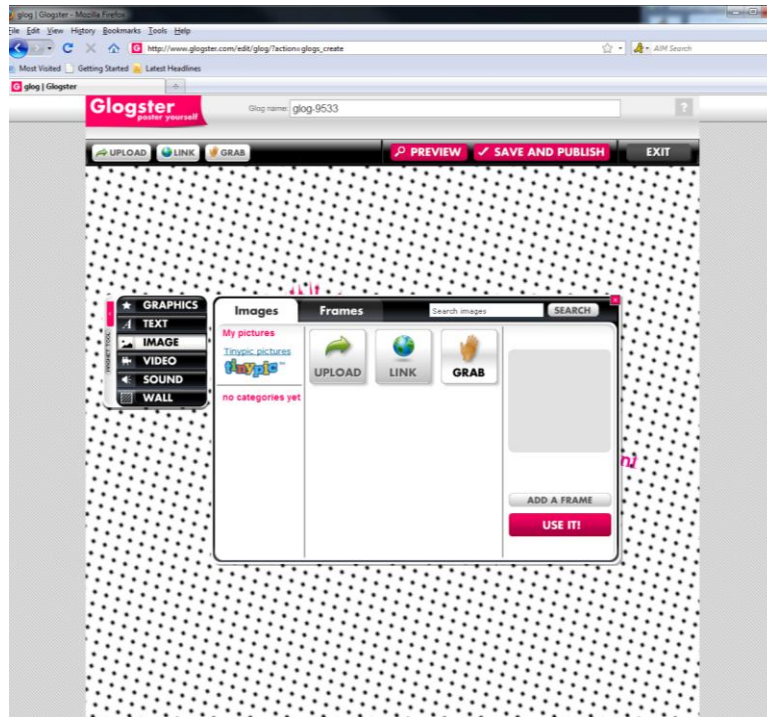


Students simply click on an element they wish to use, click the “Use It” button, and it becomes available for placement as seen below. It can be enlarged, made smaller, rotated and edited by simply clicking on the options around the graphic.

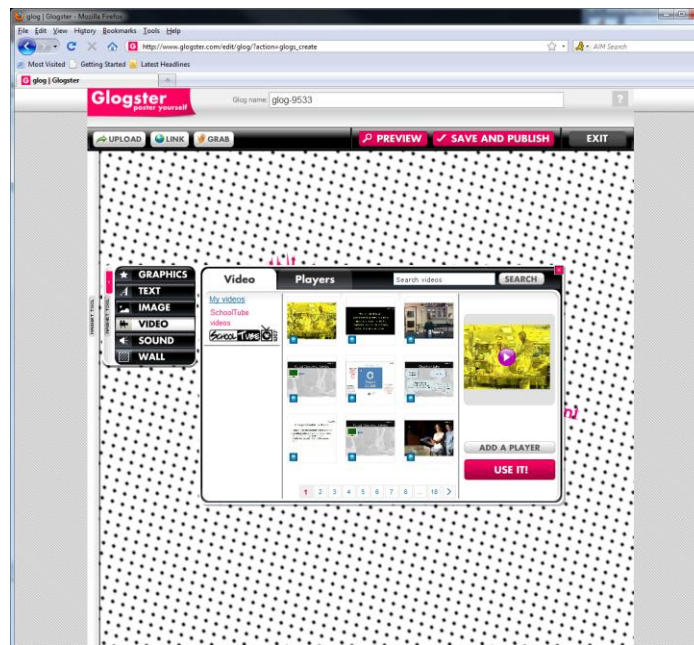




Images, Videos and Sound work in a similar way to graphics, but you can use your own media in addition to the media provided by Glogster. Upload lets you upload files from your computer. Link lets you link to a web address where you stored the files and Grab lets you use your web camera or microphone to make your own sounds/videos to add to the glog.



Video does not automatically play and must be linked to a player button. To play video first select a video (a collection of schooltube video choices shown below can be imbedded without being imported) and then choose the Add a Player option. Once this is done the video can be placed and moved just like any other image.



When you are finished you can choose Preview to see it the way other students will see it, or you can hit Save and Publish which will bring up the Publish Changes window shown below. You can choose the name of the glog, choose what category it belongs in, choose Tag words that let people find your glog when they do a search and

choose whether the glog will be private (friends only) or public (anyone can search and see it). Hit Save and Publish again and you're finished!

