

TikTok And The Classroom

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My Inquiry Question

What role can TikTok play in the classroom? What are the pros and cons of using the app?

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What is TikTok?

Hint: it's a lot more than just dance videos!

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What is the relationship between TikTok and teaching and learning?

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Pros, Cons and Risks

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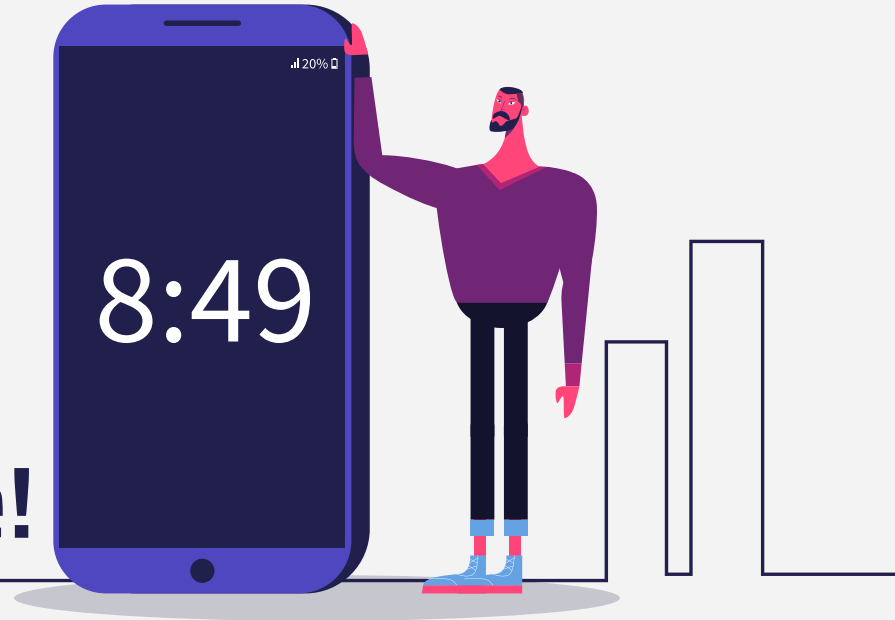
How to use TikTok safely and successfully in the classroom

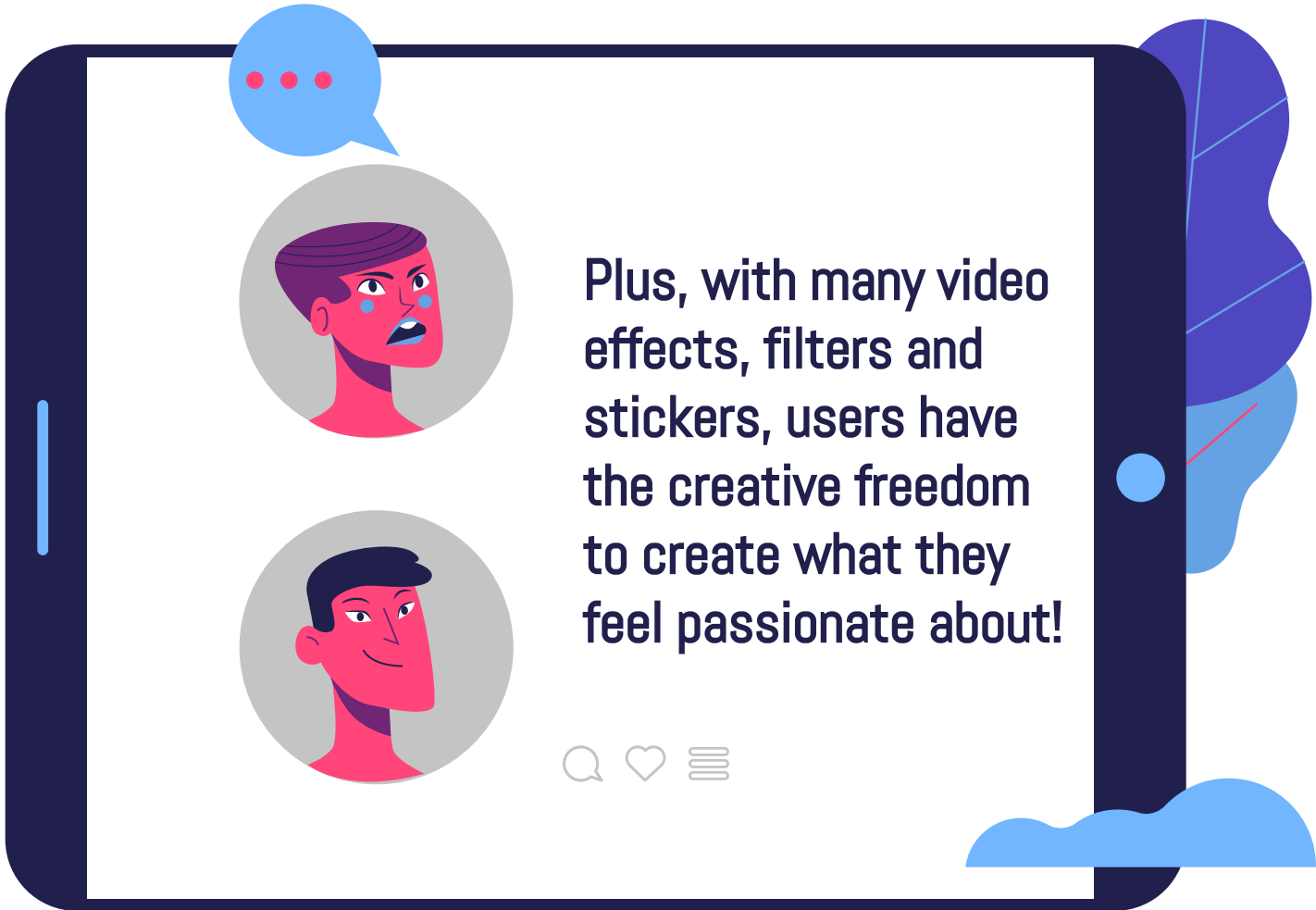


01

What is TikTok?

- **How-to videos**
- **Comedy videos**
- **Factual videos**
- **Original songs**
- **And so much more!**





Plus, with many video effects, filters and stickers, users have the creative freedom to create what they feel passionate about!





02

What is the relationship between TikTok and teaching and learning?

Uses for TikTok in the classroom

- Teachers can use them in lessons
- Students can use them to demonstrate their learning in a creative way
- Teachers can use them to learn tips and tricks from other teachers

**“That can be kind of a dry issue,
[but using TikTok is] a chance for
them to be creative. It’s a fun way
for students to show what they
know.”**

**- Andrew Kozlowsky, high school
teacher**





03

What are the
pros, cons
and risks?

Pros

Cons

Risks

Relatability

Students can get
distracted

Potential for
cyber-bullying

Students (and teachers)
have creative freedom

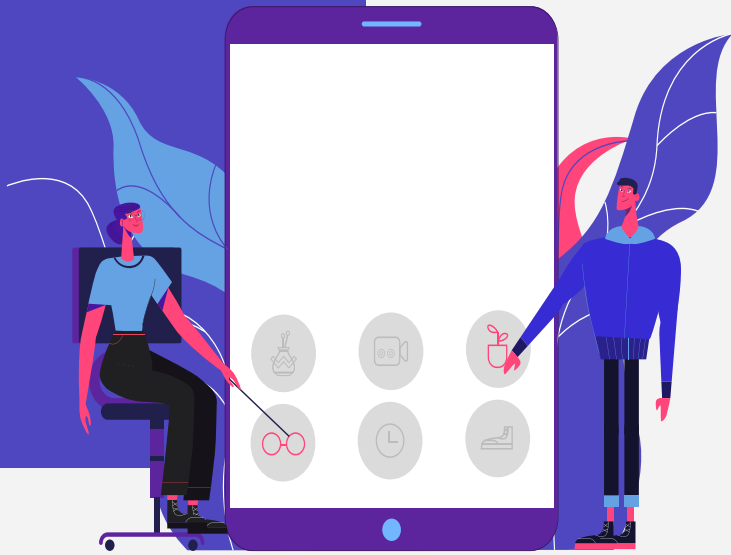
Not all of the videos on
the app are school
appropriate

Unclear what social
media companies do
with the data they
collect

Millions of videos that
are all free to access and
use

Students require a
device that has TikTok
installed

If students do not make
their videos private,
anyone can see them



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How to use
TikTok safely and
successfully in
the classroom

How to use TikTok safely



Privacy

Have students set their accounts to private



Comments

Change who can comment on your videos



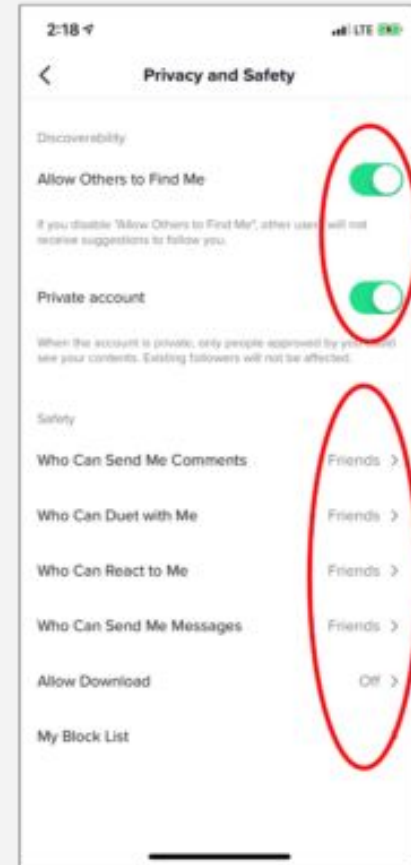
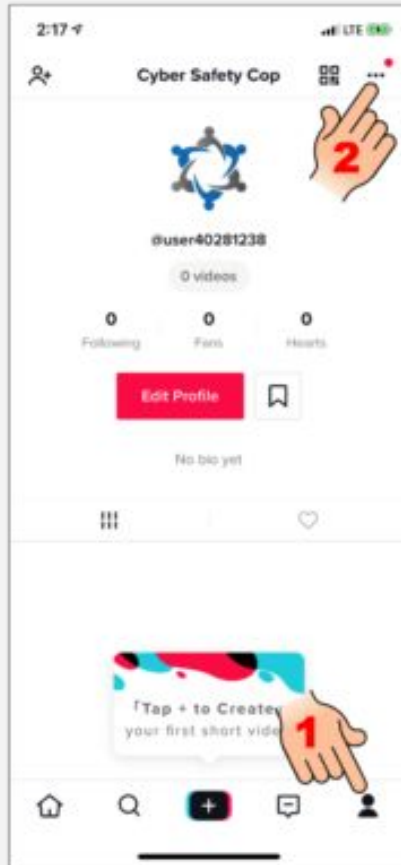
Sharing

Change who can duet or save your videos



Content

Limit the content that students can access in "family pairing"



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IN CONCLUSION



TikTok gives its users plenty of creative freedom



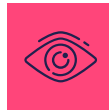
TikTok is very relevant right now so it will help engage students



There are plenty of videos to choose from that teachers can use to teach the class



There are security risks, but there are features that can minimize these



Not all security risks can be eliminated so teachers must be wary of students' use of the app



Some schools may have policies against using the app because of its data collection



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