

Welcome!

Playing to Learn: Hosting Online Games with iClicker

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Today's Agenda

- Why Play Games with iClicker?
- Best Practices for Online Games
- Play Games with Us in iClicker Reef!
 - Balance the Bars
 - Jeopardy!
 - Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?
- Ideas for Other iClicker Games
- Q&A

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Why Play Games with iClicker?



- Lightweight solution for **game-based learning**
- Complements iClicker's **polling, quizzing,** and **attendance**
- Keep your classes **feeling fresh**
- iClicker works with **all** content, **all** software -- including **game boards**

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Best Practices for Playing Games

- Play with **iClicker Cloud** or **iClicker Classic**
 - **Classic users:** Enable Reef for online use!
- Play with **teams** or **individually**
 - **Individually** recommended for online
- The whole class can **“win”**
- Score **correct answers** right away
- Limit game to **15-20 minutes**
- Connect to **course content** and **objectives**





Let the Games Begin!

Balance the Bars

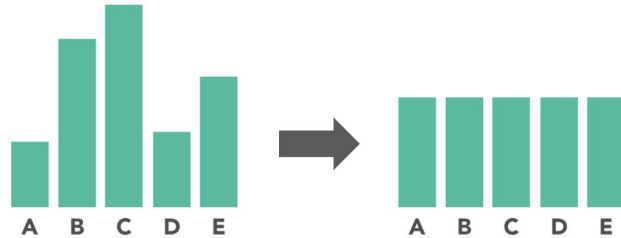
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“Balance the bars” before time expires!



1. I'm going to start a **multiple choice poll** and open the results window while the poll is running
2. You have **1 minute** to “balance the bars.”

Ready to Play?



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**[https://jeopardylabs.com/play/
travel-654](https://jeopardylabs.com/play/travel-654)**

Building the Game



- Create or use an existing **Jeopardy!** game at JeopardyLabs.com
- **Category names, dollar values, clues, and answers** are all fully editable
- Adaptable for **all iClicker question types** (multiple choice, numeric, short answer, target)
 - **Multiple choice** is the easiest and fastest response type for **handheld iClicker remotes**
- **Pro Tip:** Put the **question type** and **“dollar” value** in the clue!

Trains for 200

Question Prompt

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MULTIPLE CHOICE [200 PTS]: These tracks and train cars in Florida see more passengers than any other annually.

What is...

A) Carole Baskin's Big Cat Express?

B) SunRail?

It's traditional in Jeopardy to phrase this as a statement (ex: The third planet from the sun)

Contin...

Playing the Game



| Planes | Trains | Automobiles | Boats | Hotels | Can you take it on a plane? |
|--------|--------|-------------|-------|--------|-----------------------------|
| 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| 300 | 300 | 300 | 300 | 300 | 300 |
| 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 |

- **“No teams”** or individual mode best for **online**
- Start with an **easy \$100-level clue** to get students familiar with the game
- Instructor can **select clues**
- Continue selecting **clues in same category** until majority of class gets a question wrong, then move to **new category**

Scoring the Game



- **iClicker Cloud desktop software:**
 - Select **correct answers** as you play, using **results chart** on toolbar
 - There can be **multiple correct answers**
- **iClicker Cloud instructor website:**
 - After ending iClicker session, **update the point value** of each correct response to **match its dollar value** in the screenshot

Question 15 ... GRADED 100.00 points possible < > | X
Short Answer

The screenshot shows a question titled "SHORT ANSWER (100)": The first iClicker remotes allowed students to answer this type of question. Below the question is a table of responses. The table has columns for "Response", "Count", "Points", and "Best". The first two rows show "Mult choice" and "multiple choice" both with a score of 100.00. The third row shows "multi select" with a score of 0.00. The fourth row shows "A-E except after C" with a score of 1 (7%).

| Response | Count | Points | Best |
|--------------------|---------|--------|------|
| ✓ Mult choice | 1 (7%) | 100.00 | ☆ |
| ✓ multiple choice | 9 (64%) | 100.00 | ★ |
| multi select | 1 (7%) | 0.00 | |
| A-E except after C | 1 (7%) | | |

Final Jeopardy!



- Sort by **top scorers** in Grades tab to select contestants for **Final Jeopardy!**
- Give the **Final Jeopardy!** clue in your **presentation software** and set a **timer**
- Students can write out **wagers and responses** and hold them up at the same time
- **Winner can choose prize** that benefits the whole class

Session History

Poll Session 1 - 05/21/20 ▾ May 21, 2020, 10:38 AM | ...

Questions (26) **Grades**

Search Students...

| Student | Participation | Performance | Total |
|--------------------|---------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Class Average | 0.00 / 0.00 | 2,966.67 / 7,500.00 | 2,966.67 / 7,500.00 |
| Smith, Manisha | 0.00 | 5,500.00 | 5,500.00 |
| Qu, Suzie | 0.00 | 5,100.00 | 5,100.00 |
| Forsythe, Gina | 0.00 | 4,600.00 | 4,600.00 |
| Williams, Cullen M | 0.00 | 4,200.00 | 4,200.00 |

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**[https://www.superteachertools.us/
millionaire/millionaire.php?gamefil
e=175095](https://www.superteachertools.us/millionaire/millionaire.php?gamefile=175095)**

Building the Game



iClicker Webinar: Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?

[Play Your Game Now \(opens in a new tab\)](#)

Question #1: What is the original and still most popular iClicker question type?

Choice A: Short answer

Choice B: Numeric

Choice C: Multiple choice **Check the correct response!**

Choice D: Target

Value: 1000

Question #2: Where do you author iClicker questions?

Choice A: PowerPoint

Choice B: Google Slides

Choice C: Keynote

Choice D: All of the above -- and more! **Check the correct response!**

Value: 100000

Question #3: iClicker works with which of the following video conferencing tools?

Choice A: Zoom

Choice B: MS Teams

Choice C: Google Meet

Choice D: All of the above -- and more! **Check the correct response!**

Value: 500000

Question #4: iClicker is releasing a feature to support this type of course for Fall 2020.

Choice A: Elementary school

Choice B: Aerospace

Check the correct response!

- Create a **Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?** game at <http://www.superteachertools.us/millionaire/>
- Type in your **questions and answers**, and select the **correct answer** for each
 - **Multiple choice** questions only
 - **A-D responses** only (students shouldn't select "E" in iClicker Reef app)
- Modify **point values** if needed
- Accommodates **up to 15 questions** (can use fewer and game will automatically adjust)

Playing the Game



- **Individual mode**

- **Everyone responds** to questions individually
- Whole class moves forward **until you get to a question that the majority can't answer correctly**

- **Hybrid mode - what we did**

- **Everyone responds** to questions individually
- A **“contestant”** can **consult the results chart as an “ask the audience” lifeline**, but it's up to them to give a **“final answer”**
- Contestant continues until they get an answer wrong, then **another student can take over**

A screenshot of the iClicker Webinar interface for the game 'Who Wants to Be a Millionaire'. The interface is set against a purple background. At the top center is the game's logo. Below it is a title bar that reads 'iClicker Webinar: Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?'. There are two small buttons: 'Start This Game Over' and 'Edit This Game'. The main question area contains the text: 'What is the original and still most popular iClicker question type?'. Below the question are four answer options: 'A: Short answer', 'B: Numeric', 'C: Multiple choice', and 'D: Target'. To the right of the question area is a 'Lifelines' section with a '50:50' button, a 'Ask the Audience' button (represented by a person icon), and an 'Up Arrow' button. Below the lifelines is a 'Prize Money' section showing a list of questions and their corresponding values: 'Question 4 \$1000000', 'Question 3 \$500000', 'Question 2 \$100000', and 'Question 1 \$1000'. The 'Question 1' row is highlighted in orange.

Scoring the Game



- Two scoring ideas:
 - **Individual mode:** Everyone “wins” if the class as a whole makes it to a certain point (e.g., at least question 7 out of 10 questions)
 - **Hybrid mode:** Winning “contestant” gets to choose the prize

Mount Korab is the highest point of which country?

A: Belarus

B: Jordan

C: Morocco

D: Albania

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Short Answer

**Have you played any other games
with your students in iClicker?**

**Do you have any ideas of games you
would like to play?**

Share your ideas with us!

Helpful Links for iClicker Games

- **Jeopardy!:** <https://jeopardylabs.com/>
- **Who Wants to Be a Millionaire:**
<https://www.superteachertools.us/millionaire/>
- **PowerPoint Game Templates:**
 - **Tekhnologic:**
<https://tekhnologic.wordpress.com/>
 - **Rusnak Creative:**
<https://www.rusnakcreative.com/gameshows>
- **Rey Villanueva's Game-Based Learning Webinars**
- **Economics:**
 - EconPort Experiments
 - Game Theory
 - Macmillan Learning Activity Guides

The screenshot shows a game interface titled "TACIT COORDINATION GAME". It contains five numbered questions:

- 1 Choose a color:
- 2 Name a place on campus where students go to meet friends.
- 3 Name a Florida Key other than Key West.
- 4 Name a current female U.S. governor
- 5 What is the capital of Australia?

At the bottom of the interface, there are navigation arrows: a left arrow and a right arrow.



Questions? Comments?



Thank You!