

TOOL DESCRIPTION

Interactive Study Material tools allow instructors to add **in-line questions** and **discussion threads** to a document, video or audio for students to answer asynchronously, before going in-depth during in-class or synchronous sessions. Students can, at the same time, formulate their own questions and discussion topics to **discuss with their peers or instructor**.

Teacher values

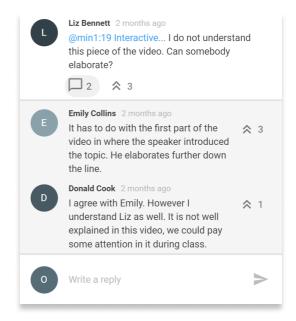
- enrich the study materials with questions and discussion prompts to increase engagement and understanding
- 2 activate high-level skills (analysis and evaluation), encourage student autonomy and active learning
- 3 gain insights into student progress and take timely intervention



Interactive Video

Student values

- 1 choose when and the pace at which students wish to complete the activities
- receive constant feedback and responses from teachers, engage in discussions with peers
- develop critical thinking and collaboration by formulating questions and discussions.



Comment thread

Further resources

The following articles can serve as resources to help you understand the Interactive Study Material tools

- Interactive Study Material
- Setting up Interactive Video *
- · Interactive Video I Teacher Perspective *
- Interactive Video I Student Perspective *



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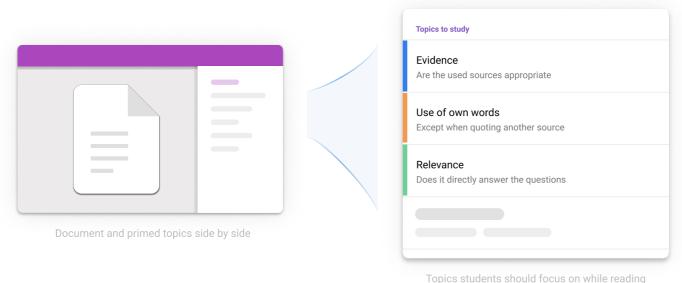
Comprehension tool gives instructors the opportunity to **upload different study materials (documents, vidoe, or audio)** for students to review while **identifying and priming on predefined topics** to guarantee a better understanding of the study material. Teacher also has the option to require students to write a summary of their annotations for deeper understanding of the content.

Teacher value

- Boosts knowledge uptake of the study materials;
- 2 Encourages students to go from rote memorization of the content to in-depth understanding and analysis;
- 3 Gain insights into the content and students' perception of the topics presented in the materials, using the heatmap function.

Student value

- Feel motivated to go beyond passively processing and memorizing the content
- Practice critical reading and thinking when being required to identify the underlying messages and themes of the content
- 3 Develop collaboration skills when reading peers' annotations and seeking clarification from others.



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Further resources

The following articles can serve as resources to get started with the Comprehension tool

- · Setting up Comprehension
- Comprehension I Teacher Perspective
- · Comprehension I Student Perspective