LiveBinders – organize your digital content into a visual portfolio

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WEBINAR OVERVIEW

- Housekeeping tips
- Questions for attendees
- Learn about LiveBinders
- Examples
- Links and resources
- Feedback and upcoming webinars

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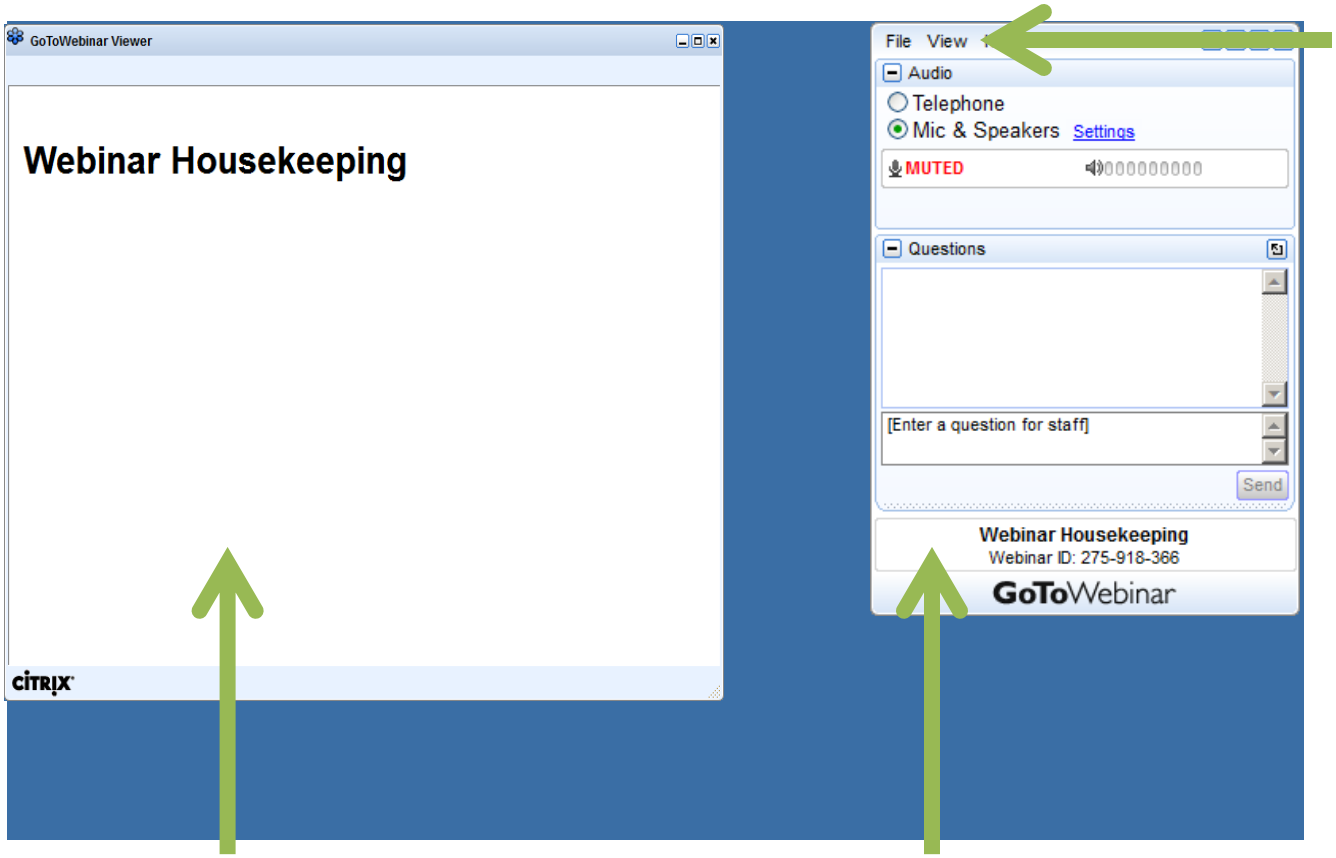

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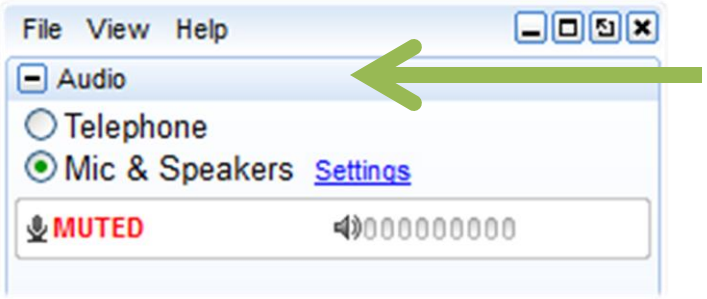

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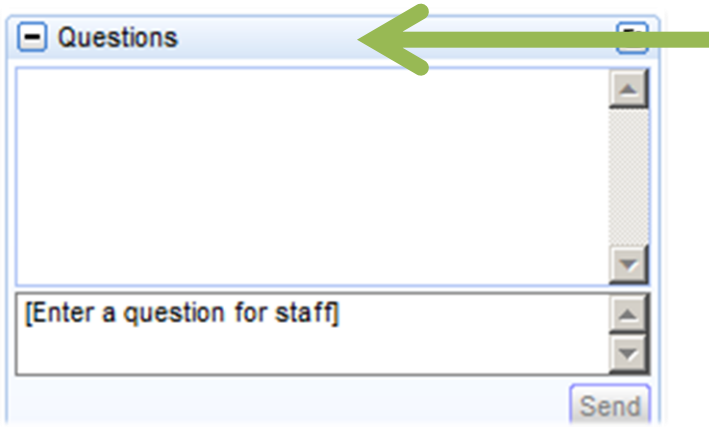

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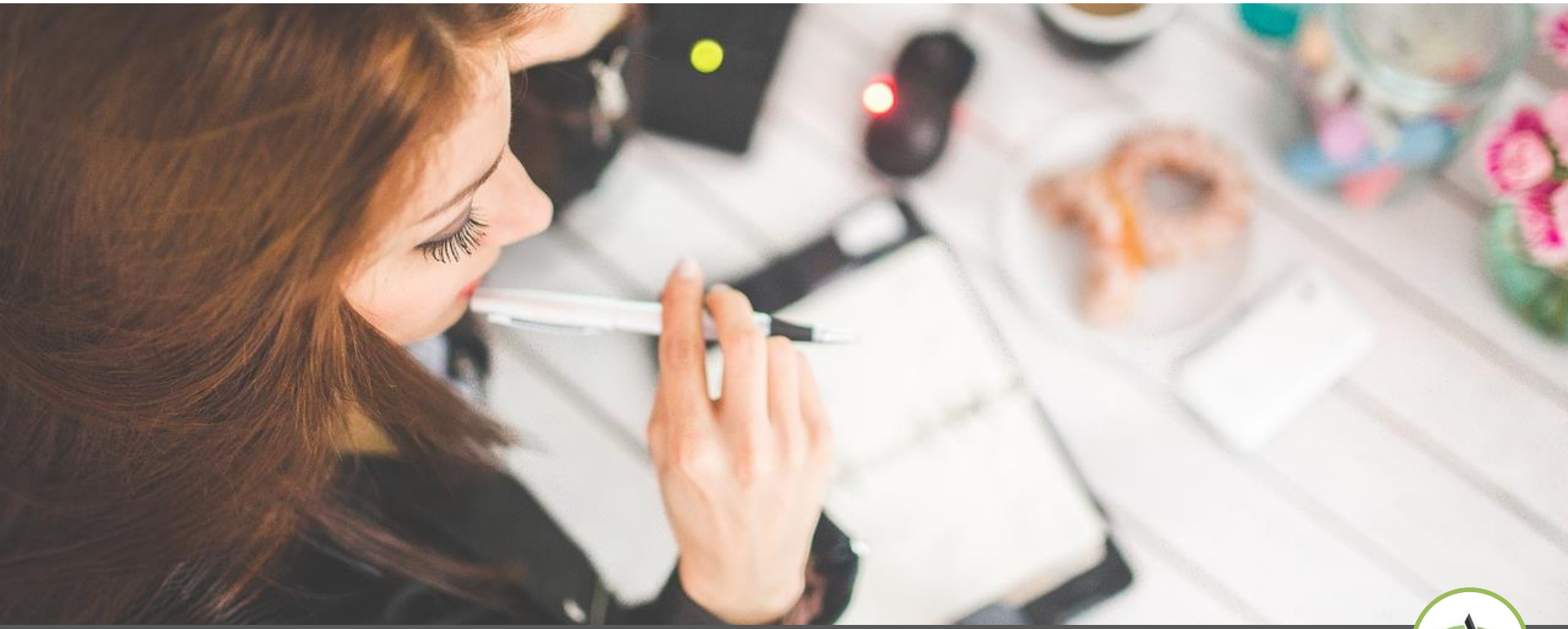
A FEW QUESTIONS FOR YOU

- Do you use binders/folders to organize your print-based content?
- What do you use them for specifically?
- Do you have a LiveBinders account?



WHAT IS IT?

"An online 3-ring binder for organizing your resources"

- An online service that allows you to collect and organize information using tabs (like in a binder)
- Links and documents are often displayed right in the LiveBinders
- Can be shared via a link (to an entire LiveBinder or to a specific tab) or embedded into a page

Intro video:
http://www.livebinders.com/welcome/video_window_youtube

WHAT IS IT?

Sample 1 (tabs on top)
Is there an App for that?
http://www.livebinders.com/play/play?id=416711

Sample 2 (tabs on the left)
Personal Digital Toolbox for Busy Educators
http://www.livebinders.com/play/play?id=1480874

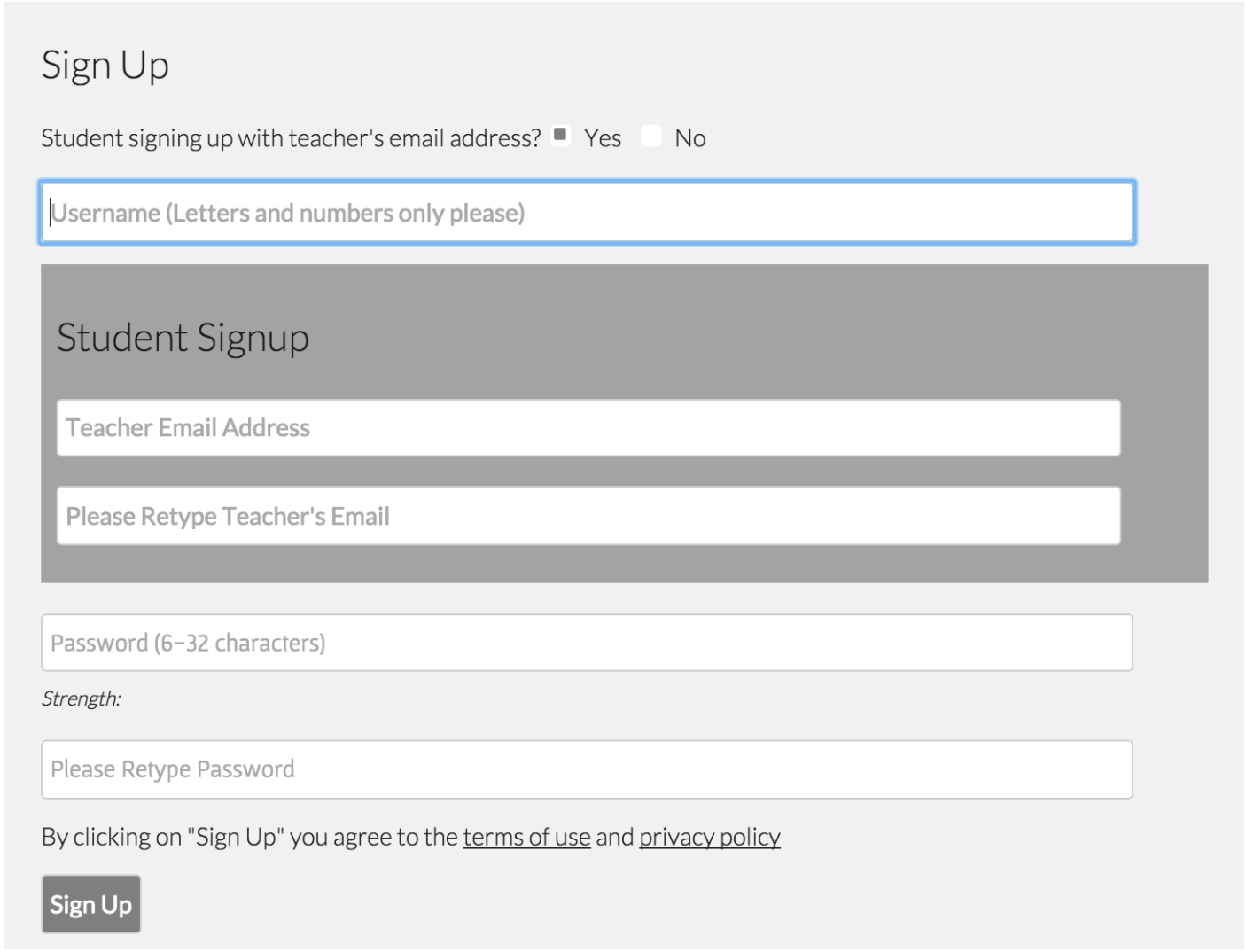
YOU SHOULD KNOW…

- You can have a public or private account that you can share with your colleagues or learners (explore LiveBinder document security to understand how your documents are handled when you set up a private binder in a free account)

- Various Apps (smart phones, tablets and browsers) are available

- Your students can sign up for LiveBinders Accounts using your email

STUDENT SIGNUP



PRICING

Don't upgrade alone! Group discounts start at 10 users

You need to create a Livebinders account first to subscribe. Sign-up now!

Free	Basic	Pro
	$8/month/user	$20/month/user
Limit of 10 Binders 2 levels of tabs	Unlimited Binders 3 levels of tabs	Unlimited Binders 3 levels of tabs
Storage of up to 100MB File size upload limit of 5MB	Storage of up to 1GB File size upload limit of 50MB	Storage of up to 50GB File size upload limit of 75MB
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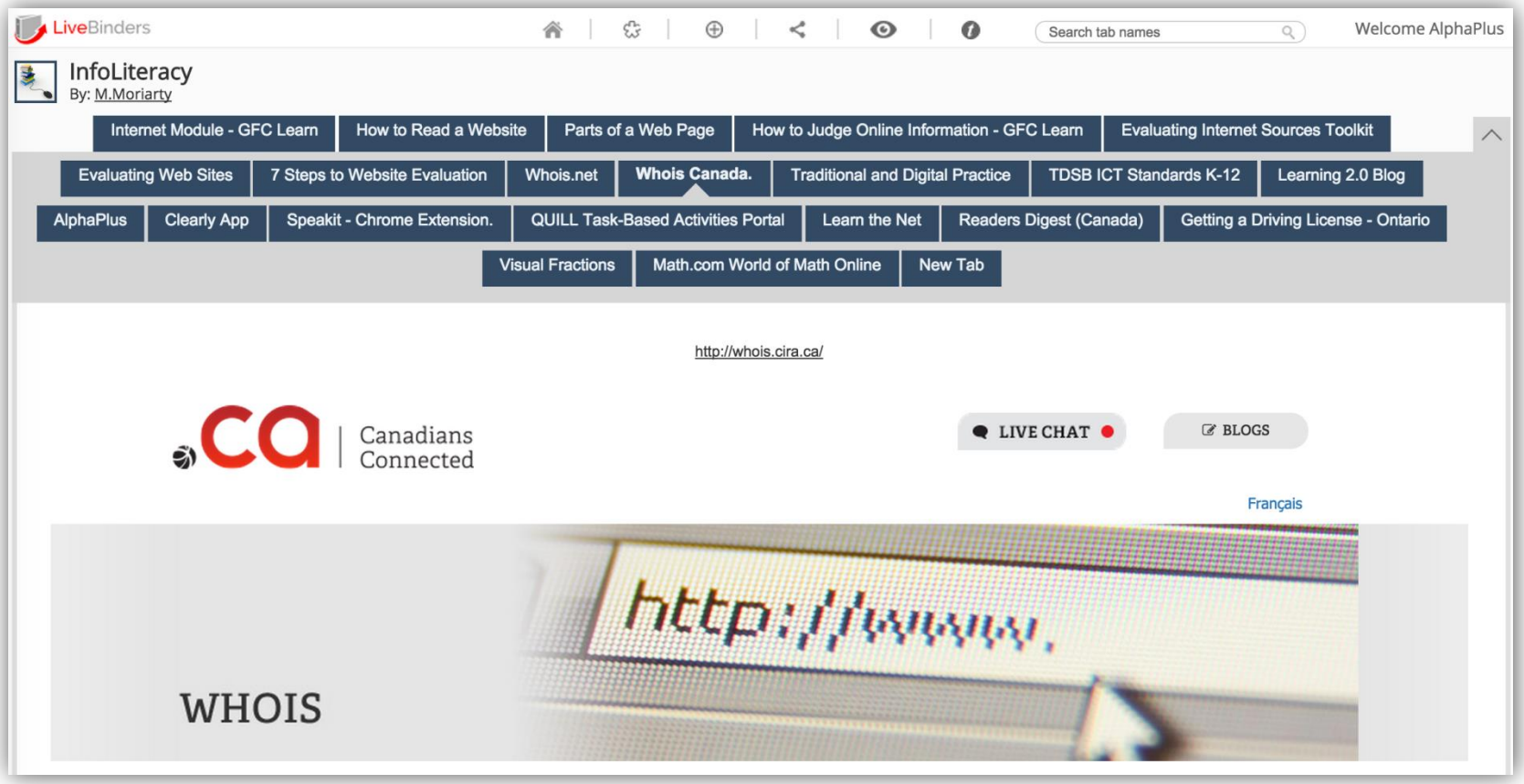
HOW CAN IT BE USED?

Think about the binders you use right now?
Could that content be set up and accessible online?

- Handbooks, orientation guides, training
- Presentations (instead of handouts)
- Lessons/activities for all learners in class
- Customized online binder with links/activities for each learner
- Projects/homework assignments
- ePortfolios
- Conferences/Meetings
- Board packages

EXAMPLES – Maria Moriarty



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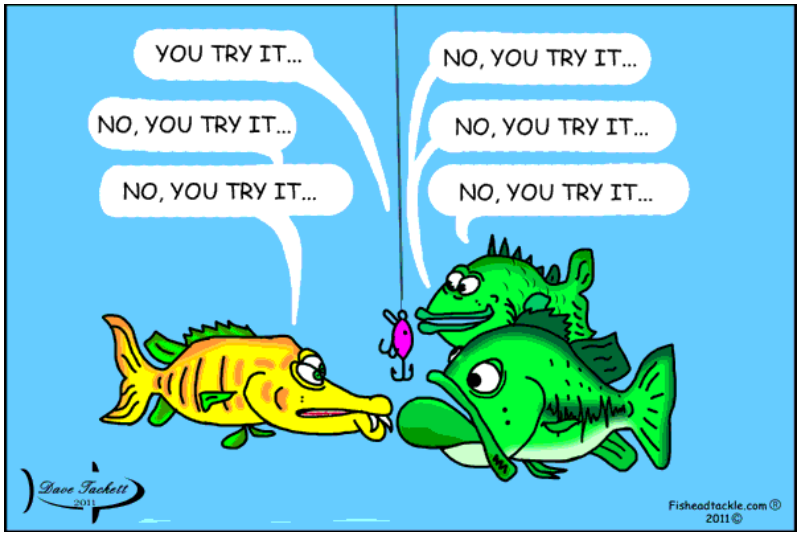
EXAMPLES – Maria Moriarty

Why Maria likes LiveBinders:

- Easy to use
- Clear layout
- Resources all together in one place
- Can add resources at any time
- Can share the LiveBinder with colleagues



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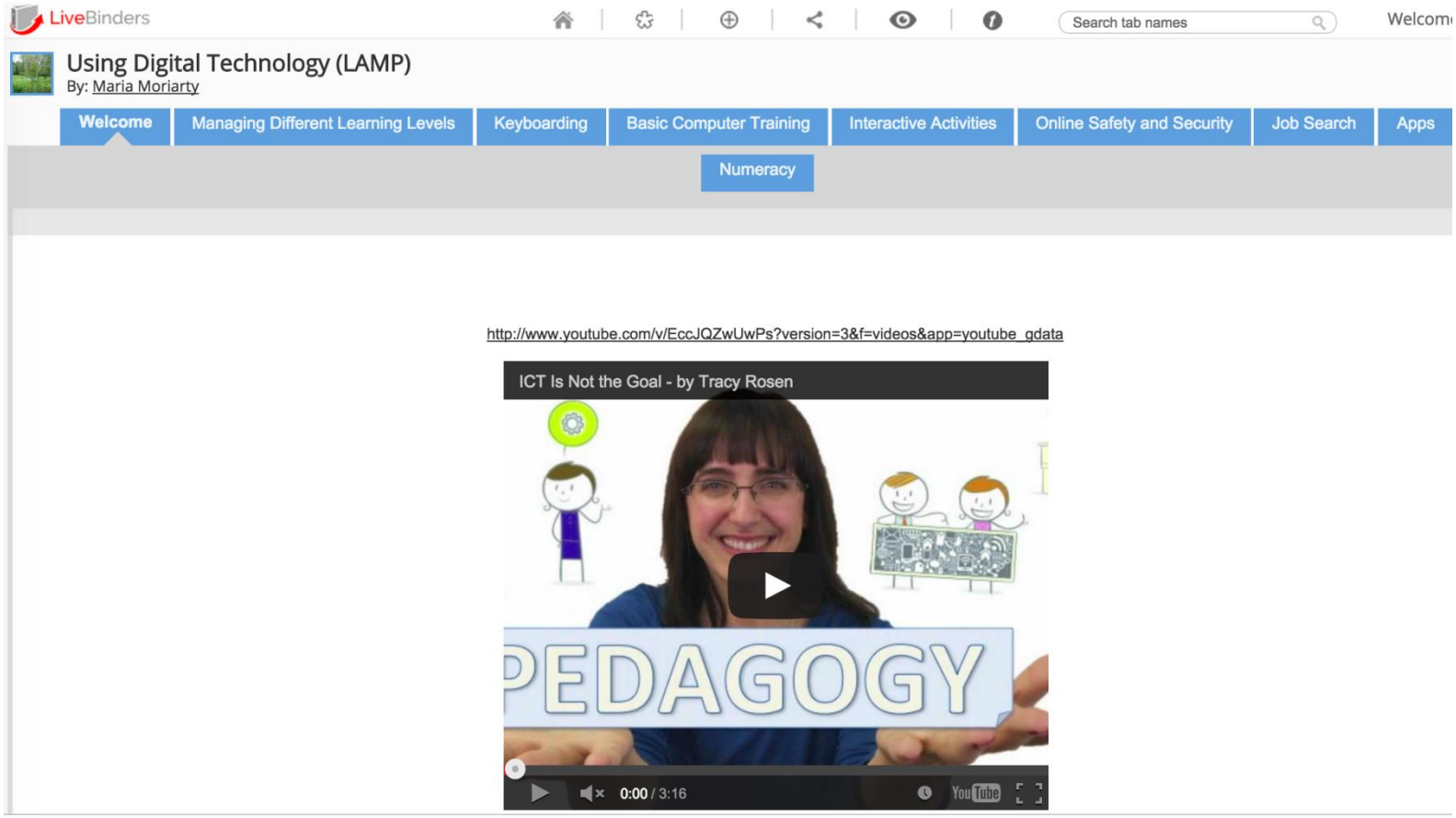

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EXAMPLES – Lakeshore Area Multiservice Project (LAMP)

LAMP Adult Literacy instructors' feedback on LiveBinders:

- *"very well organized, simple and straightforward"*
- *"[I like] how easy and accessible the links are and also the adding feature, as we want to have something accessible for our tutors and it can be easily kept up to date."*
- *"easy to navigate- detail oriented"*
- *"Variety of information- simple layout- well organized"*
- *"…Like having resources in one place"*

MORE EXAMPLES...

- iPad
  http://www.livebinders.com/play/play?id=268550
- Mickie Mueller's Portfolio
  http://www.livebinders.com/play/play?id=423169
- Digital Literacy for Personalized Learning
  http://www.livebinders.com/play/play?id=86706
- Infographics-Developing Visual Literacy
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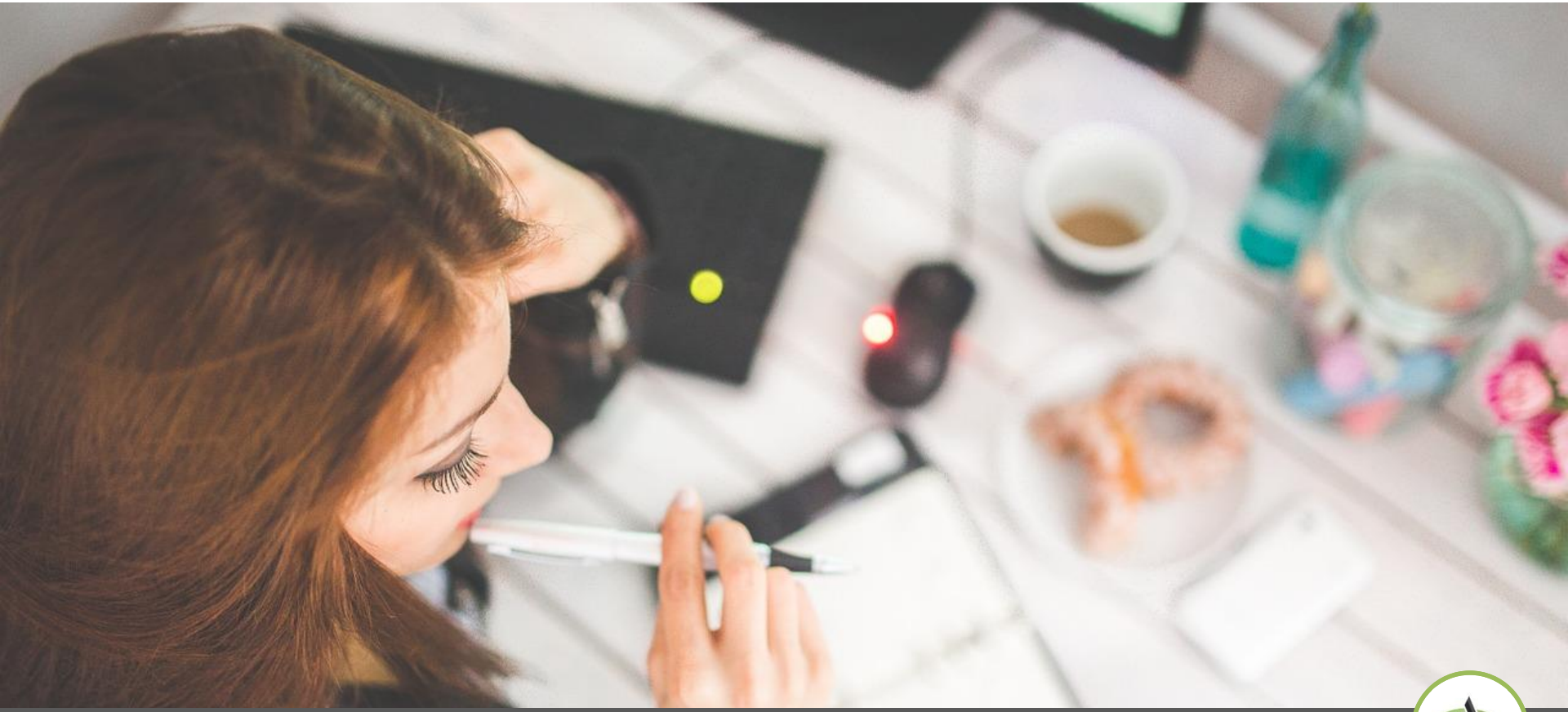
ONE MORE QUESTION FOR YOU

How would you use it? Any ideas? Suggestions?



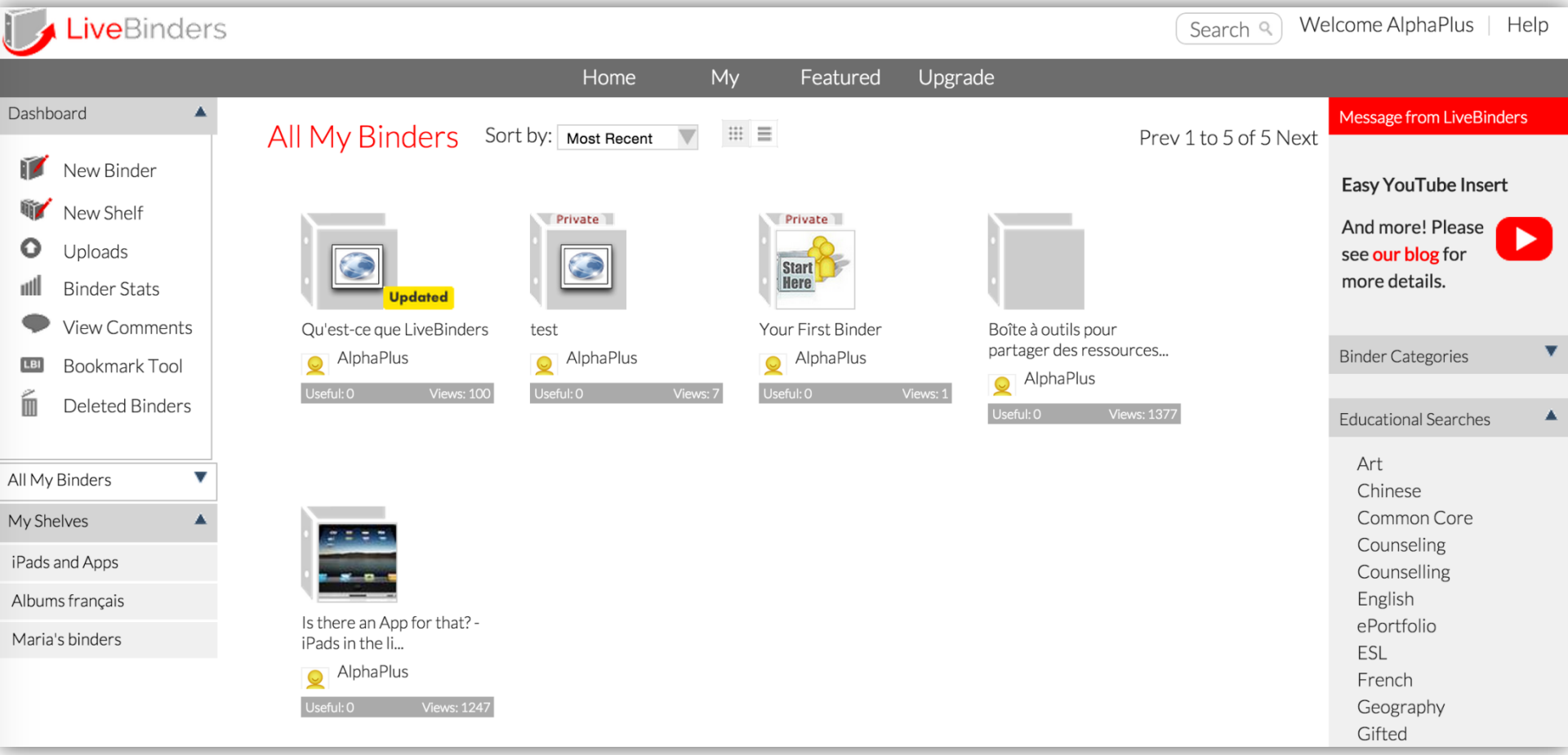
THINGS TO CONSIDER FIRST …

As with any tool, before you decide to set up LiveBinders account, consider these questions:

- What's the purpose?
- Who is the audience?
- What content will I post?
- Who will manage/update it?
- How/where will I promote it?
- What do I expect to achieve?
- Will my learners have access to it?

Other suggestions?

LET'S GET TECHNICAL



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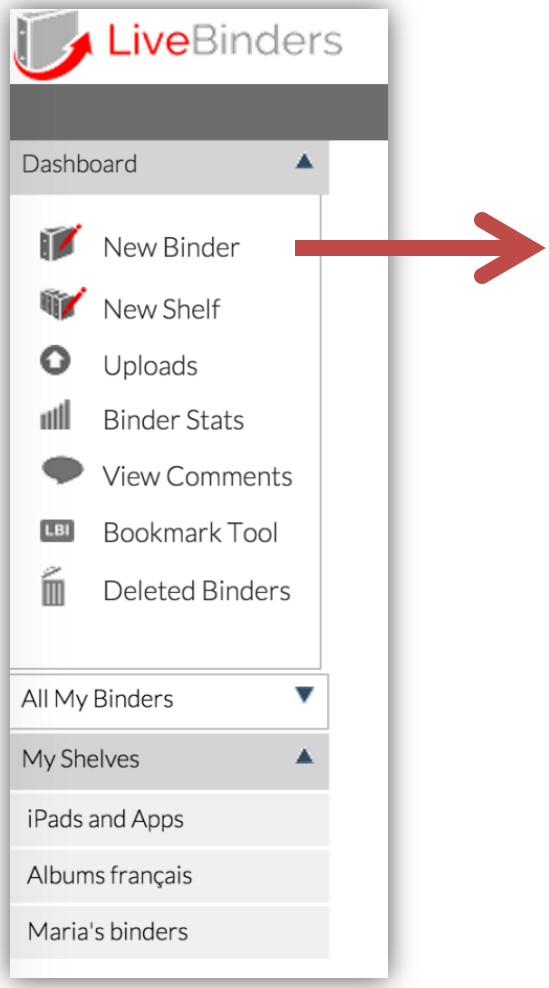
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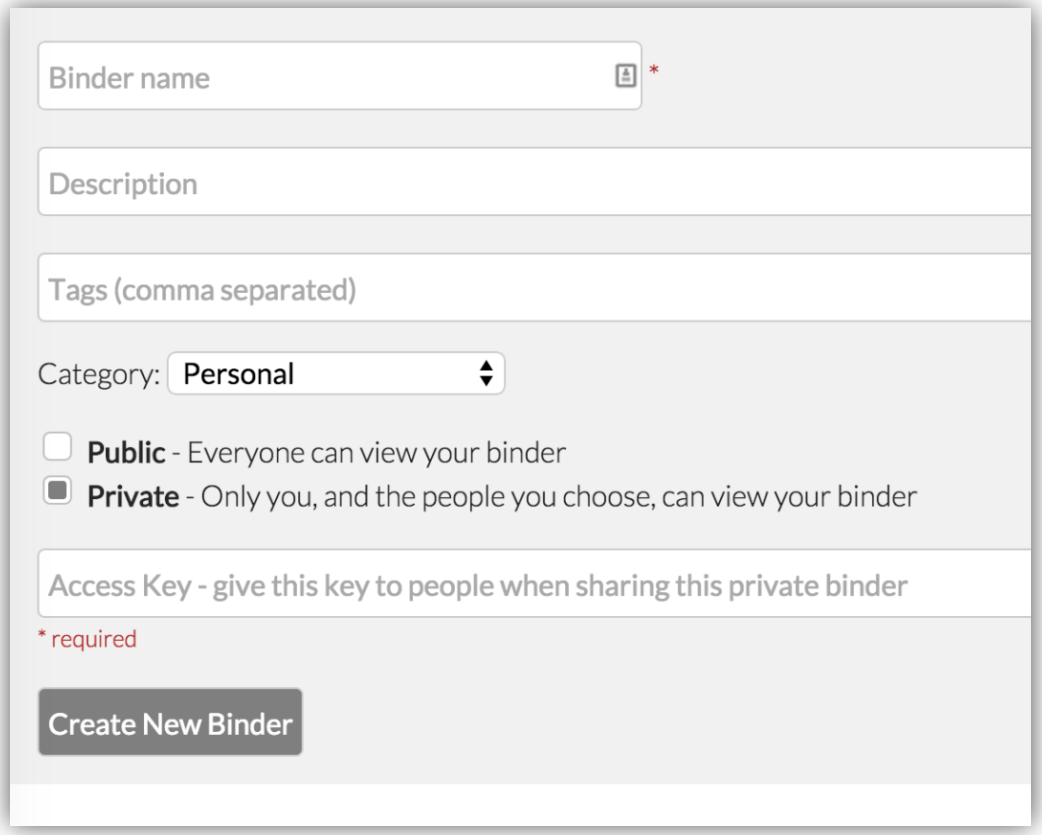
Maria's binders


Binder name
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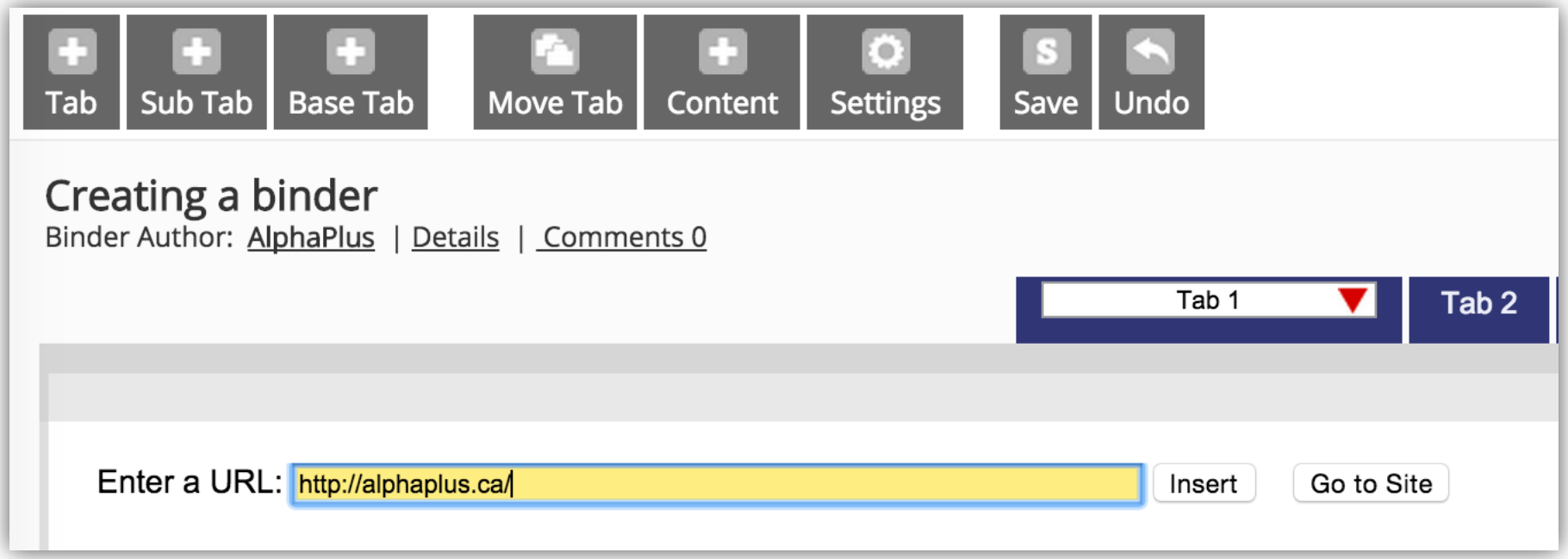
Description
Tags (comma separated)
Category: Personal
Public - Everyone can view your binder
Private - Only you, and the people you choose, can view your binder
Access Key - give this key to people when sharing this private binder
* required
Create New Binder

NEW BINDER – SET UP



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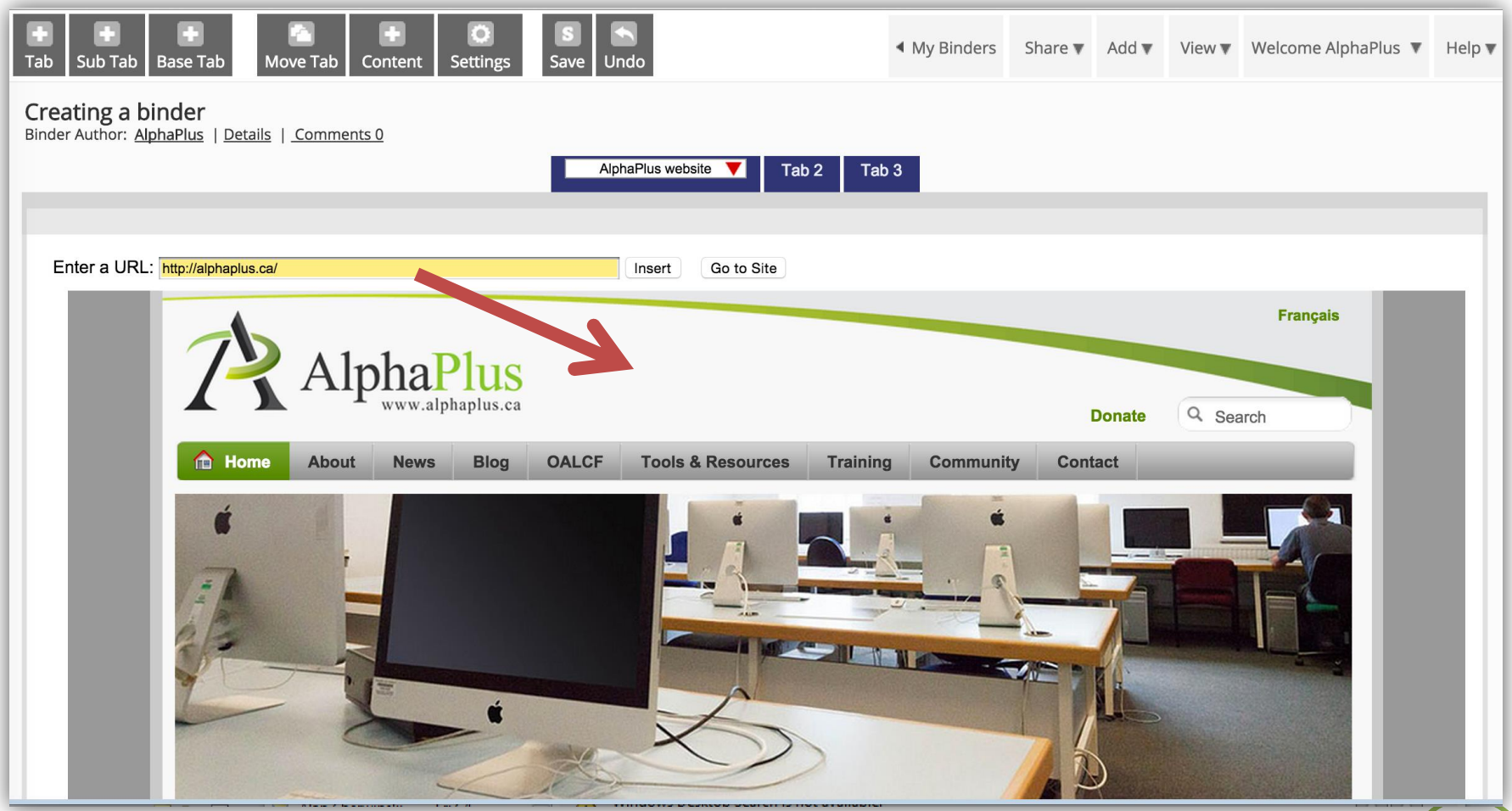

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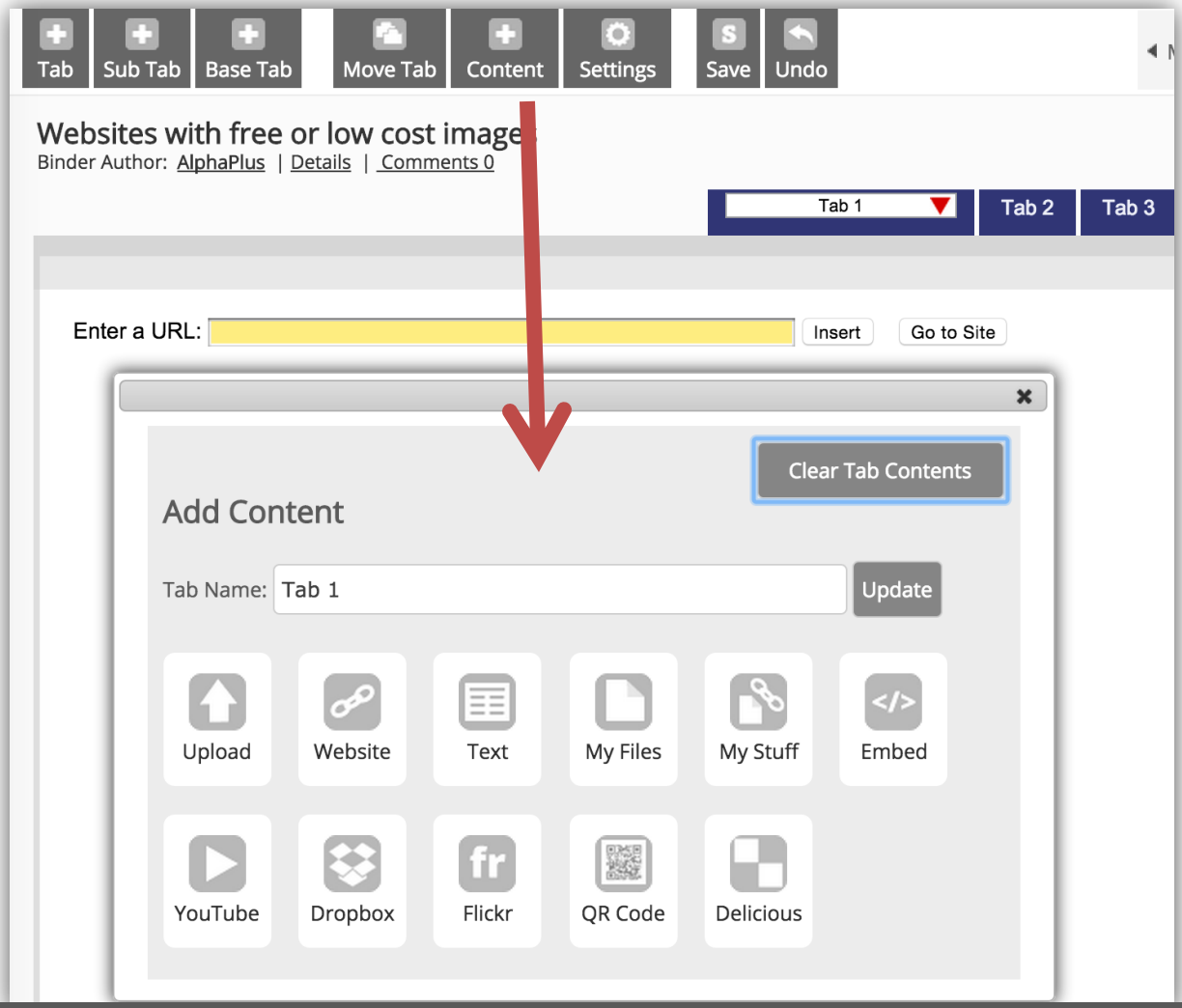

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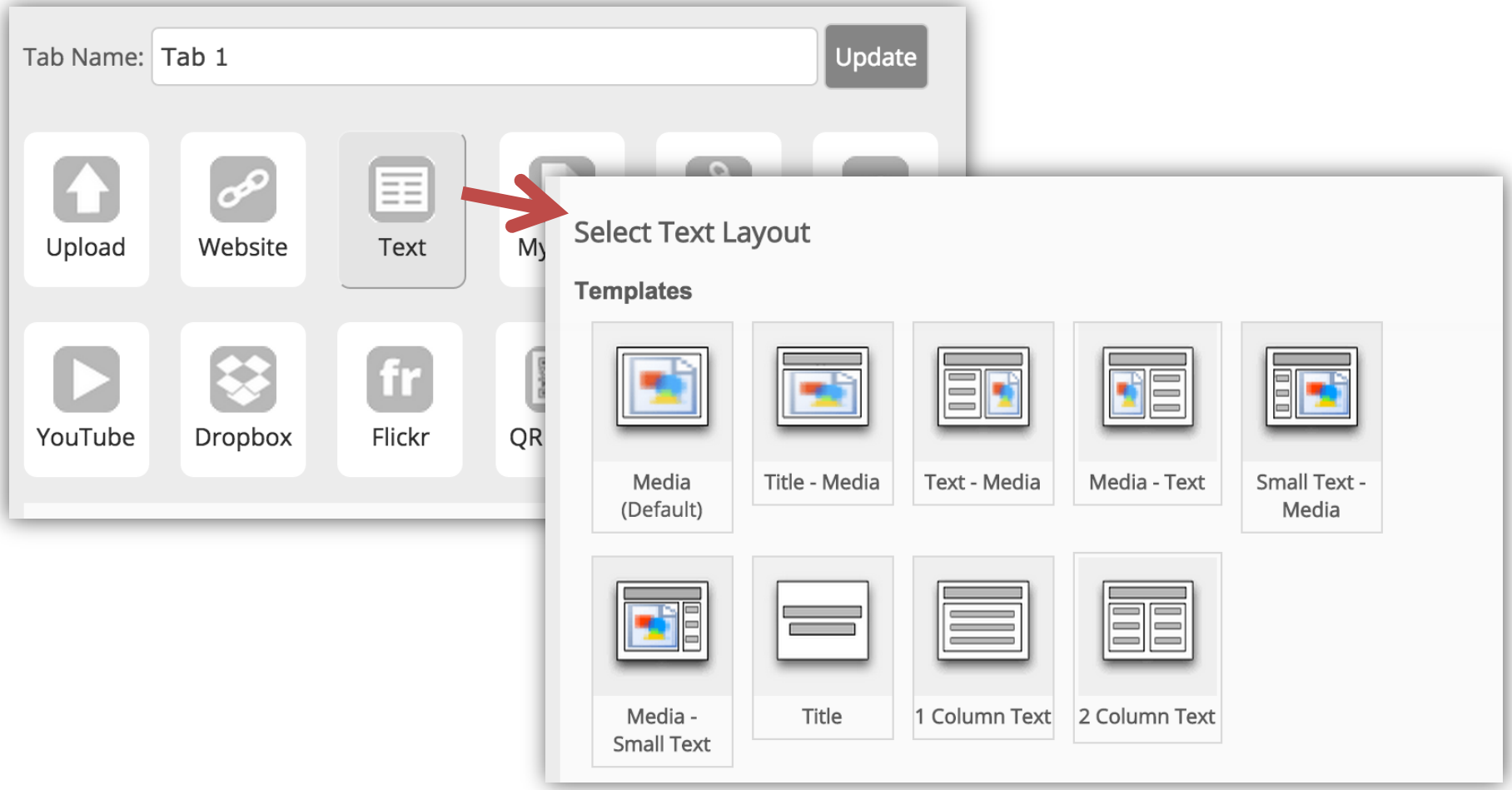

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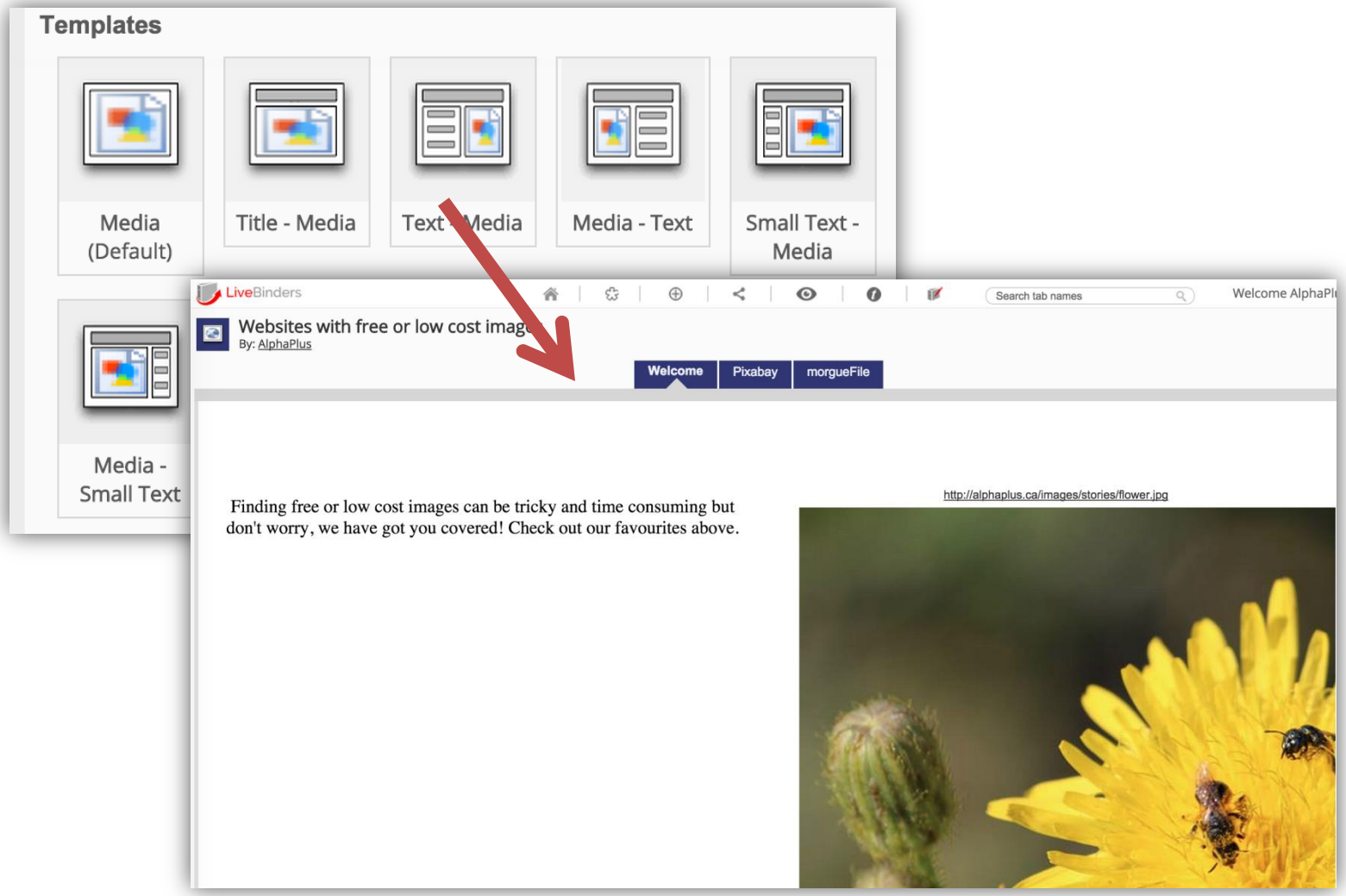

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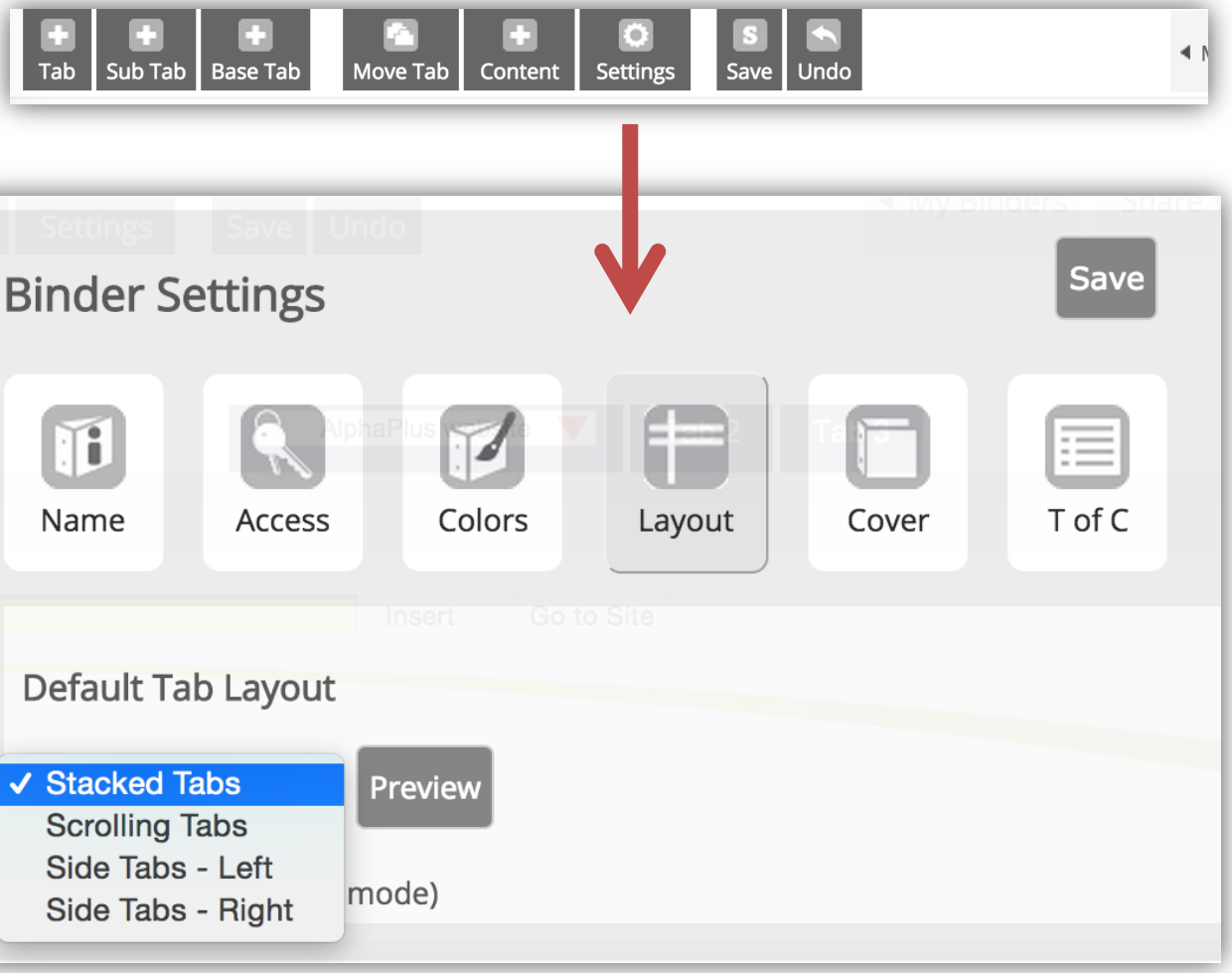
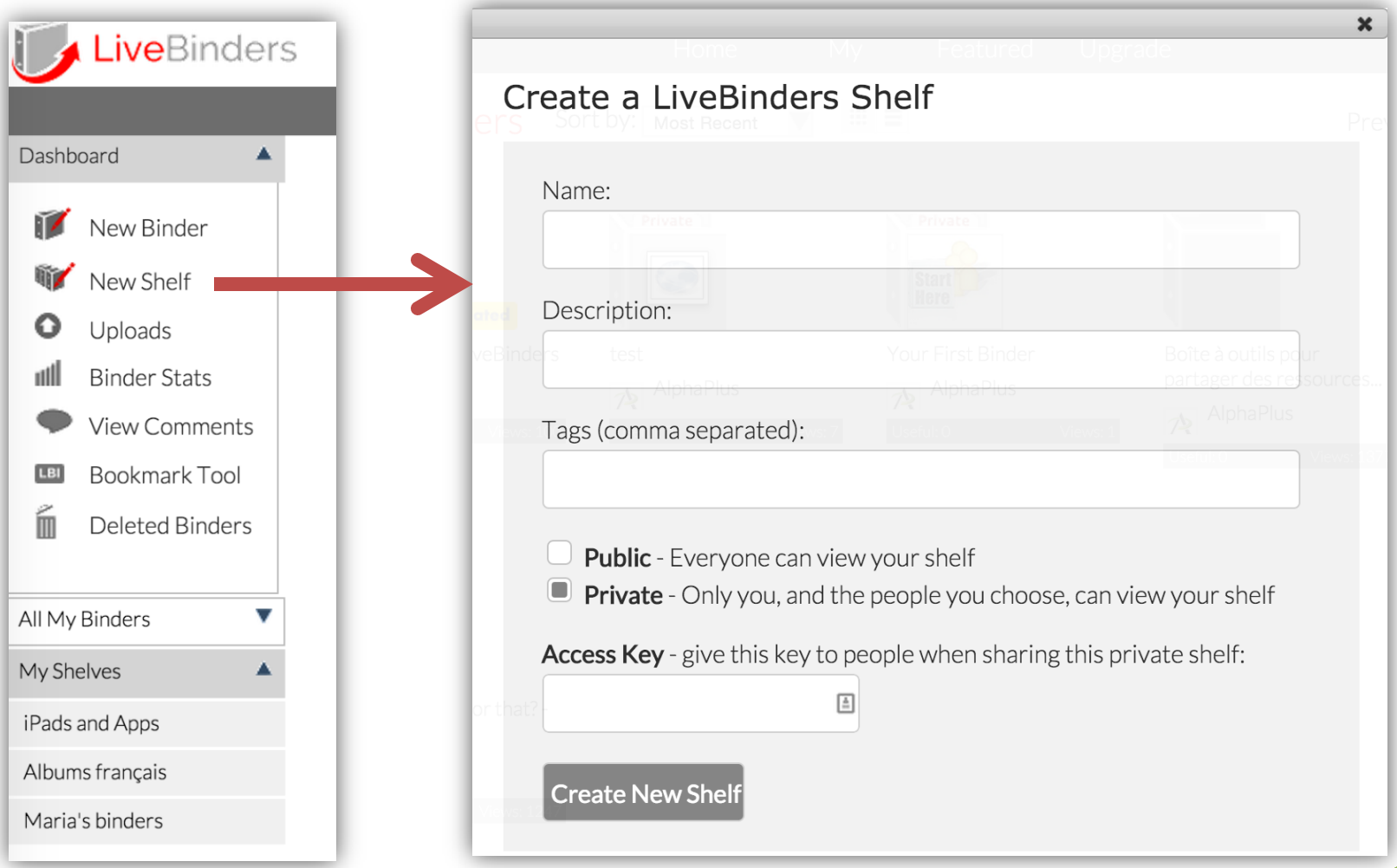


ORGANIZE YOUR BINDERS ON A SHELF



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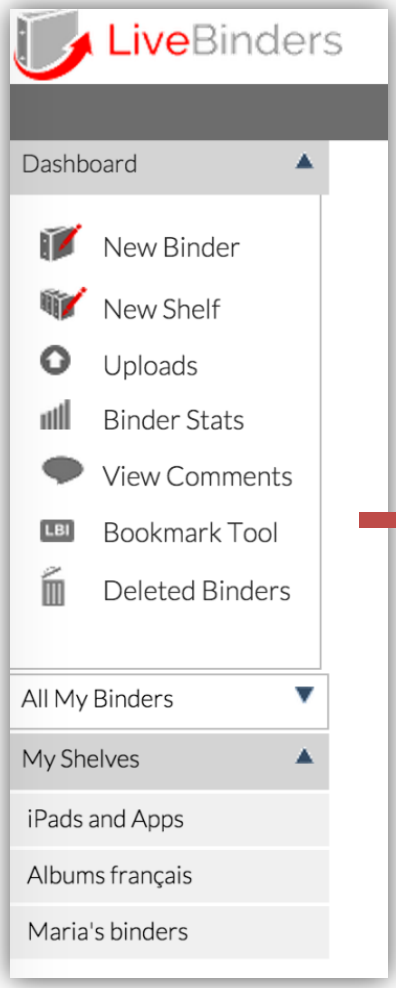

“LiveBinder It” Bookmarklet Tool

You can add the "LiveBinder It" bookmarklet tool to your favorite browser.

While browsing the web, every time you find a link you want to save, click on the "LiveBinder It" button and save directly to a new or existing LiveBinder.

http://www.livebinders.com/welcome/bookmark?showsubtab=lbi

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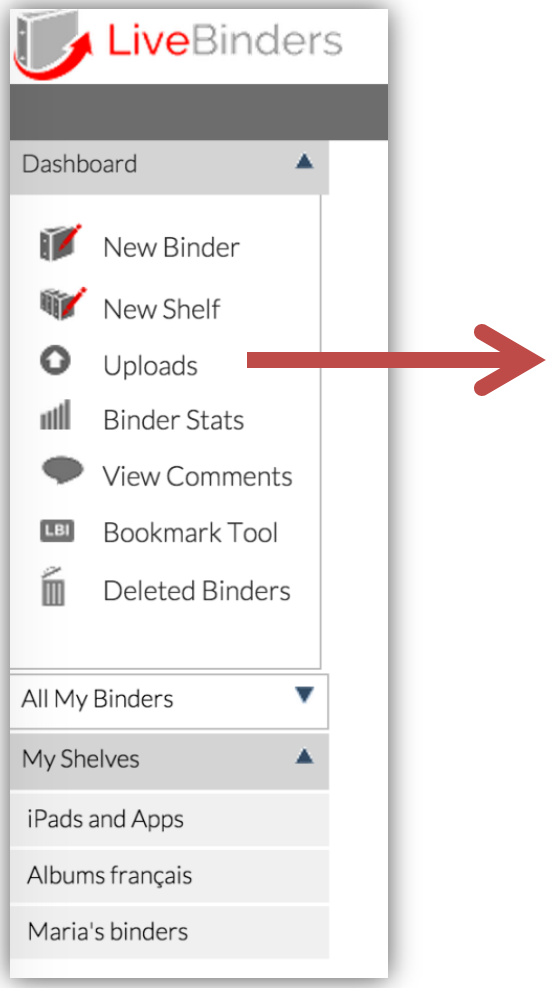
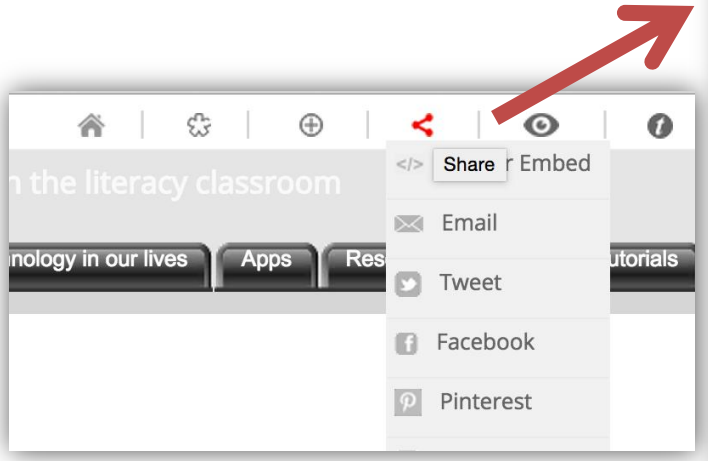
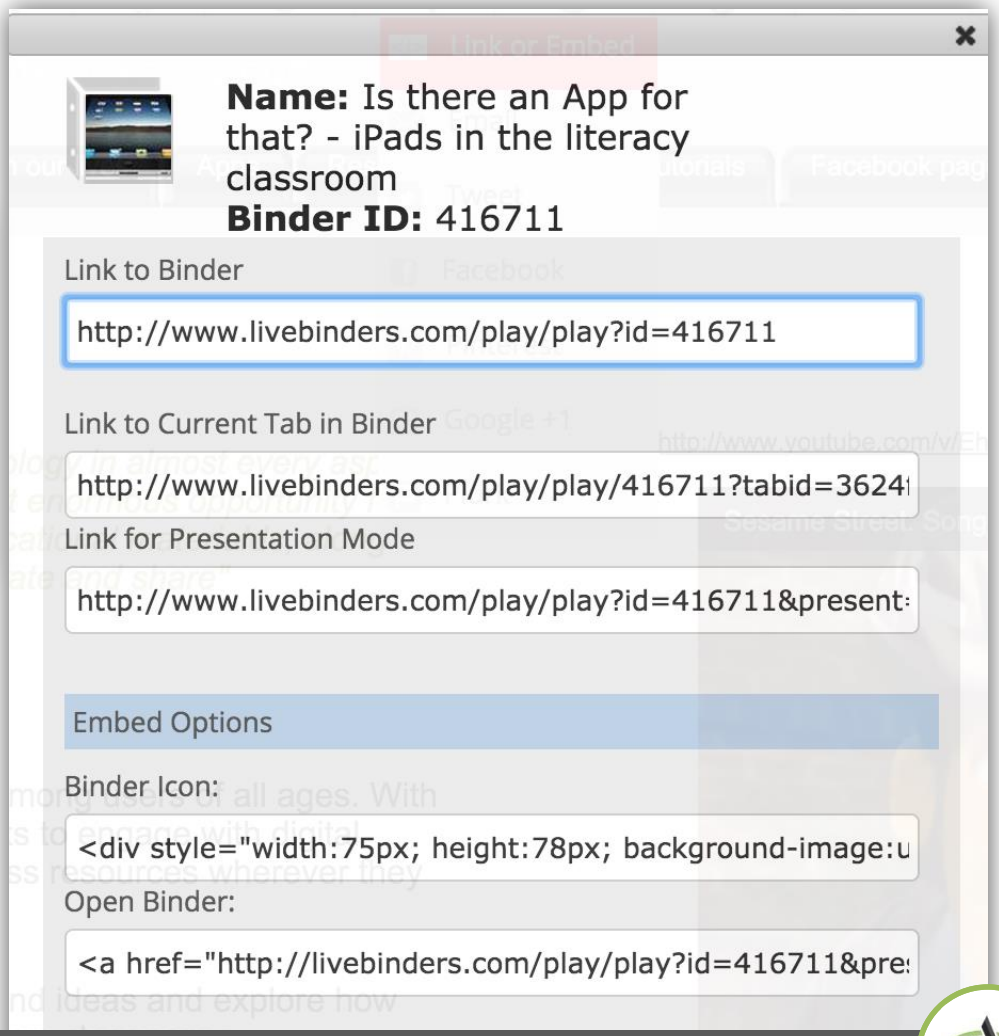


- You can add images or documents to your LiveBinder via a web link
- You can use **Uploads** option to upload the image or document and get a link that you can copy and paste to embed it in your LiveBinder
- You can also use links to images and documents posted on your website or saved in your Dropbox, Google Drive, OneDrive etc.

SHARING A BINDER





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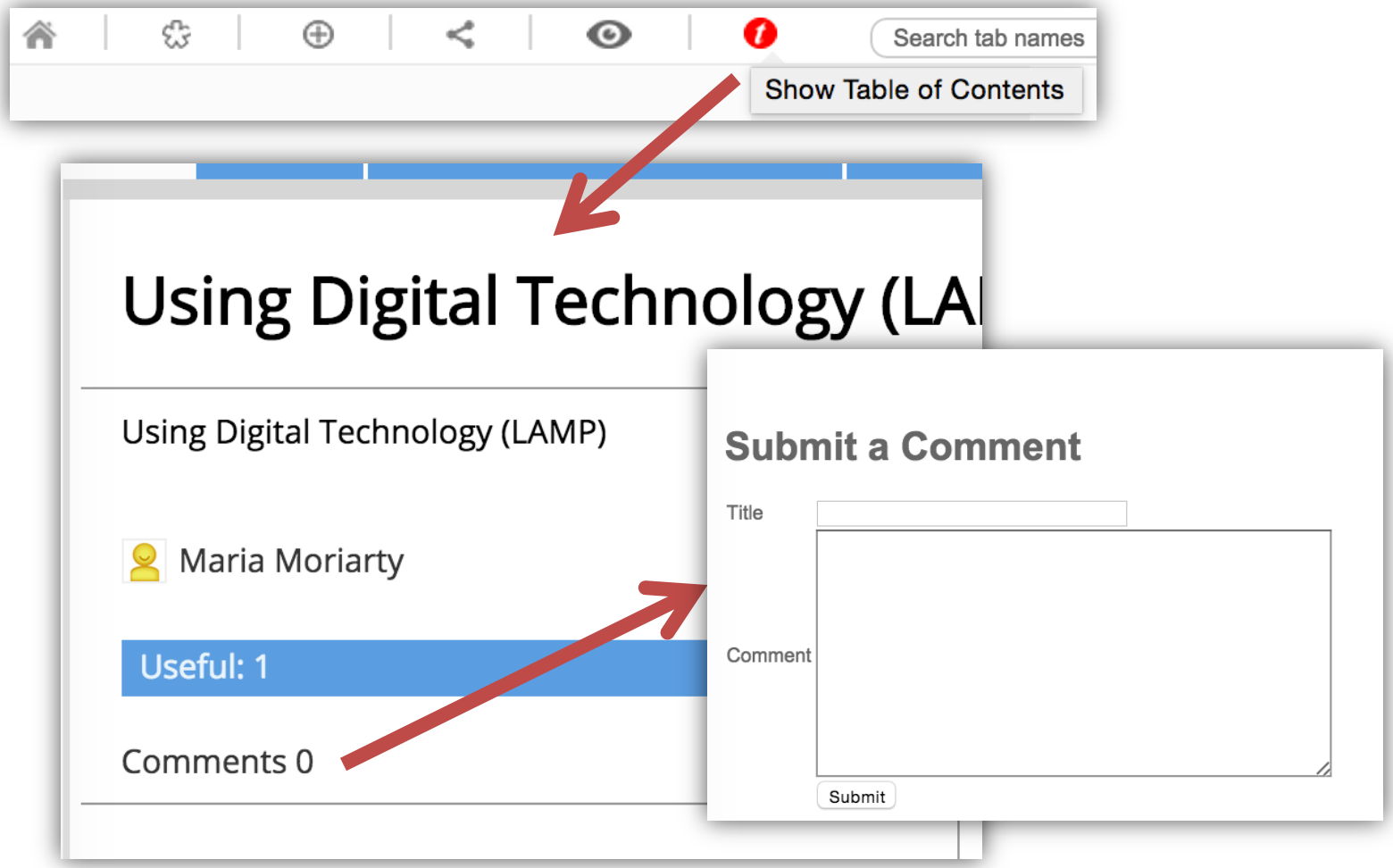
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