

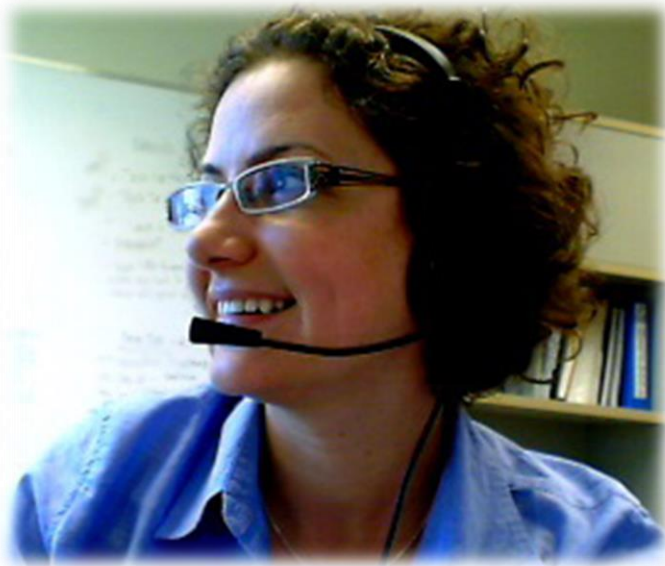
LiveBinders – organize your digital content into a visual portfolio



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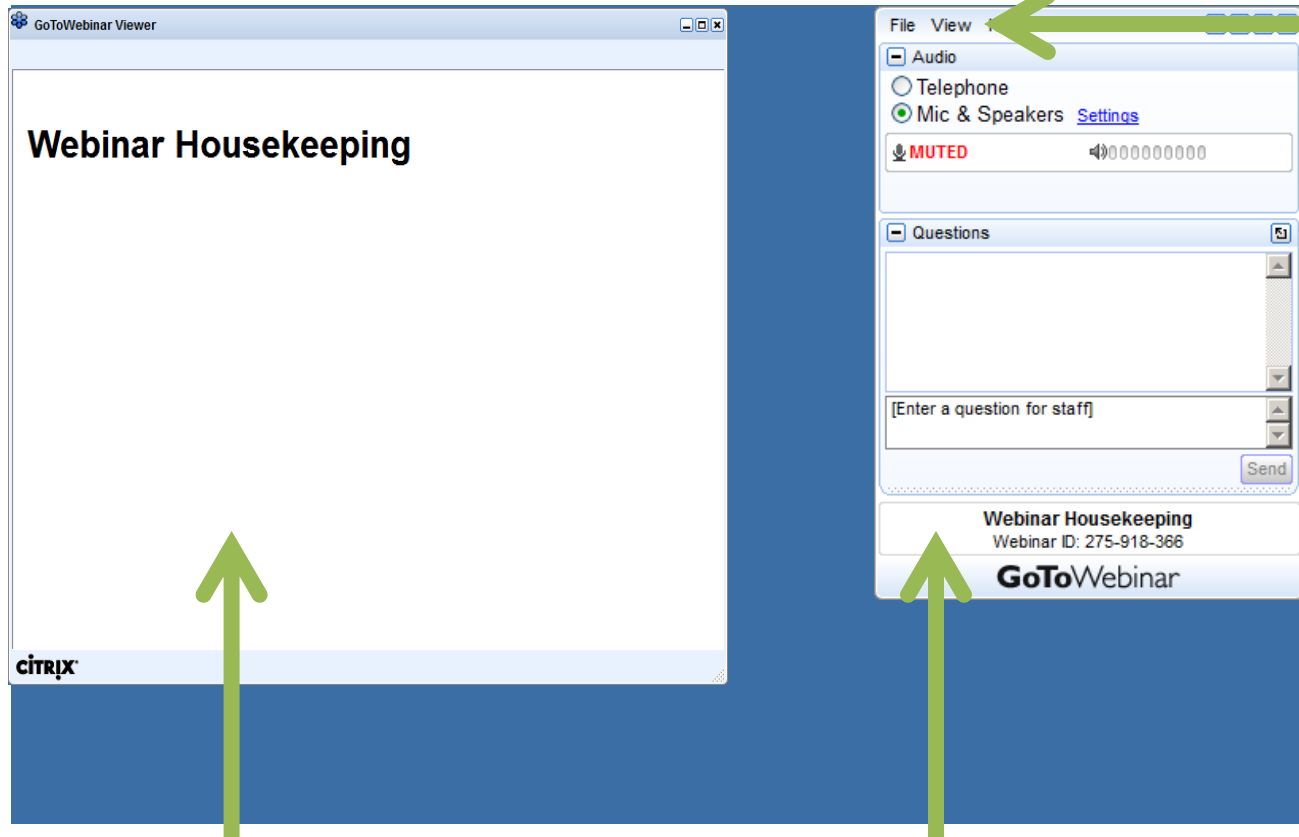


WEBINAR OVERVIEW

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



WEBINAR HOUSEKEEPING TIPS



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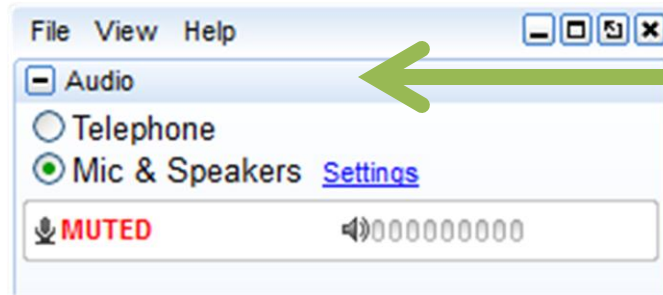
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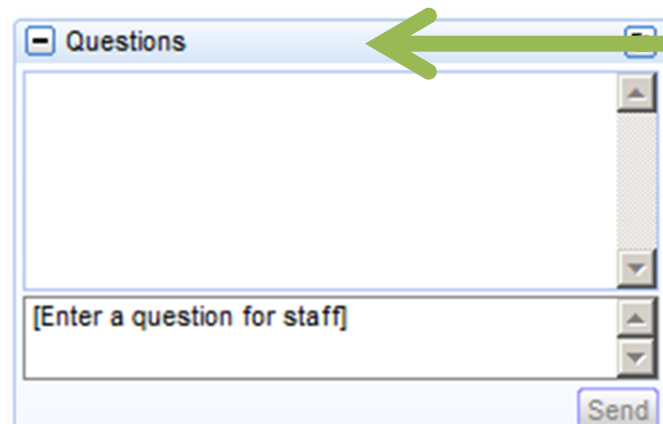


WEBINAR HOUSEKEEPING TIPS



For audio, we choose “Mic & Speakers”. If you don’t have microphone you can simply listen in. The “Telephone” option is disabled.

Note: Your audio will be muted during the session.



You can submit questions and comments via the Questions panel or you can ‘raise your hand’ to be unmuted for verbal questions. There is no option to chat between participants.

Note: Today’s presentation will be recorded.



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

Sign Up

Student signing up with teacher's email address? Yes No

Username (Letters and numbers only please)

Student Signup

Teacher Email Address

Please Retype Teacher's Email

Password (6-32 characters)

Strength:

Please Retype Password

By clicking on "Sign Up" you agree to the [terms of use](#) and [privacy policy](#)

Sign Up



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 \$8/month/user	Pro \$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
Sign Up	Private Uploads ⓘ Collaborator Upload ⓘ Email Binder Icon ⓘ Control Binder Info View ⓘ	Private Uploads ⓘ Collaborator Upload ⓘ Email Binder Icon ⓘ Control Binder Info View ⓘ Premium Support ⓘ

<http://www.livebinders.com/welcome/upgrade>



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

LiveBinders

Welcome AlphaPlus

InfoLiteracy
By: M.Moriarty

Internet Module - GFC Learn | How to Read a Website | Parts of a Web Page | How to Judge Online Information - GFC Learn | Evaluating Internet Sources Toolkit

Evaluating Web Sites | 7 Steps to Website Evaluation | Whois.net | **Whois Canada.** | Traditional and Digital Practice | TDSB ICT Standards K-12 | Learning 2.0 Blog

AlphaPlus | Clearly App | Speakit - Chrome Extension. | QUILL Task-Based Activities Portal | Learn the Net | Readers Digest (Canada) | Getting a Driving License - Ontario

Visual Fractions | Math.com World of Math Online | New Tab

<http://whois.cira.ca/>

CA | Canadians Connected

LIVE CHAT | BLOGS

Français

WHOIS

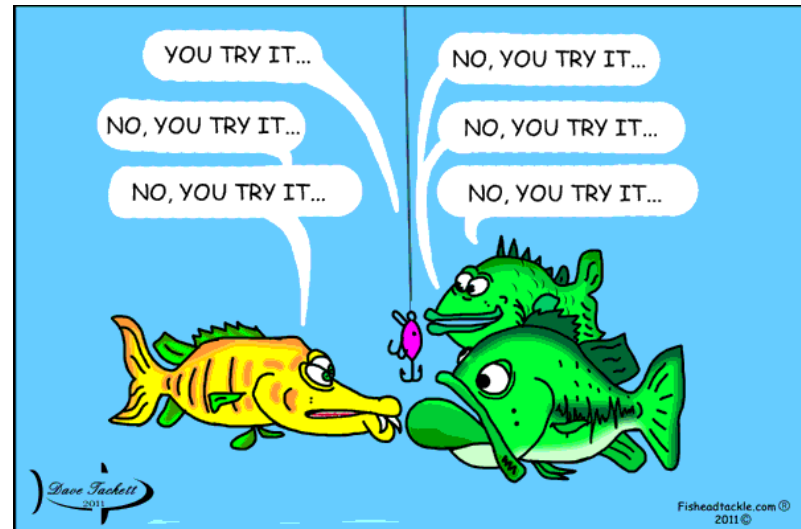
<http://www.livebinders.com/play/play?id=1151560>



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



EXAMPLES – Lakeshore Area Multiservice Project (LAMP)

LiveBinders

Using Digital Technology (LAMP)
By: Maria Moriarty

Welcome | Managing Different Learning Levels | Keyboarding | Basic Computer Training | Interactive Activities | Online Safety and Security | Job Search | Apps

Numeracy

http://www.youtube.com/v/EccJQZwUwPs?version=3&f=videos&app=youtube_gdata

ICT Is Not the Goal - by Tracy Rosen

PEDAGOGY

0:00 / 3:16

<http://www.livebinders.com/play/play?id=1587018>



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
<http://www.livebinders.com/play/play?id=265035>
- Math
<http://www.livebinders.com/play/play?id=17230>



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

- Dashboard ▲
-  New Binder
-  New Shelf
-  Uploads
-  Binder Stats
-  View Comments
-  Bookmark Tool
-  Deleted Binders
- All My Binders ▼
- My Shelves ▲
- iPads and Apps
- Albums français
- Maria's binders

All My Binders

Sort by: **Most Recent** ▼



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Qu'est-ce que LiveBinders
AlphaPlus
Useful: 0 Views: 100



test
AlphaPlus
Useful: 0 Views: 7



Your First Binder
AlphaPlus
Useful: 0 Views: 1



Boîte à outils pour partager des ressources...
AlphaPlus
Useful: 0 Views: 1377



Is there an App for that? - iPads in the li...
AlphaPlus
Useful: 0 Views: 1247

Message from LiveBinders

Easy YouTube Insert

And more! Please see [our blog](#) for more details.



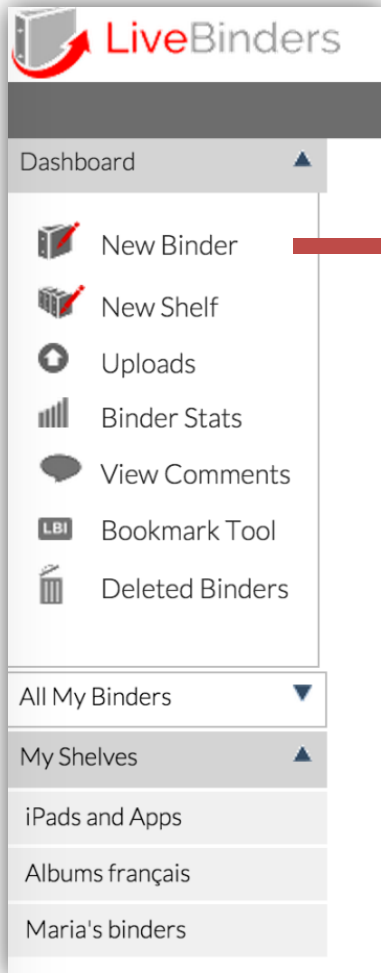
Binder Categories ▼

Educational Searches ▲

- Art
- Chinese
- Common Core
- Counseling
- Counselling
- English
- ePortfolio
- ESL
- French
- Geography
- Gifted

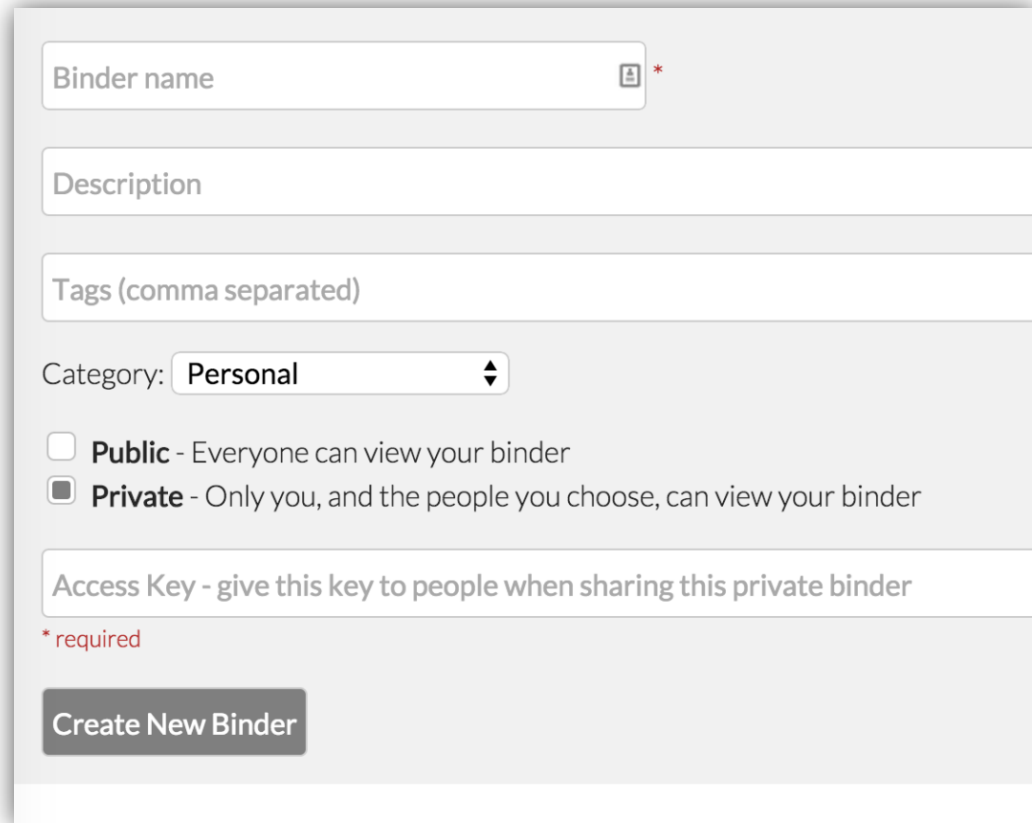


NEW BINDER



The navigation menu for LiveBinders, featuring a sidebar with the following items:

- Dashboard ▲
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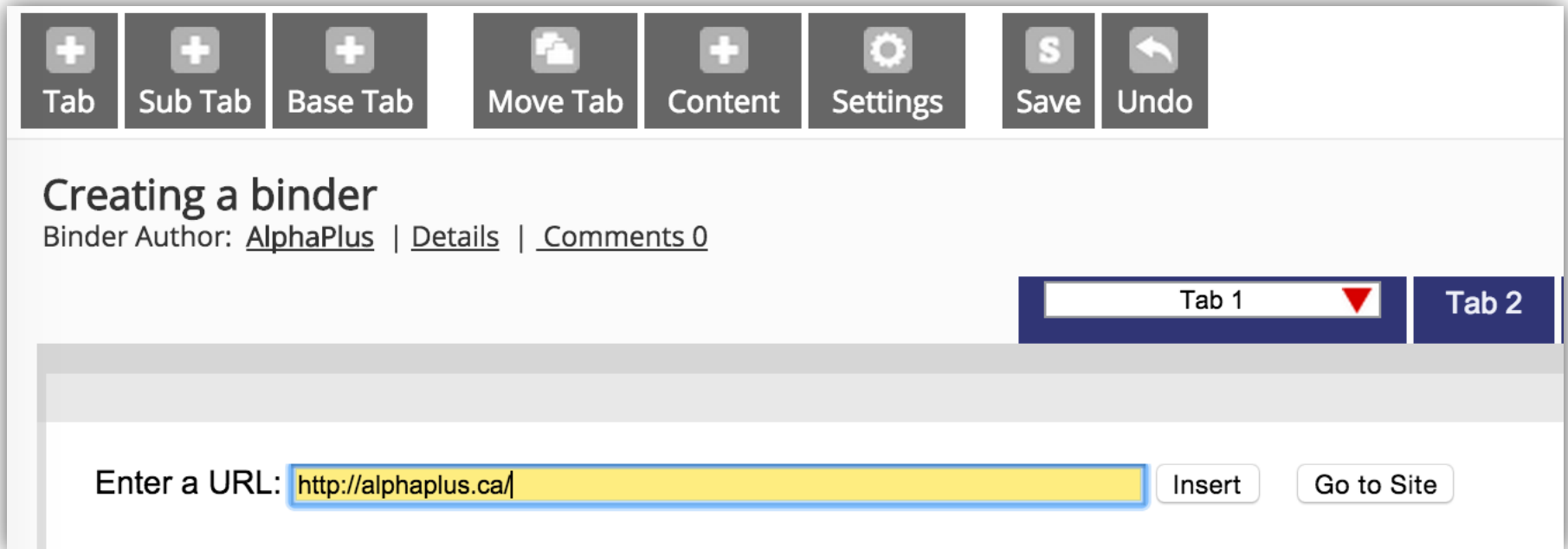


The form for creating a new binder, with a red arrow pointing from the 'New Binder' menu item to the form:

- Binder name *
- Description
- Tags (comma separated)
- Category:
- 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
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NEW BINDER – SET UP



The screenshot shows the 'Creating a binder' interface. At the top is a toolbar with icons and labels for 'Tab', 'Sub Tab', 'Base Tab', 'Move Tab', 'Content', 'Settings', 'Save', and 'Undo'. Below the toolbar, the text 'Creating a binder' is displayed, followed by 'Binder Author: AlphaPlus | Details | Comments 0'. A tab bar shows 'Tab 1' (selected) and 'Tab 2'. The main content area contains a text input field with the URL 'http://alphaplus.ca/' and two buttons: 'Insert' and 'Go to Site'.



NEW BINDER – SET UP 2

The screenshot displays the LiveBinders interface for creating a new binder. At the top, a toolbar contains icons for adding tabs, moving tabs, content, settings, saving, and undo. On the right, there are navigation links: 'My Binders', 'Share', 'Add', 'View', 'Welcome AlphaPlus', and 'Help'. Below the toolbar, the page title is 'Creating a binder' with sub-links for 'Binder Author: AlphaPlus', 'Details', and 'Comments 0'. A tab bar shows 'AlphaPlus website', 'Tab 2', and 'Tab 3'. The main content area features a URL input field with 'http://alphaplus.ca/' and buttons for 'Insert' and 'Go to Site'. A red arrow points from the URL field to the AlphaPlus logo on the previewed website. The previewed website includes a navigation menu with 'Home', 'About', 'News', 'Blog', 'OALCF', 'Tools & Resources', 'Training', 'Community', and 'Contact'. A search bar and a 'Donate' button are also visible. The main image on the website shows a computer lab with several iMac computers on desks.



NEW BINDER – SET UP 3

The screenshot displays the LiveBinders interface. At the top, a toolbar contains buttons for 'Tab', 'Sub Tab', 'Base Tab', 'Move Tab', 'Content', 'Settings', 'Save', and 'Undo'. Below the toolbar, the binder title is 'Websites with free or low cost images', with the author 'AlphaPlus' and links for 'Details' and 'Comments 0'. A tab bar shows 'Tab 1', 'Tab 2', and 'Tab 3'. A text input field labeled 'Enter a URL:' is highlighted in yellow, with 'Insert' and 'Go to Site' buttons. A red arrow points from the 'Content' button in the toolbar to the 'Add Content' dialog box. The dialog box has a 'Clear Tab Contents' button and a 'Tab Name' field set to 'Tab 1' with an 'Update' button. It features a grid of content options: Upload, Website, Text, My Files, My Stuff, Embed, YouTube, Dropbox, Flickr, QR Code, and Delicious.



NEW BINDER – SET UP 4










Tab Name:

Upload Website Text My

YouTube Dropbox Flickr QR

Select Text Layout

Templates

 Media (Default)	 Title - Media	 Text - Media	 Media - Text	 Small Text - Media
 Media - Small Text	 Title	 1 Column Text	 2 Column Text	

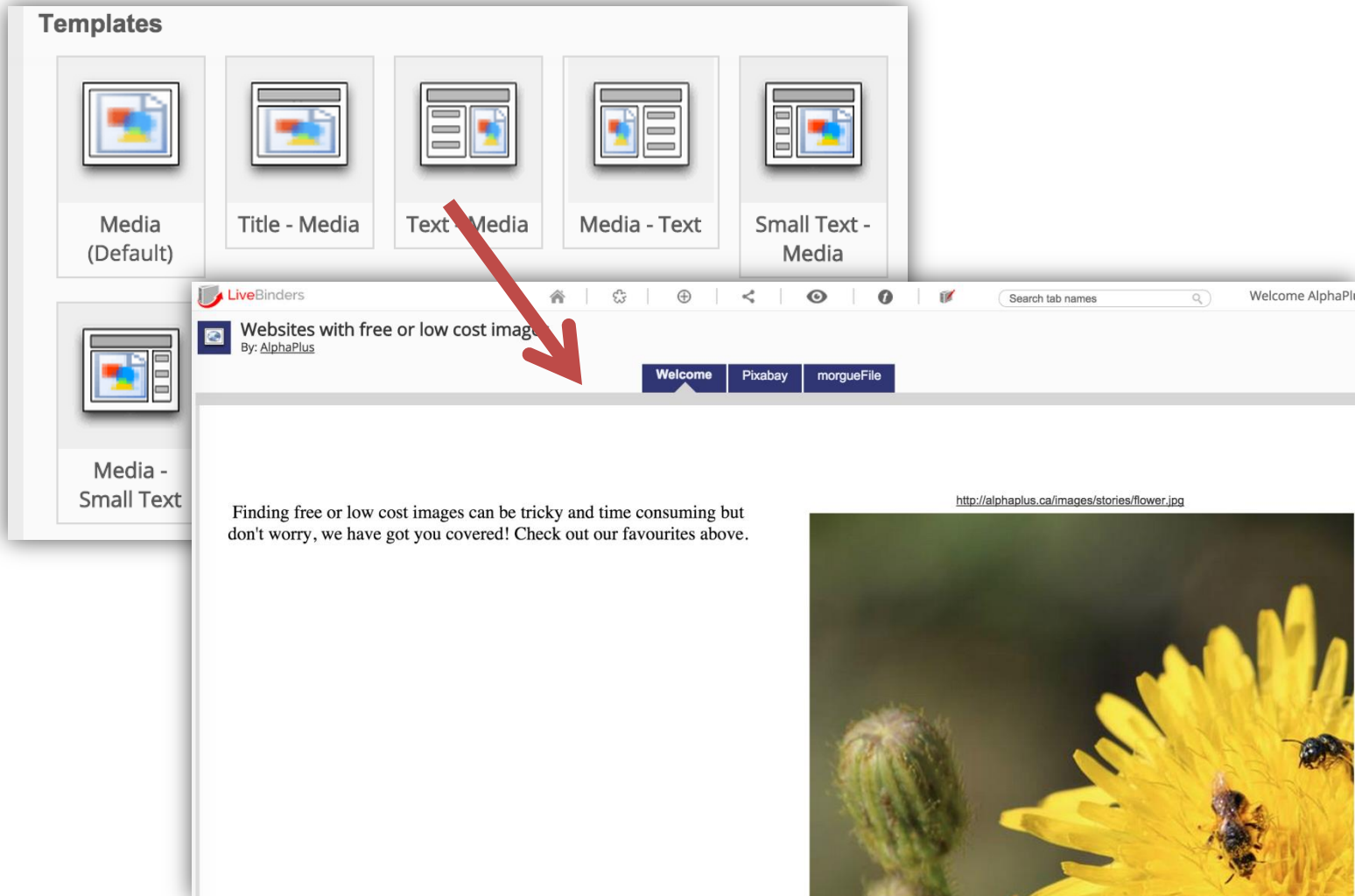


NEW BINDER – SET UP 5

Templates

- Media (Default)
- Title - Media
- Text - Media**
- Media - Text
- Small Text - Media

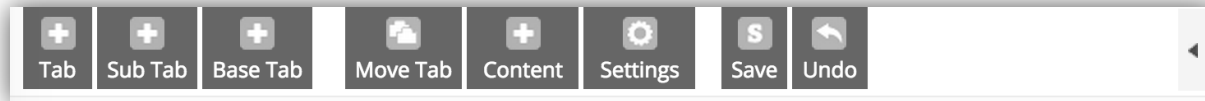
Media - Small Text



The screenshot shows a LiveBinders interface. The top navigation bar includes a search box for tab names and a welcome message. The main content area features a title 'Websites with free or low cost images' by AlphaPlus, followed by a 'Welcome' tab and a list of tabs: 'Welcome', 'Pixabay', and 'morgueFile'. The main text reads: 'Finding free or low cost images can be tricky and time consuming but don't worry, we have got you covered! Check out our favourites above.' To the right of the text is a large image of a yellow flower with bees, with a URL <http://alphaplus.ca/images/stories/flower.jpg> above it. A red arrow points from the 'Text - Media' template in the 'Templates' panel to the 'Text - Media' section of the binder.



NEW BINDER – SETTINGS



Settings Save Undo

Binder Settings

Save

Name Access Colors **Layout** Cover T of C

Insert Go to Site

Default Tab Layout

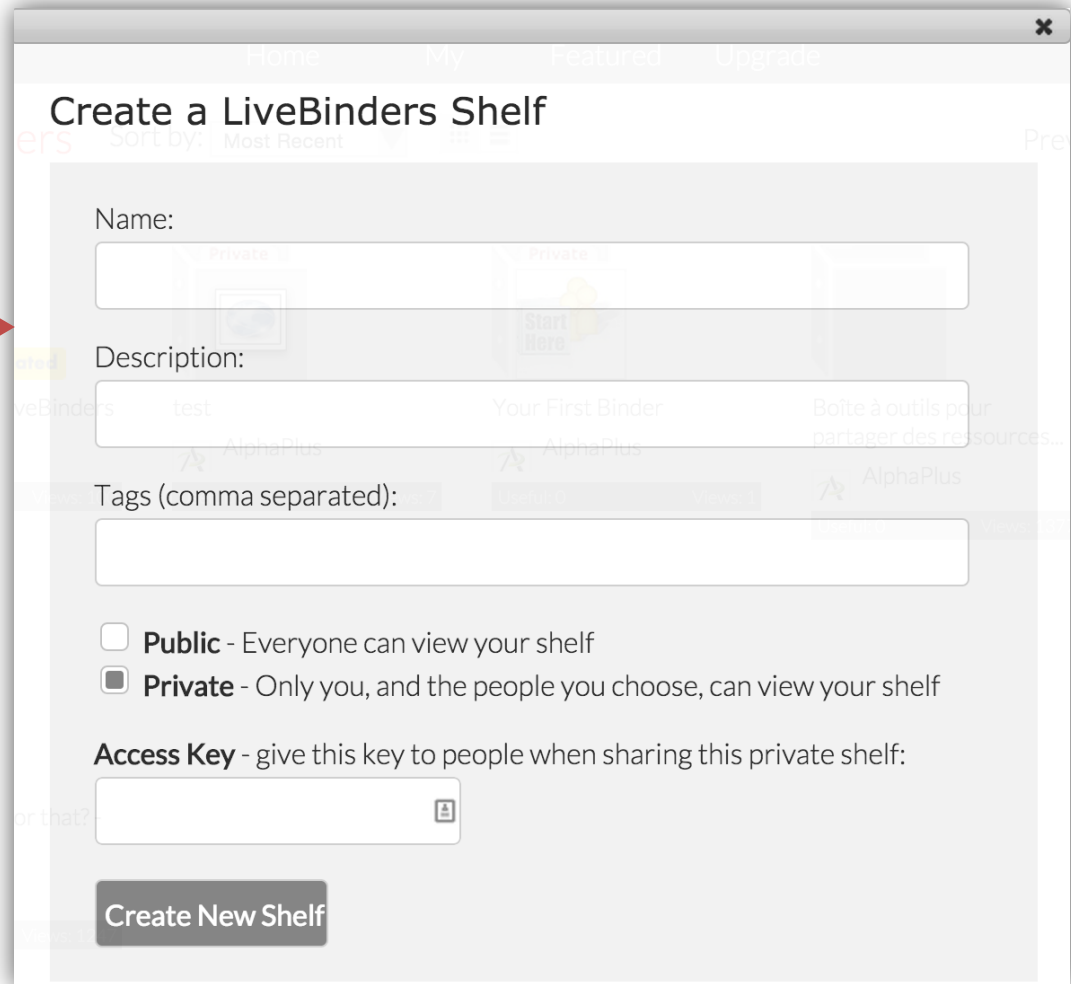
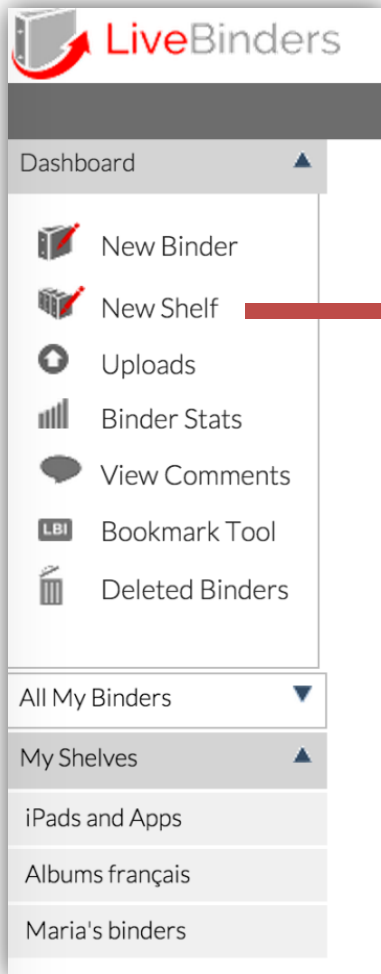
Preview

- ✓ Stacked Tabs
- Scrolling Tabs
- Side Tabs - Left
- Side Tabs - Right

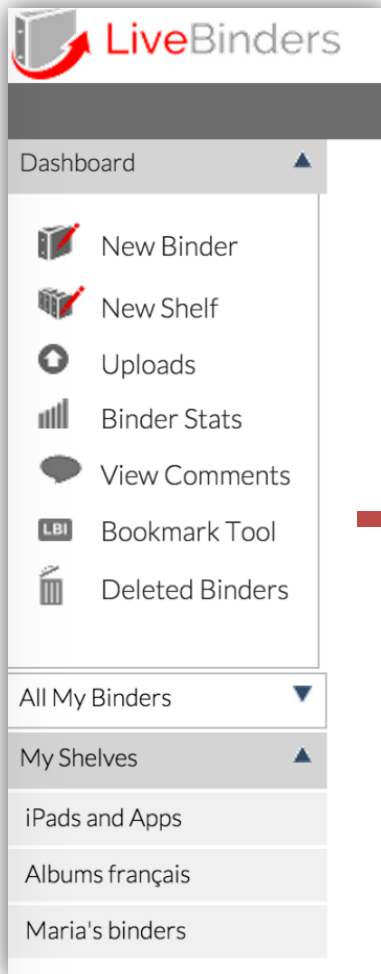
(mode)

The screenshot shows the 'Binder Settings' interface. At the top, there are buttons for 'Settings', 'Save', and 'Undo'. Below this is the title 'Binder Settings' and a 'Save' button. A row of six settings cards is shown: 'Name', 'Access', 'Colors', 'Layout', 'Cover', and 'T of C'. The 'Layout' card is highlighted with a grey border. Below the cards, there are buttons for 'Insert' and 'Go to Site'. The 'Default Tab Layout' section is visible, with a dropdown menu open showing four options: 'Stacked Tabs' (checked with a blue bar and a white checkmark), 'Scrolling Tabs', 'Side Tabs - Left', and 'Side Tabs - Right'. A 'Preview' button is located to the right of the dropdown. The text '(mode)' is partially visible at the bottom.

ORGANIZE YOUR BINDERS ON A SHELF



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“LiveBinder It” Bookmarklet Tool

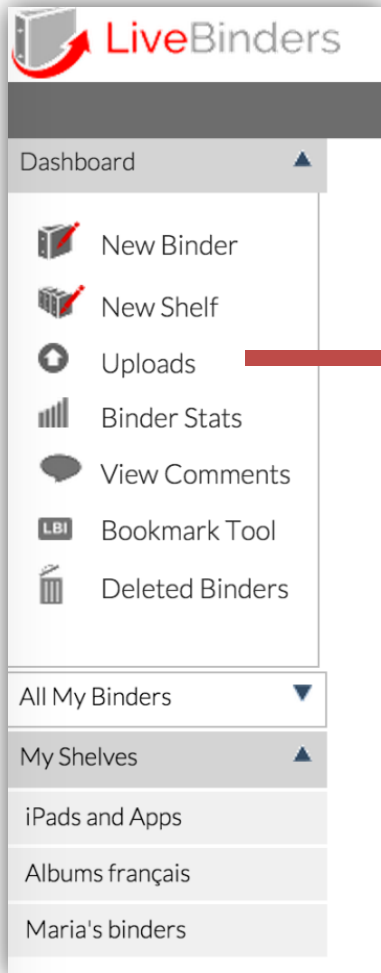
You can add the "LiveBinder It" bookmarklet tool to your favorite browser.

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>



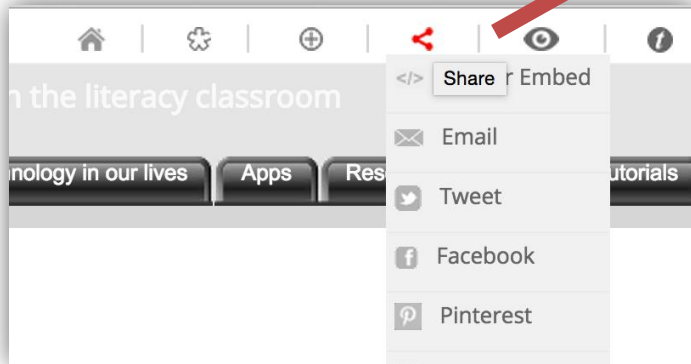
UPLOADS



- 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



Name: Is there an App for that? - iPads in the literacy classroom
Binder ID: 416711

Link to Binder
<http://www.livebinders.com/play/play?id=416711>

Link to Current Tab in Binder
<http://www.livebinders.com/play/play/416711?tabid=36241>

Link for Presentation Mode
<http://www.livebinders.com/play/play?id=416711&present:>

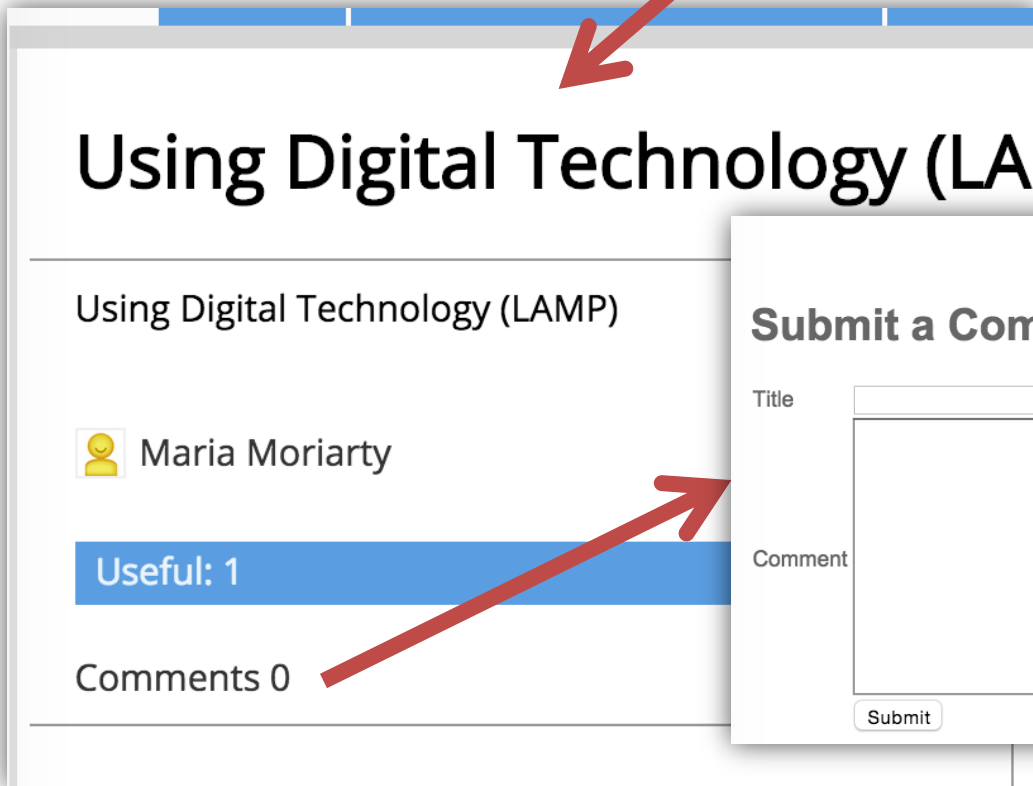
Embed Options

Binder Icon:
`<div style="width:75px; height:78px; background-image:u`

Open Binder:
`<a href="http://livebinders.com/play/play?id=416711&pre:`



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