Zogo Classroom for Web
Best Practices Guide for Teachers

Welcome to the comprehensive best practices guide for Zogo Classroom for Web, tailored specifically for educators like you. This guide aims to ensure you maximize Zogo's powerful educational platform to enhance the learning experience for your students.

Zogo Classroom for Web offers a gamified desktop solution, giving you full control to craft an engaging and financial education portal. It is not just an online platform—it's a strategic partner in redefining the way we teach financial literacy. By adopting the solution, you show your commitment to innovation and education, pivotal values in today's rapidly adjusting financial landscape.

Teacher Portal Overview

As an educator, The Teacher Portal is your command center, granting you access to resources that will assist in setting up and managing your digital classroom effectively. The teacher portal is where you will create classes, assign curriculum, and monitor student progress.

Teacher Portal Access

To gain access to the Zogo Classroom for Web Teacher Portal, please reach out to your sponsoring financial institution and request an invitation be sent to your email.

Once you receive the invitation email from the sponsoring institution, create your account and start your journey!

Creating a New Class

After you create a Teacher Portal account, adding a new class is straightforward:

1. Log into the Teacher Portal.
2. Select '**Add New Class**'.
3. Give the class a name.
4. Curate your Class Curriculum. Feel free to either select from our recommended skill packs or you can edit your curriculum later on.
5. Assign students to the class by inputting each student's first and last name.

Assigning Students

You are able to add students to your class or remove students from your class list very easily after creation.

1. From your Teacher Portal home page, choose the class you would like to view and edit.
2. Select **'Manage Students'**.
3. From here you are able to add students to the class, remove students, reset a students password, edit their name, and view each student's login credentials to access Zogo Classroom for Web.
4. Educators can download a .CSV of student credentials from this page for easier distribution.

Monitoring Student Progress

Keep track of each student's learning trajectory:

1. Open the '**Students**' tab in your class view by clicking on the student you would like to view.
2. On the right panel of the progress view, you are able to see a student's individual skill and module completion, streaks, and accuracy.
3. Assess student completion rates and engagement with the material.

How to Curate a Classrooms Assigned Curriculum

To better tailor your students' learning experiences and align content assignments with your lesson plans, curate the curriculum for each class.

1. To edit the content accessible for a class you will first select the class you would like to view and edit from your Teacher Portal home page.
2. Select the '**Curriculum**' tab.
3. Press the blue "**Edit**" button in the top right corner.
4. From here you can drop down categories to view and edit skills you would like to enable and disable. Note these changes will only apply to a single classroom. This step must be completed for each class added.
5. Select the Check box next to the module and choose to either enable or disable the content.
6. After you are finished, press 'View Mode' to return and view your current curriculum.

Only enabled modules will be available to the students assigned to the classroom. All disabled modules will be hidden from the student's view. A classroom's curriculum can be updated as often as you'd like.

Glossary of Terms

- **Category:** Broad subjects covering financial topics.
- **Skill:** A skill is a collection of lessons. Each skill is intended to be a tangible ability that a user can learn by completing Zogo content. Skills are organized into categories.
- **Module:** A module is a collection of snippets and questions, organized into a coherent lesson focused on a single topic. On average, it takes three minutes to complete a module. Contained in lessons.
- **Snippet:** The smallest unit of learning, a single concept or idea. Usually 50 words or fewer, Snippets are the bite-sized, multimedia elements that build the backbone of Zogo lessons. Contained in modules.
- **Streaks:** A measure of consistent engagement with the platform.

Recommended Skill Buckets

As an educator, you are able to create your own curriculum or select from one of the recommended skill buckets available. The three skill buckets are broken down into grades and include the following skills:

Middle School (grades 6-8)
Essential skills for saving and spending responsibly

- Make a Budget
- Live on a Budget
- Shop Smartly
- Save & Invest
- Shop Sustainably

Grades 9-10
Skills for building a solid financial foundation and saving for future goals

- Earn
- Borrow
- Shop Smartly
- Save Money
- Make a Budget
- Spot Fraud Before It Happens
- Open a Bank Account
- Buy a Car

Grades 11-12
Skills to help students prepare for college, careers, and beyond

- Pay for College
- Get a Job
- Protect
- Spend
- Do Your Taxes
- Save & Invest
- Create a Resume and Cover Letter
- File for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- Write a College Admission Essay

Accessing Classroom for Web URL

Head to your Teacher Portal **'Settings'** page and find your Classroom for Web URL within any of your created classes.

Use Cases for Zogo Classroom for Web

By adopting these best practices, financial professionals can effectively utilize Zogo Classroom for Web to create compelling, engaging, and educational experiences. Financial literacy is an integral life skill, and with Zogo Classroom for Web, you are well-equipped to pass on that knowledge with clarity and impact.

Remember to revisit this guide as you familiarize yourself with the platform, and don't hesitate to contact our support team for additional assistance. Together, we can create a financially savvy future.

Resources

- **Zogo Classroom for Web Overview**

- **How to Set Up Classrooms on your Teacher Portal**

- **Zogo Classroom for Web Student View**