XO Apps

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| **App** | **KLA** | **Stage/Year** | **Comment** |
| MyEdApp | All | All | * “Google Classroom with superpowers” * Free for XO Schools! * Teachers plan quests for students to complete online. Password protected, Teachers can embed safe Youtube videos (chn can only view the one video), make surveys, cloze passages, online worksheets, links to other websites, grade work in real time. Teachers can save quests to use again in online library. Teachers can also personalise quests for specific students and plan for timely availability. Available as an app or in a web browser. |
| Google Classroom | All | All | * Similar to MyEdApp but not as user friendly. * Is a password protected online discussion board where teachers can pose questions, set assignments, share resources including Youtube videos, images and documents. Teachers can grade work and provide timely feedback to students. Teachers can also enable or disable student posts. |
| Google Drive/  Google Docs | All | All | * Fantastic collaboration tool that not only gives children access to free word processing software but allows numerous people to modify the one document simultaneously in real time. * Can be used in conjunction with MyEdApp or Google Classroom. |
| Droid VNC Server | All | All | * App that allows XO screen to be mirrored onto anower computer/IWB |
| Lensoo | All | all | * Great user-friendly app that allows students to simultaneously record writing and audio for easy playback. |
| AnkiDroid | All | All | * Create your own digital flash cards with written, audio and visual support |
| Cashier | Numeracy | Any stage  (mid Kinder – after looking at money) | * Great for practice with money. * Change level: Easy – Hard and Real life practice |
| Movie Studio | CAPA Literacy | Stage 2 – 3 | * Classroom movie making. * More suited to older grades. * Younger grades could make something short and easy though if modelled a lot. |
| Duolingo | Literacy EALD | Any stage | * Teaches simple phrases/numbers/conversation for various other languages (e.g. Spanish, Italian etc) * May be helpful with Brenda – sharing other languages? |

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| Easy Dice | Numeracy | K – 2  (could be used for any stage though) | * Links well with TEN activities * Students could be completing dice activity on XO while some other can complete on IWB Notebook. |
| Molly’s Rhymes | Literacy | Kindergarten  (term 1 - 2)  Speech therapy children | * Sings nursery rhymes * Able to click on any word in the nursery rhyme and gives correct pronunciation/phonetics of each word. * Also shows a video of how to say each word (correct movement of mouth etc) * Issue: only allowed to see Twinkle Twinkle at the moment – other nursery rhymes need to be unlocked/subscription perhaps? |
| Verso | All | End of Kindergarten  All stages | * Allows you to set class tasks. Can attach links, recordings, videos etc for students to view. * Children can access and complete the task on their own XO (need class login) * I had to sign my class up (used staff email) then was sent a class log in code. Students use the code on their XO to access the app/activities. * Students can complete and teacher is able to view the data/answers/stats on home page. * Issue: I was not able to open YouTube (blocked site) to attach a video link to the task I wanted to set. |
| Andy’s World | Literacy | K – 2  Speech therapy children | * Each story has things to find within it. Students find the words and practice the pronunciation of each word. * Goes through the alphabet as you move through each story etc. * Similar to Molly’s Rhymes – shows videos on how to pronounce etc. |
| Poppet Lite | Science and HSIE | All | * Really good for creating graphic organisers and mind maps. |
| Toon Tastic | Literacy | All | * Kids can create their own cartoons |
| Story Creator | Literacy | All | * Quite simple to navigate - just in general kids would love this. They can add audio, music, style of book (landscape, portrait, square), can use photos or images, change font etc. |
| Geoboard |  | Stage 2 | * area, angles, perimeter. A virtual manipulative with open-ended activities. |