FrogSnap - Students

FrogSnap is a mobile app that you can use to quickly upload images, videos and audio recordings to Frog. You can capture work and then upload it to various areas of Frog in just a few steps, so this is a really powerful tool to have at your disposal.

You can download the app from the Apple App Store if you're using an iphone or ipad or the Google PlayStore if you're using an android device.

On first use, when opening the app, you will need to enter your school's Frog web address. This will be the same address you would use to login when accessing Frog from a pc or laptop. You will then be taken to the Frog login page, so you will need to enter your Frog login details here and when you log in, you need to allow FrogSnap to use your Frog ID.

Once you're logged in, you will be asked whether you want to allow Frogsnap to access your camera, so you will need to allow this to happen. This will then open your camera and you are ready to capture some content.

When your camera is opened, the default setting is set to take a photo so pressing the blue button at the bottom would take a photo.

If you want to change this to record a video, you need to press this button in the bottom right hand corner and then select the video setting and now you're ready to capture a short video, useful if you've been asked to film some drama work you've been set.

If you press this button again you can select the microphone setting so you can record some audio, and lastly you can select this button if you want to scan a piece of work and then upload it to Frog

Pressing this grid button in the bottom left hand corner takes you into your media area so I'll press on that now. Here is where all media is saved in the app. You can import images from your device by clicking on this button, but you will need to allow frogsnap to access your photo library in order to do this. You can then select the images you want to add, and press done.

If you add multiple images from your device to FrogSnap or you have captured a lot of images within the app and you then want to upload them all to Frog in bulk, you can do this by lightly pressing and holding on one of the images and then selecting which ones

you want to upload. There is an option to select all, but you can only upload a maximum of 10 images at one time. The maximum for audio files is 5 and you can only upload one video at a time. I'll delete all these images for the purpose of this video and I can now choose to capture some more media.

That's a quick overview of some of the FrogSnap features so we're ready to look at how we would upload media to Frog. Let's say your teacher has asked you to draw a right angle using a ruler and a compass, and they want you to upload this to a site. All the capture options are also available along the bottom of the media area, so you can select the image option from here, and this takes you back to the camera.

 As you can see, I've drawn my right angle, so I'll take a photo of this and you'll see the following options. If you're not happy with the image you can cancel it and take another by pressing cancel. You can edit the image by pressing edit. the teacher may have asked that you upload the file with your initials as the name, so you can change the filename here, you can keep the image for later which will save it to your media area, or you can send it to Frog. I'll quickly go back and show you how you can also use the scan documentation option to capture the same work. If I cancel that and then choose to scan a document, all I have to do is hover over it and FrogSnap will automatically capture it. As you can see you don't need to be lined up perfectly on the page for the document to be scanned in as a rectangular image and you also have the option to adjust the contrast and scan in colour. I'll jump back into the media options page to show you the rest of the features.

If you click on edit you have 12 different options to choose from but I want to show you how to draw on an image and add text. These options are useful if your teacher has asked you to point out why the angles on a straight line add up to 180. I'll add the 90 and then add that 90 + 90 = 180.

As you can see, there are other tools, but I won't walk you through all of them in this video, so please do have a play around with these when you get chance.

If I go back, I can rename the file here, so I'll add my initials, I can choose to save this image by selecting 'keep for later' or I can send it straight to Frog. Keeping it for later adds it into my Media so I'll do that now and show you that when I open the media by pressing on the Grid in the bottom left hand corner, and you can see that image has been added.

If I was to press Send To… I have the option to send this to an assignment, to a site or to my FrogDrive. If your school has Frog Progress, you will also have the Evidence option displayed.

So lets run through these options. If you have an assignment that has a filedrop on it and requires you to upload files, hit the assignments button in FrogSnap and then upload your file to that assignment from here. This feature is currently only available on iOS devices.

If you've been asked to upload to a site, pressing site will show you all available sites you can upload to and there is also a search bar at the top to make finding a specific site easier. You need to select the site, and If a teacher has asked you to add a tag to the image, then you can add that tag now. I'm uploading my right angle so I might have been asked to tag this with right angle, so I've added that in here.

If I go back to the send to…. Options, if you want to upload the image to your Frog Documents area to be used later, you can do this by selecting FrogDrive and then choosing the My Documents folder.

Going back again, if you're school has frog progress, you can press evidence, select your subject and then select the correct learning objective. It's worth noting that the ability to upload evidence is only possible on an iOS device and not an android device at this moment in time.

So there's just one more thing I want to point out. If you're unable to upload media to your site, it might be that you have the option to only upload when using wifi switched on in your app. To check whether this is the case, go back to the main screen and press the frog head in the top left-hand corner and you will see the option in here. You can toggle it on or off and leaving this switched on means that you won't use any of your own data when uploading to Frog. You can also set when any pictures, videos or audio files captured in FrogSnap are deleted. If you cannot change these options, it means your Frog Administrator has set these features for you.

So that wraps up the FrogSnap app. if would like to know more about Frogsnap or any other areas of Frog, you can head to our community site where there is lots of useful resources.