

ePortfolios for Education

Develop a learning environment that enhances teaching and learning with Wriggle

What is an ePortfolio?

An ePortfolio is an electronic repository used by students to collect, reflect and share their knowledge, skills, abilities and growth over time.

Why use an ePortfolio?

The Digital Strategy for Schools (2015-2020) states in its key goals;

- “ To encourage and support the use of ePortfolios for teachers. - Collaborate with the Teaching Council, and other relevant professional bodies for teachers, in the use of ePortfolios in teacher CPD provision.

At every stage of a student's educational journey, their ePortfolio will be a constant. Utilising cloud-based solutions for ePortfolios provides schools with:

- GDPR Compliancy
- Ease of Access
- Cross-Platform Compatibility
- Increased Collaboration
- Real-time Assessment Feedback
- Personalised Student Learning

Turn over to discover some top tips from our teachers on how best to utilise ePortfolios...



> Collect, reflect and share

How can Wriggle help?

Wriggle offer continuous professional development (CPD) to support teachers in the development of an ePortfolio framework. During your training session you will:

- Learn about ePortfolio workflow, structure and modelling.
- Learn how to properly collect and store evidence
- Learn how to encourage student reflection
- Learn how to give feedback and promote collaboration within the ePortfolio environment
- Learn how to select the right apps to create reflective learning.



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What does an ePortfolio look like...?

We asked some of the experts to provide us with their top tips for utilising ePortfolios in education across primary, post-primary and higher education.

Primary:

“Seesaw was my schools ePortfolio solution that helped me easily keep track of student progress and bridge the gap between home and school. It allowed students to easily upload their work whether it be a video of a science experiment, a short story on the Romans or how to solve a maths problem. My students loved listening to my oral feedback or peer assessing each other’s work.”



Jamie Johnston, Primary Teacher

Post-Primary:

“ePortfolios provide students with an excellent platform to showcase their learning. They are easy to use, allow for multi-modal text creation and insertion, and are wonderful examples of reflective practice. For teachers, assessing ePortfolios is a quick and easy process as feedback can be provided using the ‘record audio’ function of OneNote or the pen function or even the ‘record video’ function too – it’s your choice!”



Róisín Beaver, Post-Primary Teacher

Higher Education:

“UCD School of Education are realising the potential of ePortfolios as a tool for student teachers to construct and manage their own learning experience. We are maximising the benefits of the Microsoft ecosystem in order to develop ePortfolios as a tool for documenting and managing their own learning. It also allows them to create, store, share and showcase their own innovative teaching and learning resources with a view to being role models for their own students on school placement. We are looking forward to showcasing samples of our student teachers’ ePortfolios at Féilte this year!”



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