

Popplet

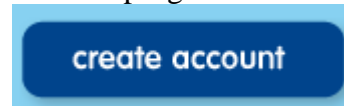
<http://popplet.com/>

Popplet is a free online tool that allows you to create mind mapping and brainstorming diagrams.
NOTE: You may create a maximum of 5 Popplets.

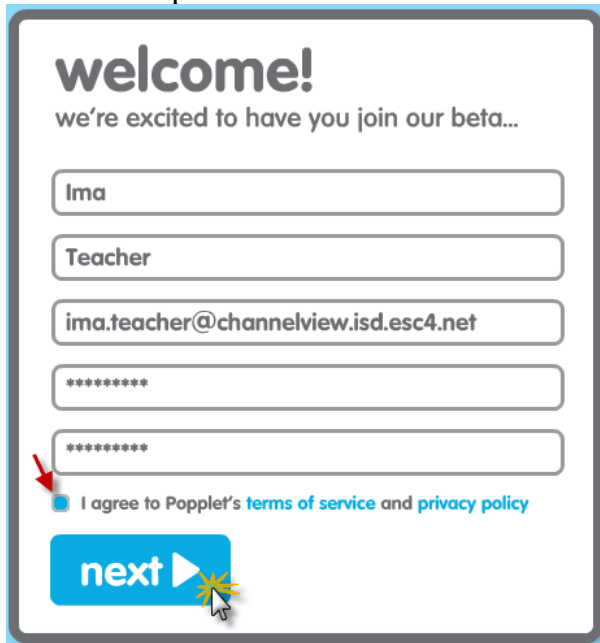
[CLICK HERE](#) to see a sample Popplet.

Creating an Account

At the top right of the screen, click the **Create Account** button.



Fill in the required information. Be sure to click the **I Agree** box. Then click **Next**.



To log in to an existing Popplet account, click the **Log In** button at the top right of the screen.



Starting a New Popplet

Click the **Make New Popplet** button.

make new popplet

Name the file, and select a background color. Then click the **Make It So** button.

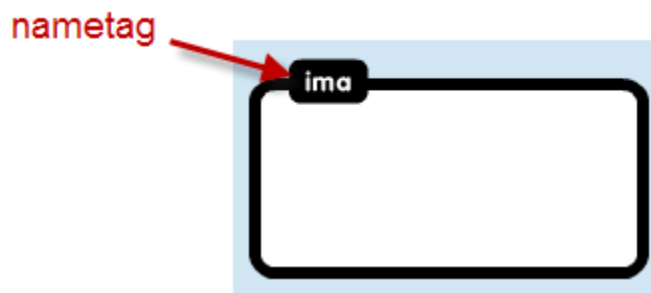


A tutorial will appear on the screen. You can page through it by clicking the **Next** button, or close it by clicking the **X**.

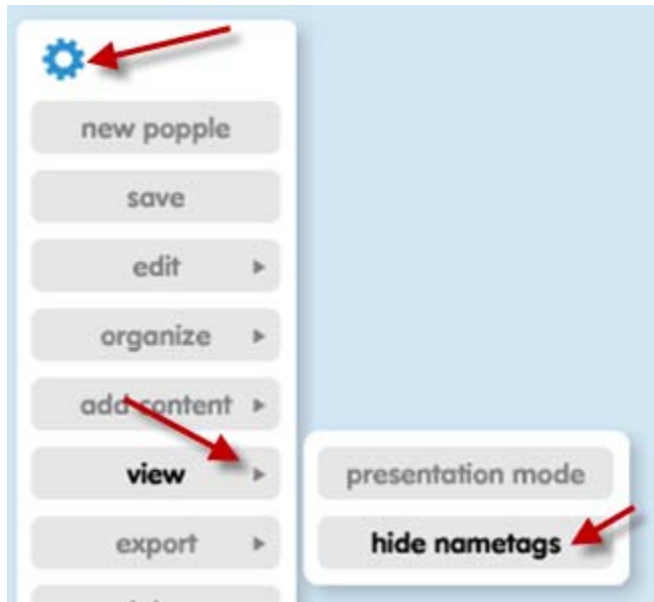


Double click anywhere on the screen to create the first “popple.”

By default, every popple will display your name.

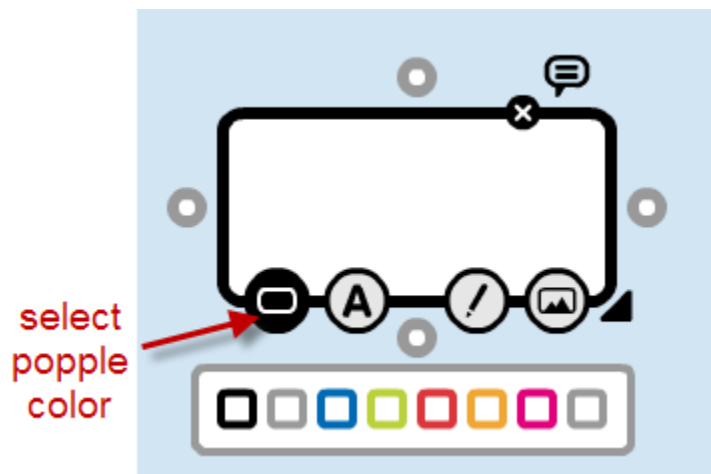


To hide all nametags, choose the **Gear Menu > View > Hide Nametags**.

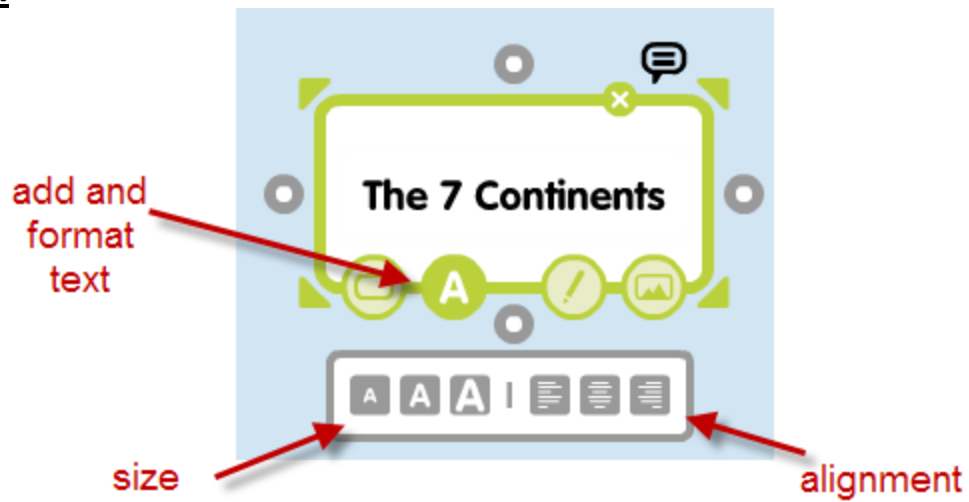


Learning the Popplet Tools

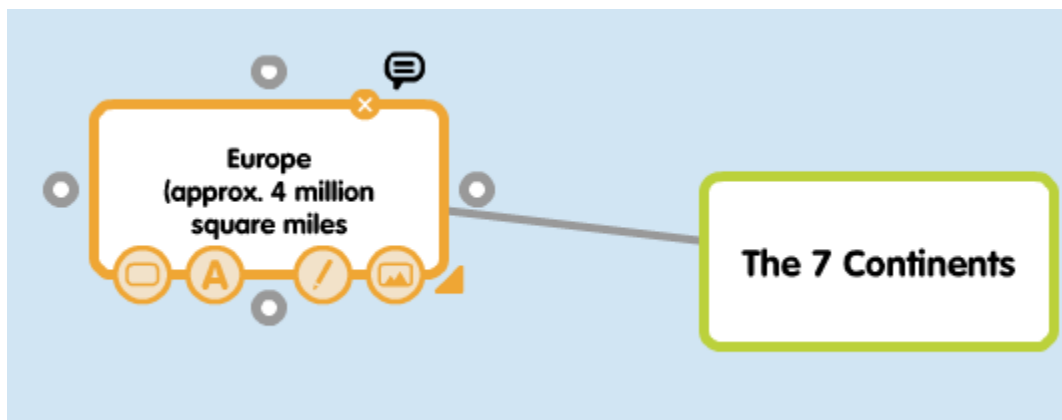
Popple Border Color



Text



Add a Popple



Images

To use an image in Popplet, it must first be saved somewhere on your computer.



Move Popples

Click/ hold/drag on the popple's border to move it.

click/hold/drag to move



To move the entire Popplet, click/hold/drag on an open area on the screen.

You can also use the Zoom tool to change the Popplet view.



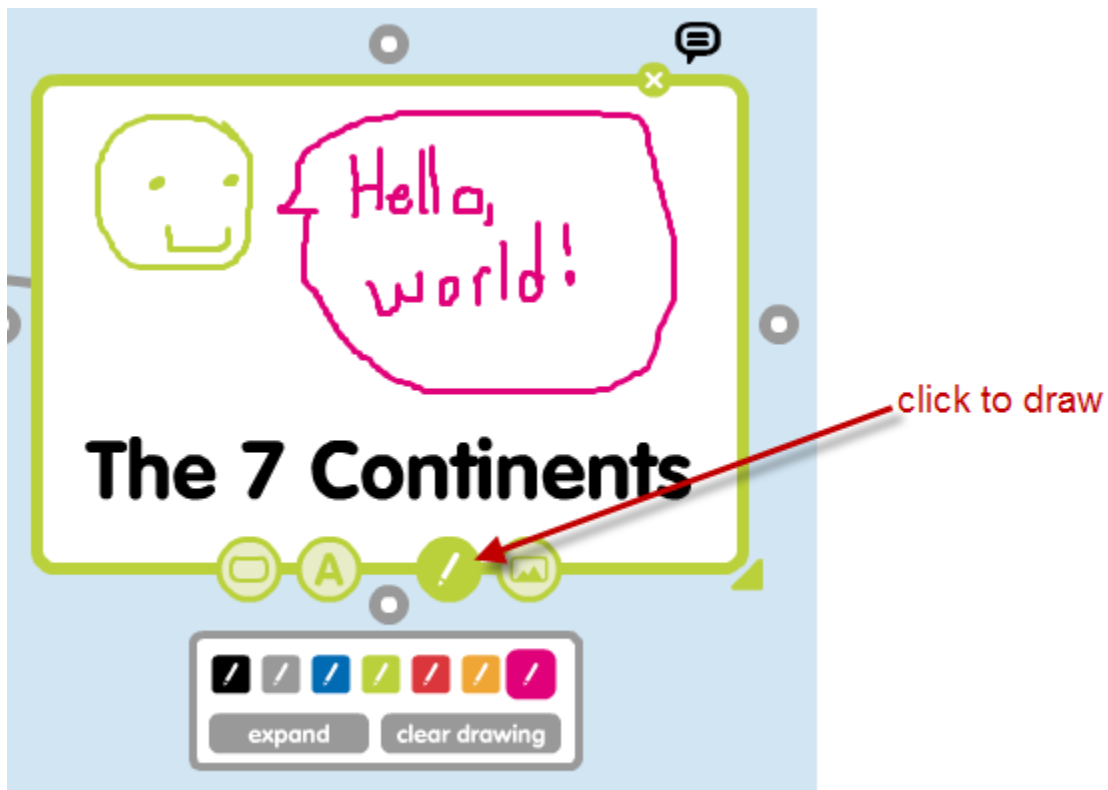
Resize a Popple

Click/hold/drag on the arrow to resize popple. The popple and the image will resize, but not the text.

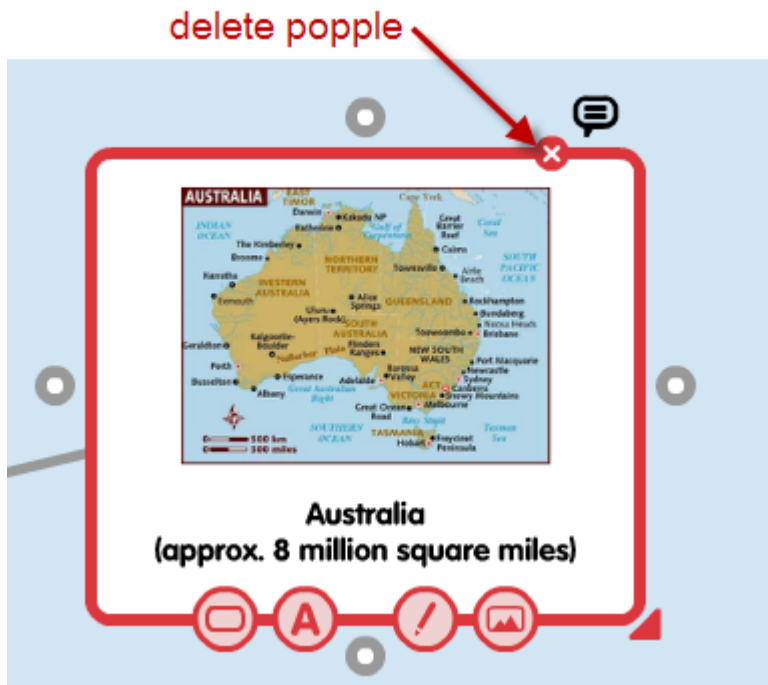


Drawing Tool

Choose the drawing tool, then select a color.

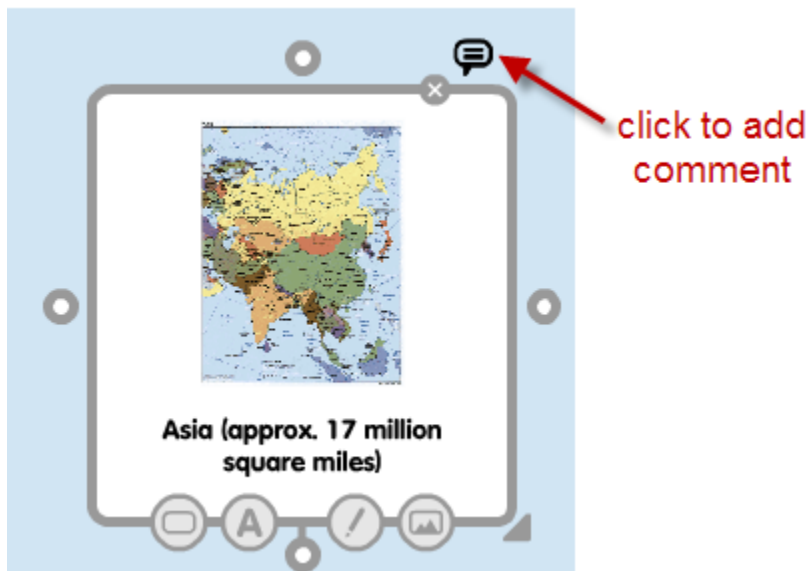


Delete a Popple



Comments

Comments can be used in collaboration with other Popplet users, or as a way to add more information without adding more popples to the screen. In the sample, I used comments to add facts about the continent without adding additional popples to the screen.



The screenshot shows a Popplet interface with a light blue background. On the left, a popplet titled "Asia (approx. 17 million square miles)" contains a map of Asia. A comment icon is visible in the top right corner of this popplet. A line connects this icon to a larger comment box on the right. This comment box has a grey header with the text "ima" and contains the text: "Most countries use the 'euro' as their currency. Before 1999, every country in Europe had its own money system." A red arrow points to the text area with the label "type comment here". Below the comment box, there is a grey button labeled "add this comment!". A red arrow points to this button with the label "click to save comment".

Click this button in the lower left of the screen to return to the full Popplet view.



To view all comments associated with a popple, click the Comments icon.

The screenshot shows two popplets on a light blue background. The left popplet is titled "Asia (approx. 17 million square miles)" and contains a map of Asia. A comment icon is in its top right corner, with a red arrow pointing to it from the left. The right popplet is titled "Australia (approx. 8 million square miles)" and contains a map of Australia. A comment icon is in its top right corner, with a red arrow pointing to it from the top right. The right popplet is outlined with a red border.

SAMPLE COMMENTS VIEW

Asia (approx. 17 million square miles)

ima

Most countries use the "eruo" as their currency. Before 1999, every country had its own money system.

ima

There are no deserts on the continent of Europe.

NOTE: Comments cannot be moved around. You cannot hide their nametags.

ima

Most countries use the "eruo" as their currency. Before 1999, every country had its own money system.

x

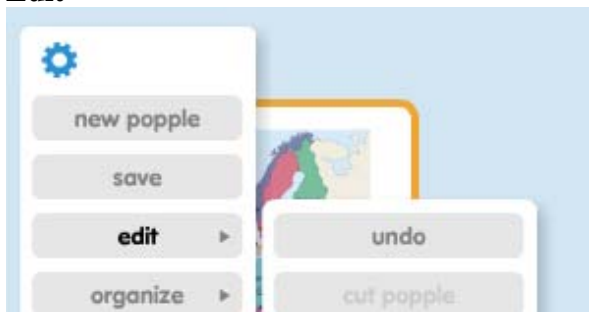
delete comment

Gear Menu

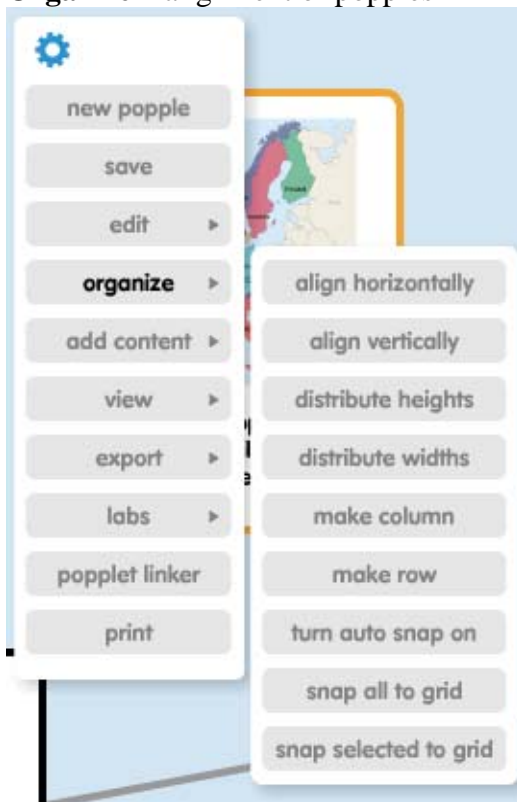
Save



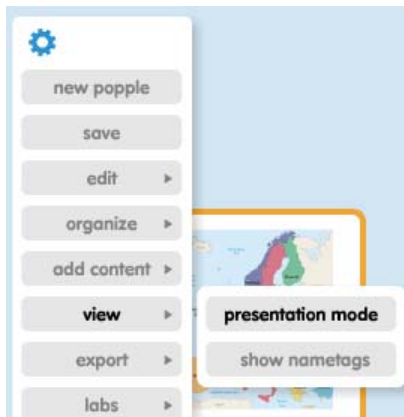
Edit



Organize – alignment of popples



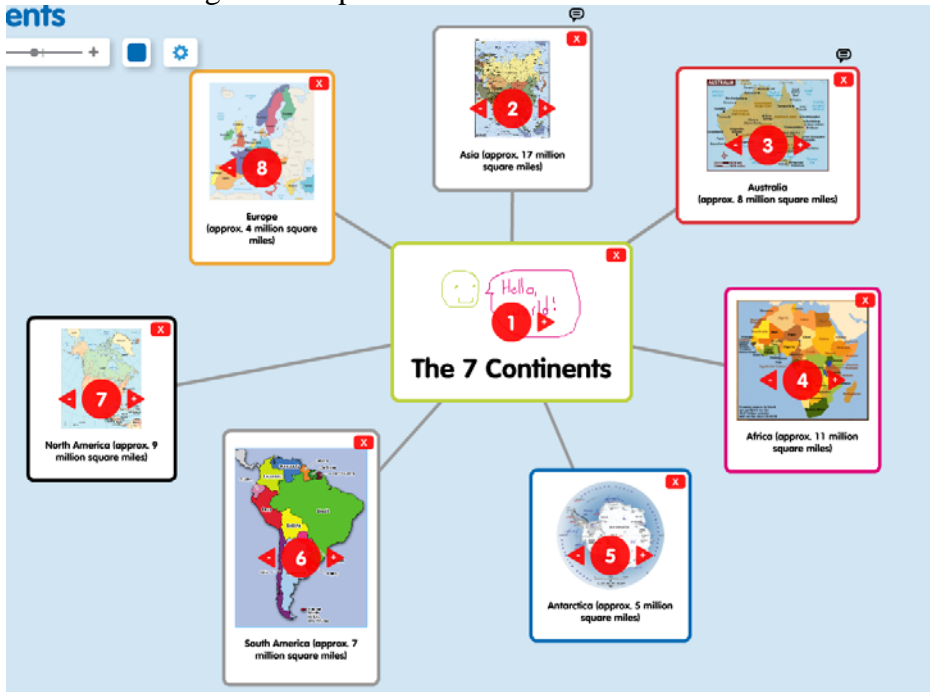
View – presentation mode. Presentation Mode creates a slideshow that you can page through using the arrow keys on your keyboard.



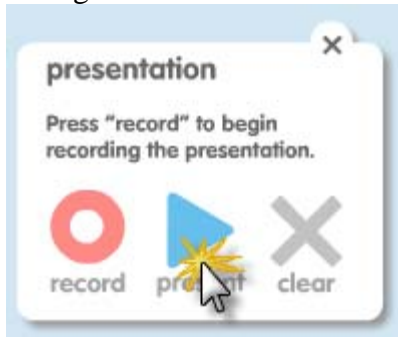
Click **Record**, then click on each popple in the order in which you would like to view it.



Click **Record** again to stop.



Click **Present** to view the show. Press the right and left arrow keys on your keyboard to navigate through the show.



Click **Exit** to return to regular mode/

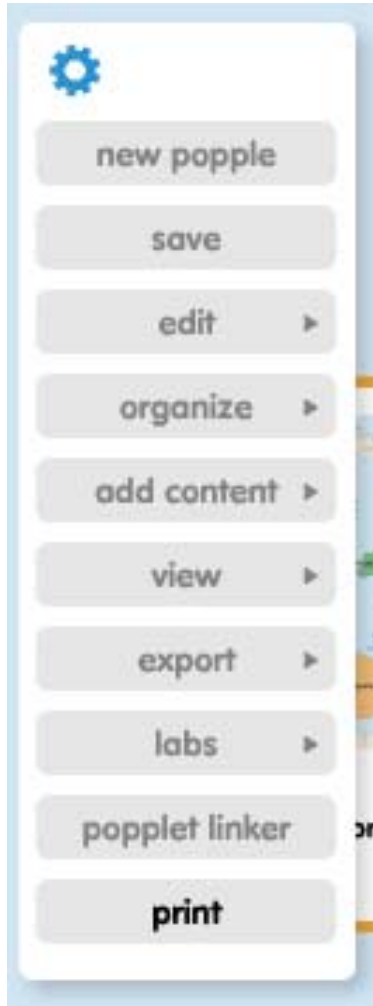


Export

You can save a popplet as a pdf or jpg image file. Comments are not viewable in the exported file. The popplet is not editable in the exported view.



Print – Comments are not viewable in the printed file.



Editing Existing Popplets

Click the **Home** button.

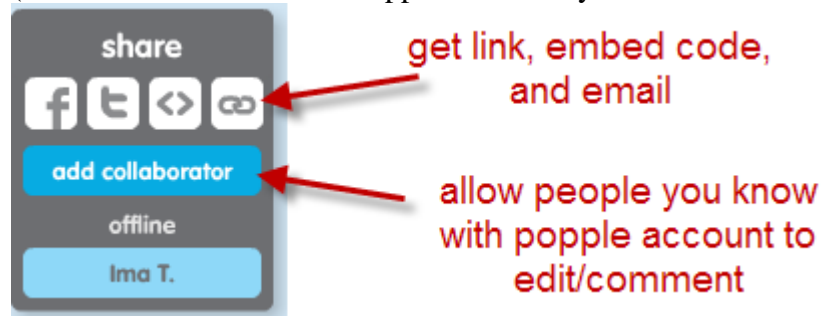


Sharing a Popplet

Click the **Share** button at the top right of the screen.



Choose the 4th icon. It will provide three methods of sharing your work with others. (You can also invite other Popple users that you know to edit and comment on your work.)



You can copy and paste a direct link to your Popplet.

copy and paste link:

`http://popplet.com/app/#/289443`

You can also email a link to your Popplet directly to people.

email friends:

enter up to 10 comma-separated email addresses

`joe.teacher@channelview.isd`



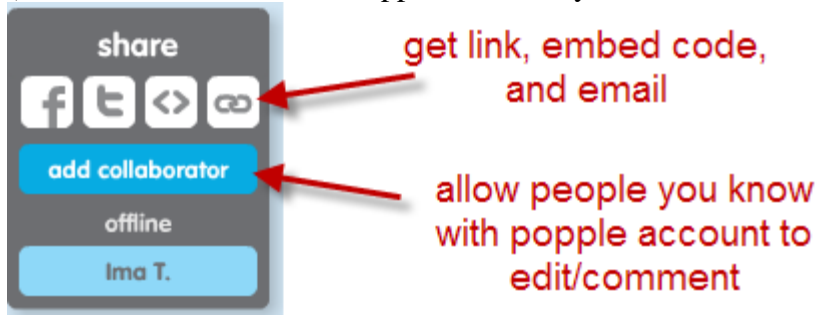
Embedding a Popplet on Your SchoolWires Website

To see a sample embedded Popplet, [CLICK HERE](#).



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Copy the code from the Embed It box.

embed it:

copy the code below and paste it into your
blog or website

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Viewers should not use the Zoom tool. They will have to scroll and drag to view Popplet.



It is recommended that viewers use the Full Screen icon.



For information on how to paste the embed code onto a page on your SchoolWires website,
[CLICK HERE](#).

Yes, There's an App for That

Popplet Lite – available for iPhone/iPod and iPad. There is also a paid version.

