

How do you create e-feedback on the iPad and what free apps should you use? We tested it for you!

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	Technical characteristics	+	-	Comments	Grade
Voice Recorder	M4A; No editing; 1.5 MB 5 min.; No mathematical formulas; Save on device; Pay for more		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Many intrusive advertisements Not very user-friendly Unpleasant interface Some major malfunctions 	Voice Recorder is poorly designed and problematic. The intrusive advertisements are quite distracting, even for a free app. This app should be avoided.	★
Microsoft PowerPoint	PPT, PPTX; No editing; 2.5 MB 5 min.; No mathematical formulas; Save on device and on cloud; Pay for more	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allows for easy viewing of files More advanced features compared to other apps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Requires a costly subscription to Microsoft 365 (online version of MS Office) to modify or create files Limited features compared to the desktop version Some free apps (like Google Slides) provide functions that are essentially the same Attractive animations, but time-consuming to execute 	Microsoft PowerPoint is very efficient, but for adept users of Microsoft products only, as it requires a costly subscription that provides even fewer features than the desktop version. The stand-alone free app, without editing rights, is not very useful.	★★
Google Slides	PPT, PPTX; Yes editing; 2.5 MB 5 min.; No mathematical formulas; Save on device and on cloud; No pay for more option	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides for free what most apps charge for Very easy to share work 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attractive animations, but time-consuming to execute Great for teamwork, but less useful for providing feedback Uploading files can be complicated Requires a Google Drive account Uploading audio files is not possible from the mobile app 	Google Slides is very popular for collaborative work, but it has not been designed to provide the desired style of feedback.	★★
Prezi Lite Editor	Web file, EXE; Yes editing; File size unavailable; No mathematical formulas; Save on device and on cloud; No pay for more option	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Good alternative to PowerPoint for presentations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Impossible to share files (pictures only) Only YouTube videos can be shared Attractive animations, but difficult to build 	Prezi Lite Editor is very popular for collaborative work, but it has not been designed to provide the desired style of feedback.	★★
Microsoft OneNote	Web file; No editing; File size unavailable; Mathematical formulas; Save on cloud; No pay for more option	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Free subscription Shows all PDF pages, one after another Inserts multiple audio files within the same document Documents easy to share online between multiple users 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Impossible to export the file produced No video options 	OneNote is Microsoft's answer to the apps available in Google Drive. It is user-friendly and offers many options. Without the download option, file sharing can be problematic for confidential documents.	★★
Audio Class Notes Free	M4A; No editing; 2.3 MB 5 min.; No mathematical formulas; Save on device and on cloud; Pay for more	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> User-friendly interface Easy file management 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Few sharing options Few possibilities other than audio recording 	Audio Class Notes Free is a user-friendly and efficient interface. File management is very easy compared to other apps; however, apart from audio recording, the app has little added value.	★★
Adobe Voice	Web file, MP4, YouTube; No editing; File size unavailable; No mathematical formulas; Save on cloud; Pay for more	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> User-friendly interface, easy to use Many simple file export options 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Picture upload only (no PDF) No whiteboard interface Continuously pressing the record button is probably inconvenient for longer recordings File rendering is a somewhat lengthy process 	The user-friendly Adobe Voice app is well designed. Some features are not suitable for longer recordings. The absence of a whiteboard interface is disappointing.	★★
AudioNote (Free)	.audionote; No editing; 4 MB 5 min.; No mathematical formulas; Save on device and on cloud; No pay for more option	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Interesting whiteboard interface Very easy to use Allows PDF embedding 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Output file format (.audionote) is not practical Very large file size for a file that only contains audio and pictures Some features are not easy to find in the interface 	AudioNote (Free) is versatile and allows PDF embedding, a rare feature for a freeware app (no requirement for additional purchase). The output file, however, is impractical.	★★
Voice Record Pro	M4A, MP3; Yes editing; 450 KB 5 min.; No mathematical formulas; Save on device and on cloud; Pay for more	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Several options for fine-tuning audio settings Silence detection Many file export options Easy-to-use file converter 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No option to embed visuals 	For audio recording only, Voice Record Pro is simple and extremely efficient. Its features are useful for basic or expert use. The export options and file converter are great features that are rarely seen in a freeware app.	★★★
ScreenChomp	Web file; No editing; File size unavailable; No mathematical formulas; Save on cloud; No pay for more option	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> User-friendly interface Very easy to use Allows PDF embedding 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Video rendering is time-consuming (done directly in the cloud rather than on the device) Few sharing options Limited whiteboard interface Bugs while broadcasting whiteboard marks 	ScreenChomp is a very user-friendly app, but not versatile. Video rendering is a lengthy process, much more so than with other apps.	★★
Educreations Interactive Whiteboard	Web file; No editing; File size unavailable; No mathematical formulas; Save on cloud; Pay for more	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> User-friendly and easy to use Creative interface 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some options, like importing PDFs, are only available in the paid version Shareable only in the Educreations webspace Impossible to download files Whiteboard interface is very basic 	Educreations Interactive Whiteboard is a great app, but the freeware version is quite limited. The obligation within the freeware version to publicly share posted content is inconvenient. For an app of this quality, the whiteboard interface is very disappointing.	★★
bContext	Web file; Yes editing; File size unavailable; No mathematical formulas; Save on cloud; Pay for more	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Very nice interface Allows PDF importing Lots of whiteboard tools 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Requires a subscription for basic functionality Sharing work is difficult 	bContext is a fine app, but its freeware version is quite limited. Without the download option in the freeware, file sharing can be problematic for confidential documents; nonetheless, the ability to embed PDFs and the presence of a great whiteboard interface are rare for freeware versions of a commercial app.	★★
ShowMe	Web file; No editing; File size unavailable; No mathematical formulas; Save on cloud; Pay for more	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Interesting whiteboard interface Allows PDF embedding 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Requires a subscription for basic functionality Sharing work is difficult 	ShowMe is a solid app with an interesting whiteboard interface. The freeware version has limited features, however, and sharing options are limited and not user-friendly.	★★
Doceri Interactive Whiteboard	Web file, MOV, YouTube; No editing; 32 MB 5 min.; No mathematical formulas; Save on device and on cloud; Pay for more	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Great whiteboard interface Many simple file export options Option to establish live connection with a desktop computer 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Option to export files in different sizes, but no files Picture upload only (no PDF) 	Doceri Interactive Whiteboard is versatile and user-friendly with more advanced options for advanced users. Its only flaw is that it does not allow PDF embedding.	★★
Screen Recorder Pro	M4A, MP4; No editing; 80 MB (video) 4 MB (audio) 5 min.; No mathematical formulas; Save on device and on cloud; No pay for more option	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Versatile app Option to record web browsing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A lot of intrusive advertisements Some glitches No whiteboard for video Large file size Recording only possible through camera Recording of web browsing can be tricky 	Screen Recorder Pro allows recording of audio and video, which is rare. Simple recording of web browsing is a great feature. Apart from recording, however, its features are limited and some glitches occur here and there. The intrusive advertising is quite distracting, even for a freeware app.	★★
Pro Recorder (Free)	MOV; No editing; 30 MB (video) 4 MB (audio) 5 min.; No mathematical formulas; Save on device and on cloud; No pay for more option	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Versatile app Option to record web browsing, but procedure is complex 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A lot of intrusive advertisements Some glitches No whiteboard for video 	Pro Recorder (Free) allows recording of audio and video, which is rare. The recording of web browsing is a great feature, albeit quite a complex procedure. Apart from recording, however, its features are limited and some glitches occur here and there. The intrusive advertising is quite distracting, even for a freeware app.	★★

