

GoREACT – Student FAQs

Systems Support	Yes	No
Operating Systems*		
Windows	X	
Mac	X	
*The most current versions of operating systems and browsers are recommended. Older versions have not been tested.		
Browsers		
Chrome	X	
Internet Explorer**	X	
Firefox	X	
Safari**	X	
** GoREACT works with IE 10 and 11 but does not work well with IE 9 or older. Also works with Safari 6 or 7, but not well with 5.x		
Mobile***		
iPhone	X	
iPad	X	
Android Smartphone	X	
Android Tablet	X	
***Users can only record live with a PC and can use mobile devices to record and upload videos.		

Other Software and Hardware Needs

To record directly into the tool, you'll need a personal computer (with Flash) and a webcam with Adobe Flash (<http://get.adobe.com/flashplayer/>). You will need a mobile device or camera to record offline and upload video into the tool.

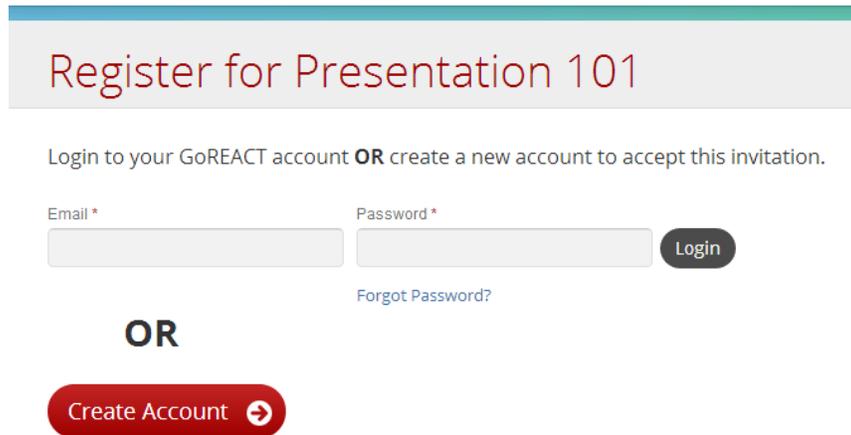
1. How do I set up my account?

Purchase a SAGE GoREACT slimpack as a standalone product or bundled with a SAGE text.

Then you will register via a course link provided by their instructors.

NOTE: Without **the slimpack and the course link**, you will be unable to register.

Click the link you receive from your instructor, and you'll see a page like this:



The screenshot shows a registration page with a teal header bar. Below the header, the text "Register for Presentation 101" is displayed in a red font. Underneath, there is a prompt: "Login to your GoREACT account **OR** create a new account to accept this invitation." This is followed by two input fields: "Email *" and "Password *". To the right of the password field is a dark grey "Login" button. Below the password field is a blue link that says "Forgot Password?". In the center, the word "OR" is displayed in a large, bold, black font. At the bottom, there is a red button with the text "Create Account" and a white right-pointing arrow.

Enter your information, and you will be guided to a page on which you enter your access code.

To enter your code, click the “Enter Access Code” button and type in the code where indicated.

GoREACT Student Fee Payment

Oral Communication 101 requires a participant fee for the GoREACT system, which will give you access for the duration of the course. Each video may be up to 30 mins in length.

Total \$15.00	<p>If you are taking more than one course with GoREACT, buy them together & save! (Extra course fee credits you buy now will be banked to use for future registrations)</p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"><input style="width: 40px; text-align: center;" type="text" value="1"/><div style="margin-left: 5px;">▲ ▼</div></div> <p>Student Course GoREACT fee(s)</p>
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[Pay by Credit/Debit Card](#) [Enter Access Code](#) [Pay Later](#)

Payment Information

This fee is non-refundable. You will receive an email receipt for your transaction after it is completed.

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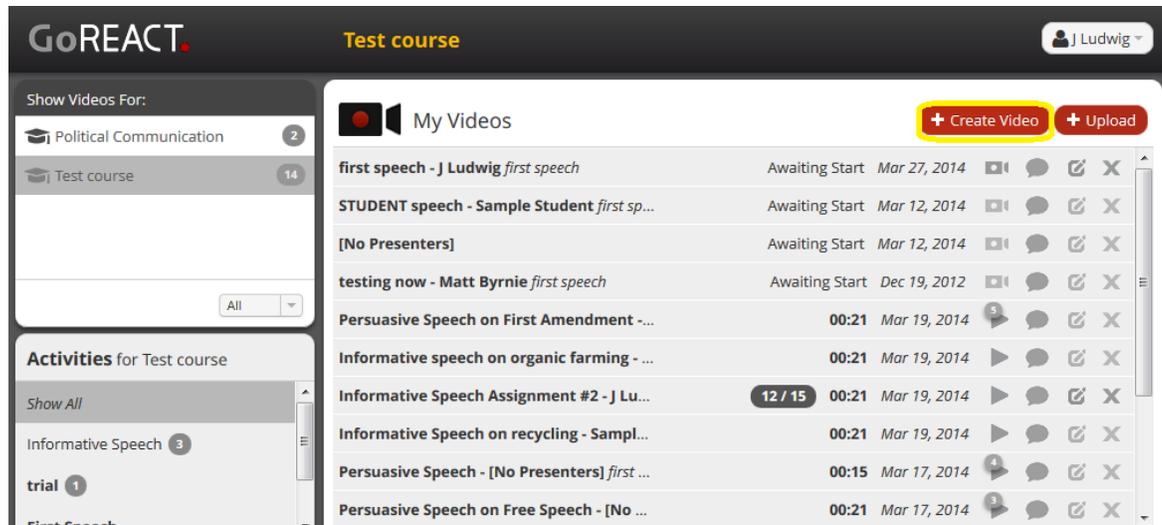
Name on Card First * Last *

[Complete Purchase](#)

On your dashboard, you'll find activities your instructor has assigned. Note that you will not be able to record video until your instructor creates an activity.

2. How do I record videos?

Click "Create Video" on your dashboard screen and then create a name for your recording. Make sure to attach your recording to the correct assignment!

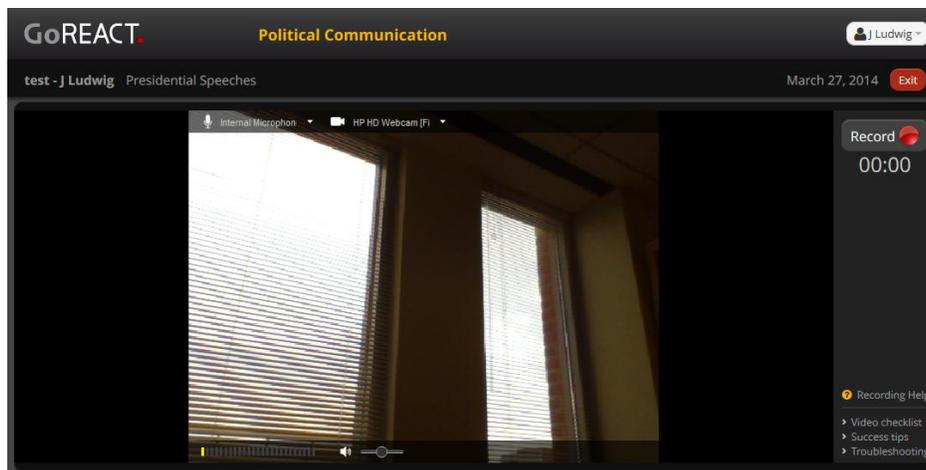


Record Presentations

After you've created your video, if you do not go directly to the recording screen, your new video's Dashboard status should say "Awaiting Start". Click the Record icon next to it.

You'll see a preview of your webcam's current view. (If blank, make sure your webcam is connected.) If possible, record using a **wired internet connection**.

Click "Record" to start recording. The red light will flash while recording. To Stop or Pause, click "Stop". The video will show the current length of time recorded so far. To resume recording, click "Resume". Otherwise, simply Exit the recording screen.



3. How do I critique presentations?

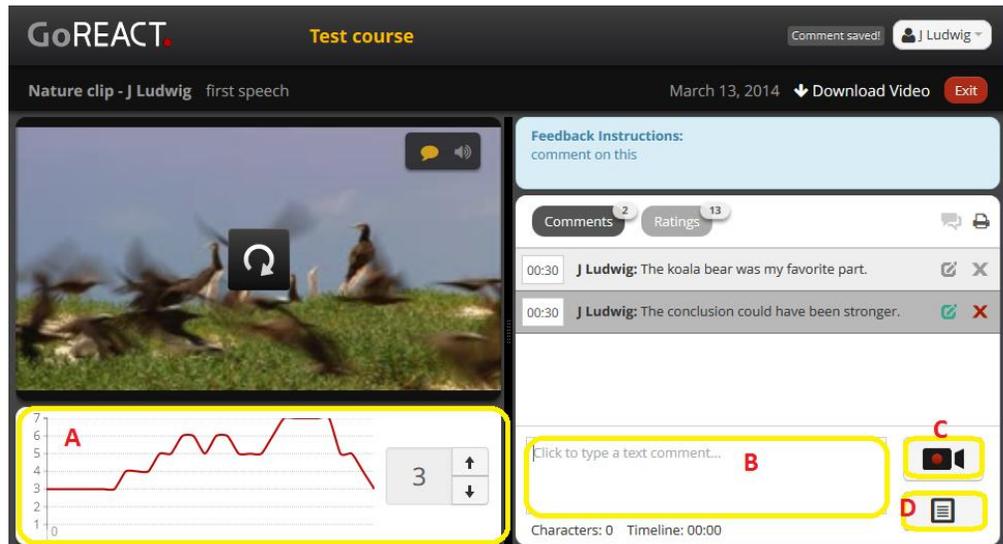
To critique a video, click the Comment icon next to a video on your dashboard. Timeline comments may be entered live during the recording or when playing the video back.

If reviewing an already recorded video, you'll enter feedback on the feedback screen alongside the video.

If reviewing a live presentation, you'll see a timer instead of actual video in the video window so you can keep your eyes on the presenter.

Students can critique videos in the following ways:

- 1) By indicating a number rating as the speech plays. **(A)**
- 2) By submitting written comments via a text box. Comments are posted with a time stamp and name above the text box. **(B)**
- 3) By recording video comments using a webcam. **(C)**
- 4) By adding an "endnote," a longer note that includes overall comments and feedback. **(D)**



4. How do I view critiqued videos?

Presenters can log into GoREACT anywhere, anytime to review their commented video. Click "View" next to the presentation you wish to review.

The screenshot displays the GoREACT 'My Videos' dashboard. At the top, the GoREACT logo and 'Test course' are visible, along with a user profile for 'J Ludwig'. The main area is a list of video uploads. The list includes titles such as 'Persuasive Speech on First Amendment...', 'Informative speech on organic farming...', 'Informative Speech Assignment #2 - J Lu...', 'Informative Speech on recycling - Sampl...', 'Persuasive Speech - [No Presenters] first ...', 'Persuasive Speech on Free Speech - [No ...', 'Student Speech - Sample Student first spe...', 'iPhone upload - Sample Student first spe...', 'Nature clip - J Ludwig first speech', and '[No Presenters] trial'. Each entry shows its duration and upload date. A tooltip for the 'Nature clip' video shows 'View video & comments (4 comments from others)'. A sidebar on the left shows 'Show Videos For:' with 'Political Communication' (2) and 'Test course' (13). Below that, 'Activities for Test course' lists 'Informative Speech' (3), 'trial' (1), and 'First Speech'. At the bottom of the video list, there is a search bar and a 'Trash' button.

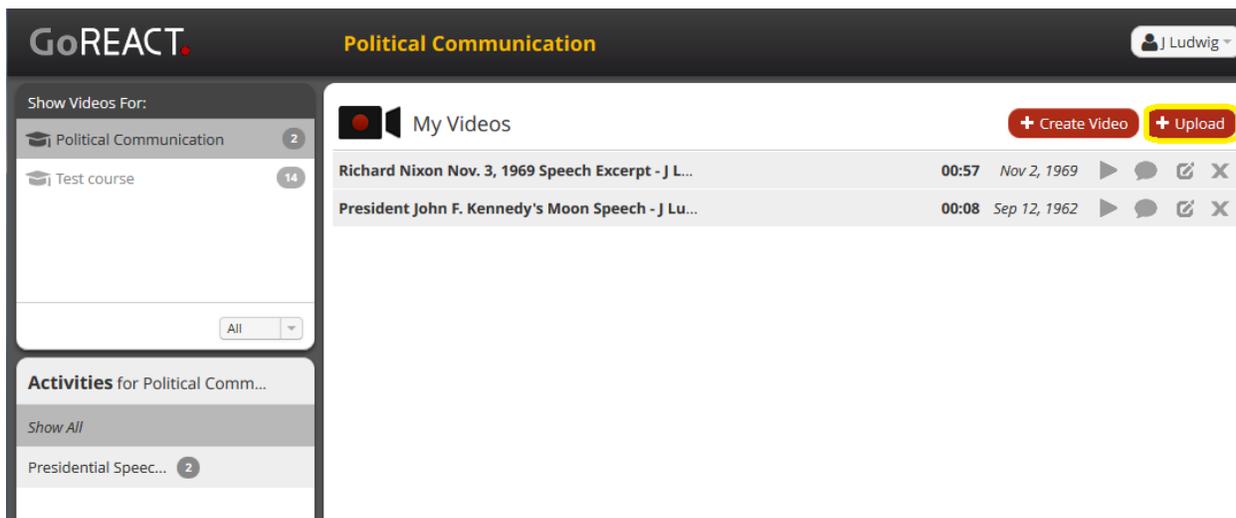
Comments and ratings from all reviewers will be displayed, along with the video and playback controls. Instructors and Reviewers can always see all comments on all videos.

The screenshot shows the GoREACT video player interface. At the top, the GoREACT logo and 'Test course' are visible, along with a user profile for 'J Ludwig'. The video title is 'Nature clip - J Ludwig first speech', dated March 27, 2014. The video player shows a nature scene with birds. Below the video is a rating scale from 1 to 7, with a current rating of 3. To the right, there are 'Feedback Instructions' and a 'Comments' section with two comments from 'J Ludwig'. A text input field for comments is at the bottom right.

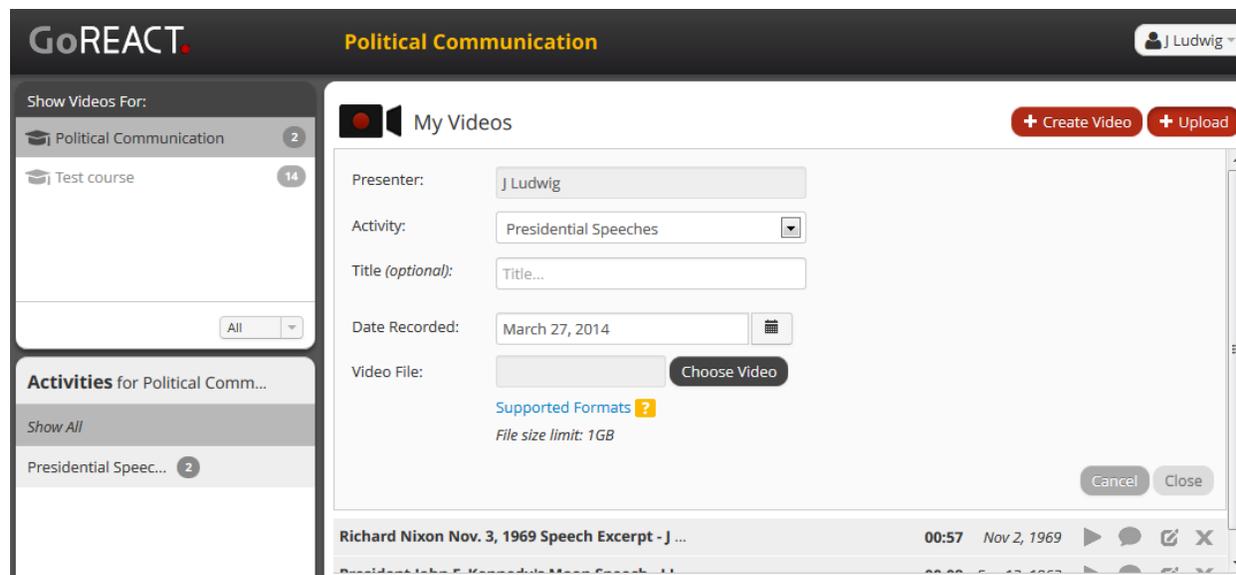
5. How do I upload videos?

Record your video on any recording device (camera, mobile device, etc.) and save the video file to your computer. If using a mobile device, you can open your GoREACT dashboard on your mobile browser.

Click the “Upload” button on your dashboard.



Select the correct activity, title and date recorded and browse to find the video you want to upload.



Click “Start Upload.” Time to upload video depends on your video file size and your internet connection speed. After it uploads, you will see it processing (may take a few minutes). Once complete, you will receive an email confirmation that your upload was successful.

GoREACT.

Your video is ready

Congratulations! Your video "nix.mov" you recently uploaded to GoREACT has been processed and is ready to view.

Cheers,
GoREACT Team
<http://goreact.com>

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6. Here are some helpful tips:

System Requirements

- Windows or Mac PC with Adobe Flash (latest 2 versions of OS and browser supported)
- Internet access (wired recommended for recording PC)
- Webcam for the recording PC

Video/Audio Quality

- Video on GoREACT records to the server at a 360p quality setting. Video uploads cap at 1 GB. Wired internet is recommended for the recording PC to ensure video quality.
- Audio quality is determined by the quality and placement of the webcam's microphone. Watch the audio bars on the recording screen to make sure audio is sufficient (should reach green bars while you're speaking).

GoREACT's Help Resources

<http://community.goreact.com>

7. Who do I contact for tech support?

Please consult GoREACT's community support page, <http://community.goreact.com/hc/en-us>, or contact support@goreact.com.

8. How long do I have access?

Students will have access for the duration of the course. The videos will be stored in the Amazon Cloud and will be available for download for three years.

9. What are the main features of GoREACT?

GoREACT is a web tool developed by Brigham Young University that allows students and instructors to evaluate, record and share video. Main features include:

- Evaluation
 - Real-time commenting enables real-time peer and instructor review
- Recording
 - Live recording via a webcam
 - Upload offline recordings made on cell phones and camcorders (and clips from sites such as YouTube)
- Sharing
 - Post comments in real time or critique an uploaded clip