Take Action on Students’ Browsing Tabs in Classroom Session with Teacher Assist

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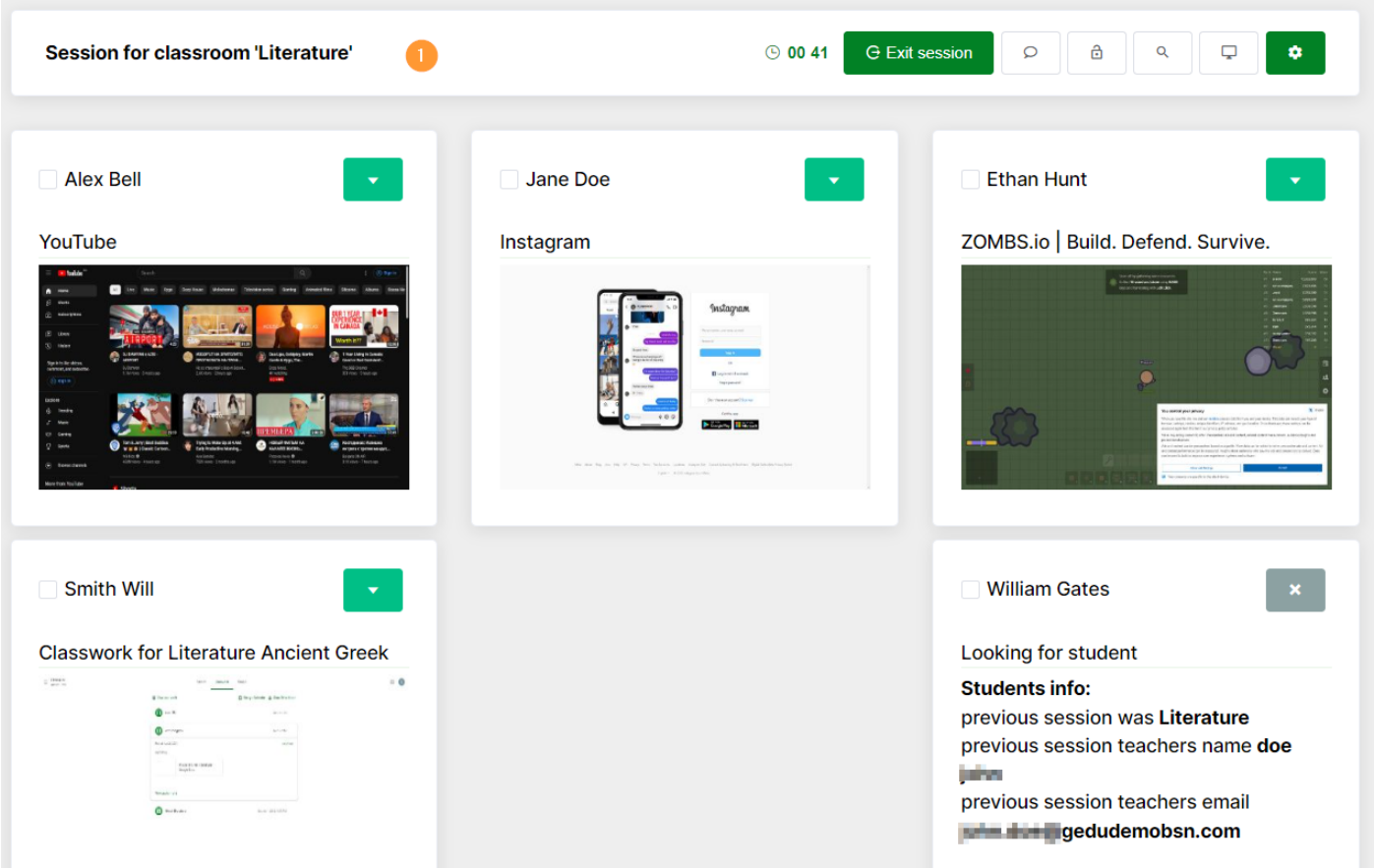
Teacher Assist is a tool for Google Classroom teachers. It allows them to view and monitor the screens of the students in real-time and take action on students' browsing tabs.

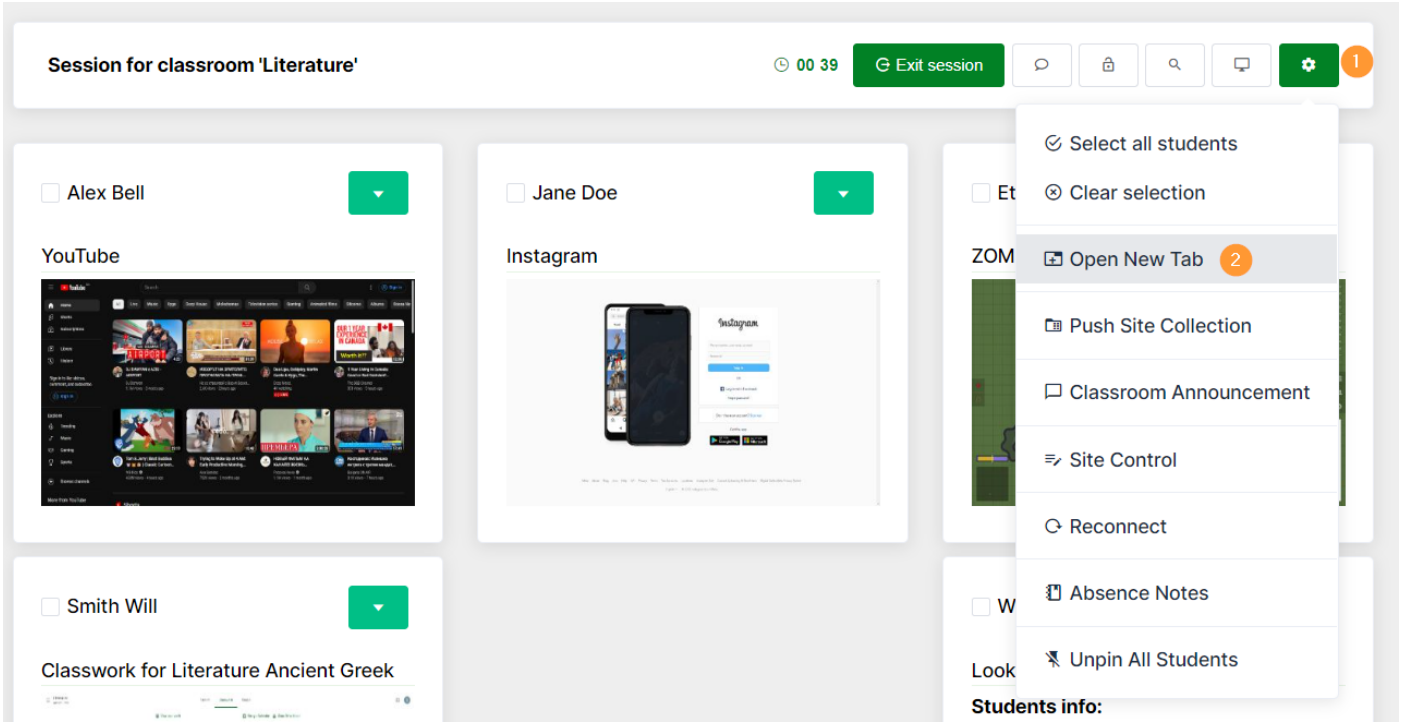
The Teacher Control

Navigate to **Teacher Assist > Start a classroom session.** View all the active students and their browsing activity in real-time.



Open and push a new site to all the students in bulk.

Next, click on **the cartwheel button** and click on **Open New Tab**.



This will prompt a window where to enter any site needed.

- **Enter the site URL**
- **Open** - click to open the chosen site
- **Open and Lock** - click to open the chosen site and lock it for the students
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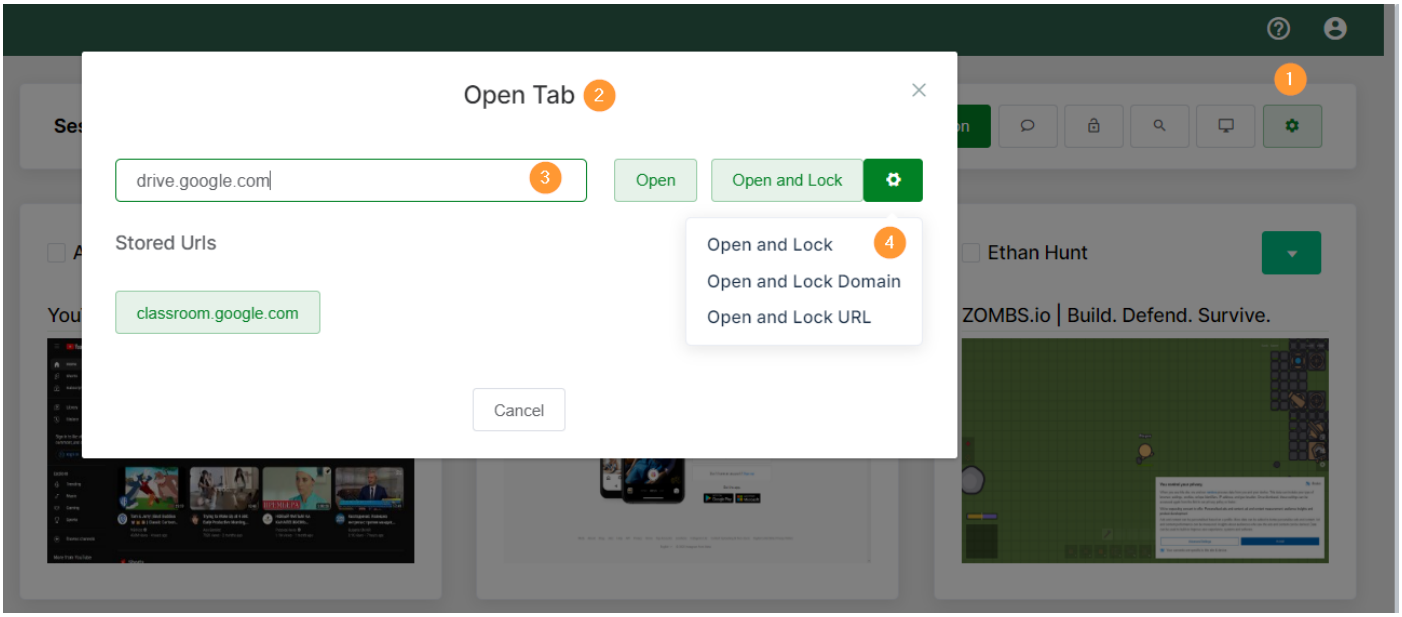
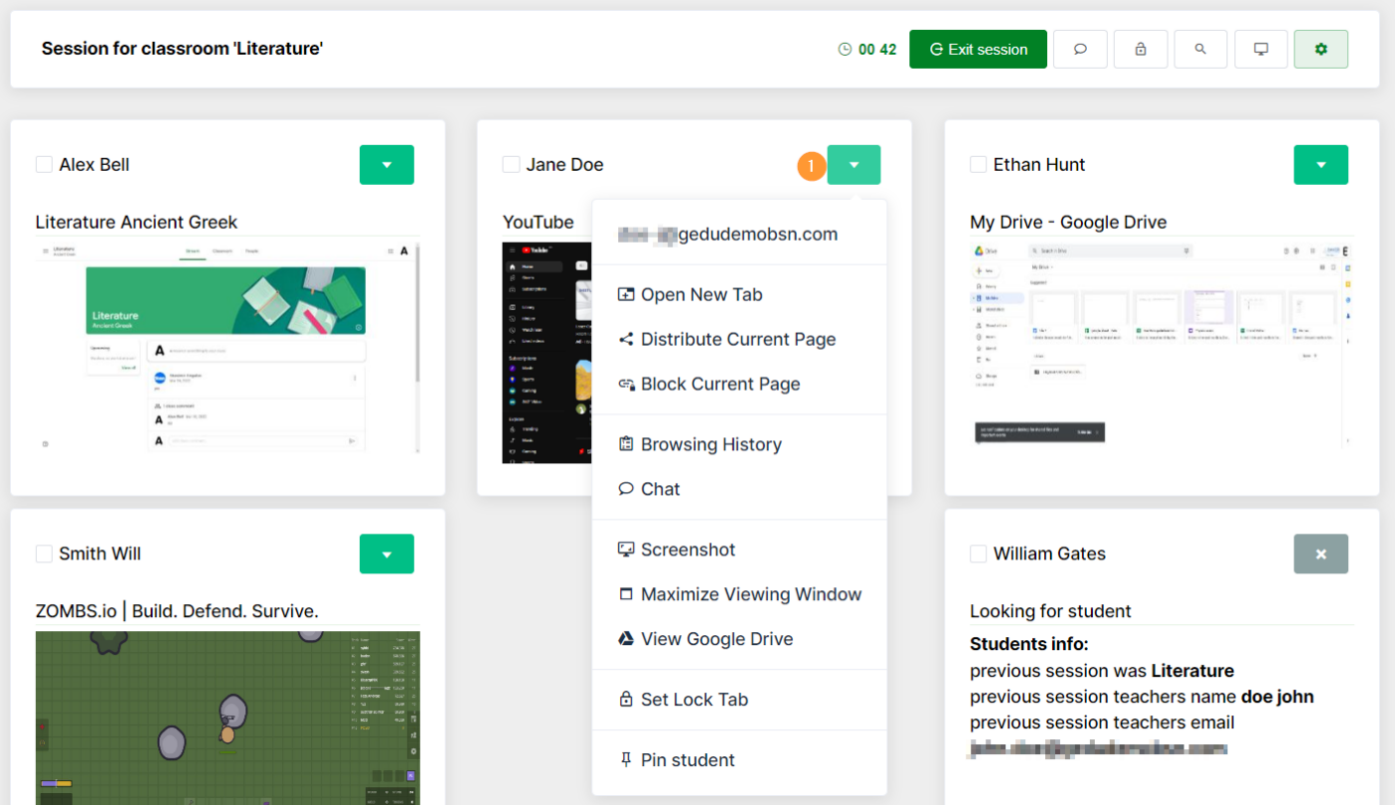


Control Individual Student when Browsing

Clicking on any individual student, the teacher can view the options available.

- **Open new tab** - open a new tab for the student
- **Distribute current page** - distribute the current opened page and send to all other students
- **Block current page** - block the current page



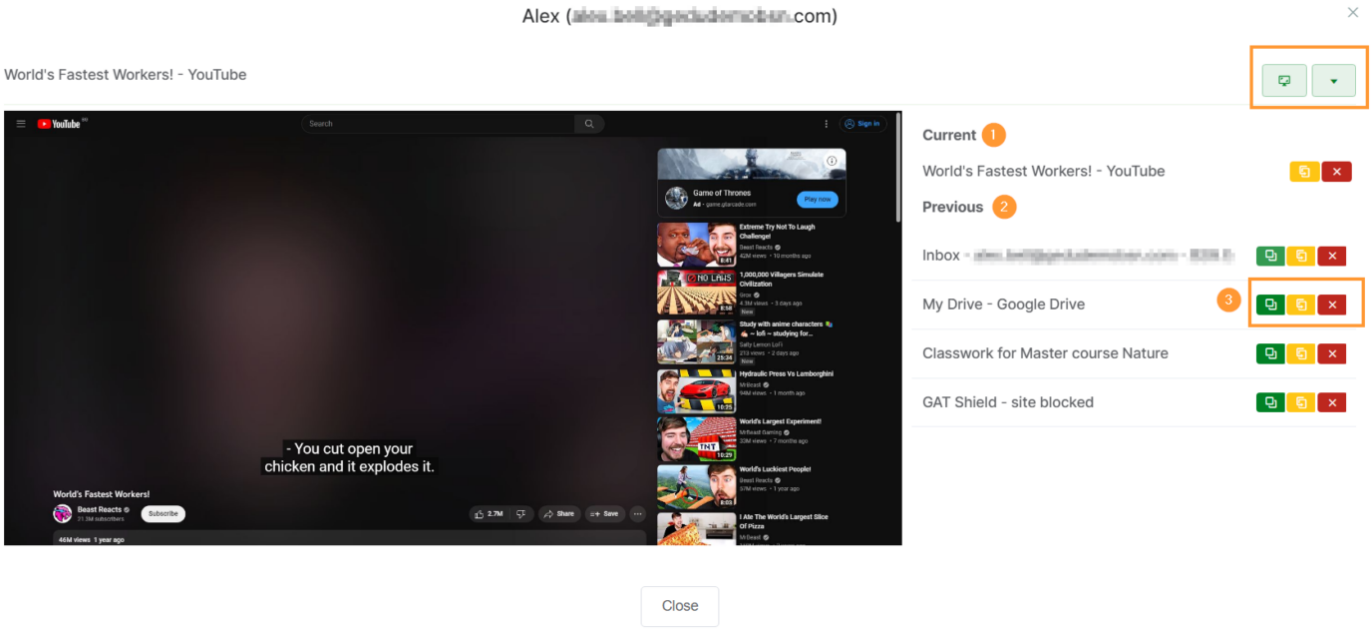
NOTE: Block current page - will block the page for all the active students.

Control the students browser open tabs in real-time

Double click on a student account or selecting **Maximize Viewing Window** will open Teacher Assist onto full window. The teacher can view the screen of the student on full screen.

On the right side there is a menu with the tabs the student has open.

- **Current** - it shows the current tab opened by the student
- **Previous** - it shows all the other tabs opened on the students Chrome browser
  - **Open tab** (yellow icon) - open the selected tab on your screen (the teacher's browser). It takes the URL and opens it on the teacher's account.
  - **Switch tab** (green icon) - switch the tab for the student and open as current
  - **Delete tab** (red icon) - close the tab from the students' Chrome browser



Final Results

This allows the teachers to manage and control the browser of the students in real time.

- The teacher can open new tabs for the students.
- They can close the browsing tabs of the student Chrome browser.
- They can also switch between the different tabs opened on the Chrome browser.

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