Are you trying to figure out which formative assessment tool to use in your classroom?

Kahoot! and Quizizz are both great options for engaging your students.

Kahoot offers teachers the option to create multiple choice question quizzes. The site also provides quizzes previously made by other teachers. Students join the quiz by entering a class code on their device. The teacher runs the quiz, pupils answer it and are scored on speed and accuracy. At the end of each question a leader board of the top 5 pupils appears on the screen. Another option for teachers is to create a poll. The poll is the same as the quiz, but rather than points being awarded the software simply tallies up responses to show the results in a poll. Another feature of Kahoot that not many teachers know about is the Jumble feature. Teachers can ask pupils to rank order their responses. This can be used in lots of ways, for example:

- put letters in order
- put historical events in chronological order
- arrange words to make a sentence

Kahoot also has the option to ask students a blind question. A blind question asks about something students haven't learned yet. Don't expect them to get it right. This tricky question hooks students into the lesson and piques their curiosity! If you need more information a [Kahoot handout](#) is available.

Quizizz takes the excitement of a gameshow-style review game and puts the whole experience in the students' hands. With a traditional Kahoot! game, everyone sees the question and possible answers on the projector and answer simultaneously. Quizizz is different because the questions and possible answers are displayed individually on student devices. This prevents students from being able to cheat off of each other because teachers can randomize questions and answer choices. Quizizz is also self paced so no one gets upset because their device didn't load the game fast enough to compete. Like with Kahoot teachers can create their own quizzes or select previously created quizzes, but unlike Kahoot teachers can borrow individual questions form previously created quizzes to create their own new quiz. If you need more information a [Quizziz handout](#) is available.