

4 Alternatives to PowerPoint to make your presentation POP!



Prezi

If you want a presentation that has a kick, give Prezi a try. Prezi is a free, web-based presentation creator that uses a unique zoom interface—creating a nearly 3-d experience. It takes a bit of learning to understand how it works, but Prezi is definitely one of the most eye-catching presentation tools out there.



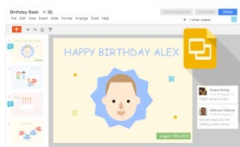
Haiku Deck

Haiku Deck is available as an app for the iPad or as a website available from any computer. It essentially simplified PowerPoint and gives the user only a few “looks” to choose from. The simplification helps greatly with maintaining a clean and consistent look. Another great feature of Haiku Deck is their huge database of background images to choose from. The program aggregates the words that you use on your slide and will “suggest” certain images to use for a background.



EMaze

What would happen if Prezi and PowerPoint had a little software child? EMaze! This web-based program is a total hybrid of the two popular presentation tools; it isn't too flashy, but it's also not too bland. There is an option to pay more to receive more storage space and more tools, but the free version is worth checking out!



Google Slides

Google Slides is free and hosted completely online, helping to free up much needed disk space on your computer. It's a bit more basic than Prezi or even PowerPoint, but its redeeming factor is that Google Slides allows more than one person to edit at the same time, making it perfect for group project presentations. The program automatically saves the changes and shows the other user(s) those changes, even if you are simultaneously working on different computers on opposite sides of campus!