Adding Audio To Boom™ Cards

Why audio?

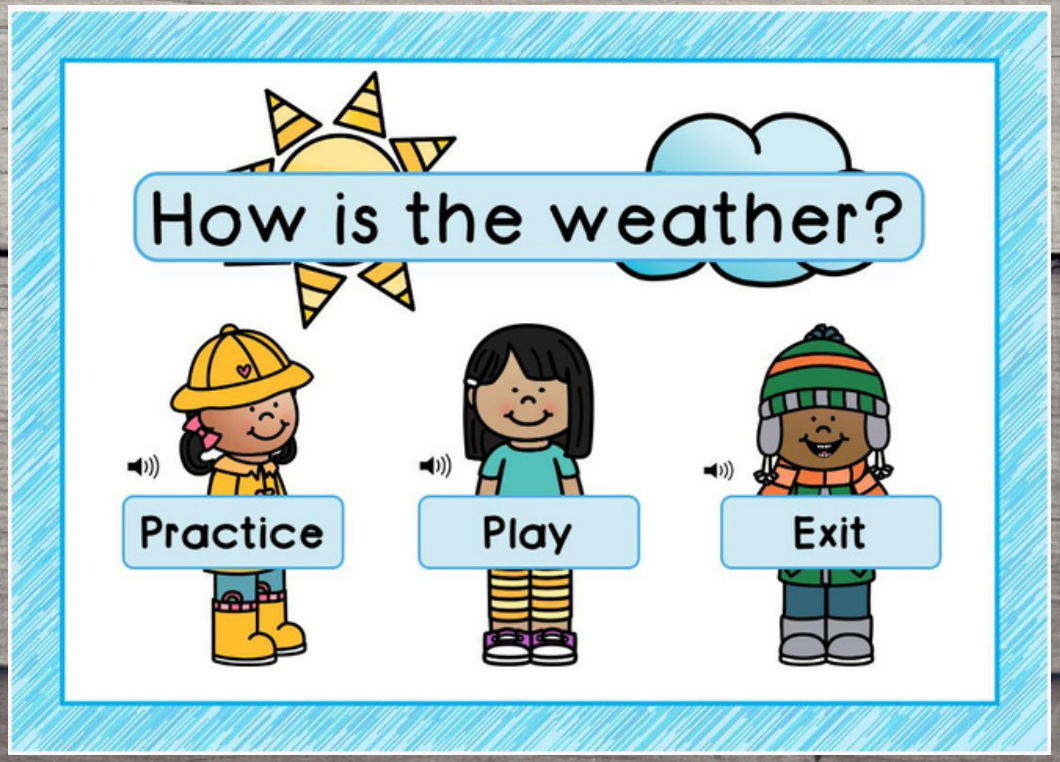
- Interest
- Independence
- Increase student engagement
- Immersive

Types of Audio

- Music
- Sound effects
- Voice

music

Examples



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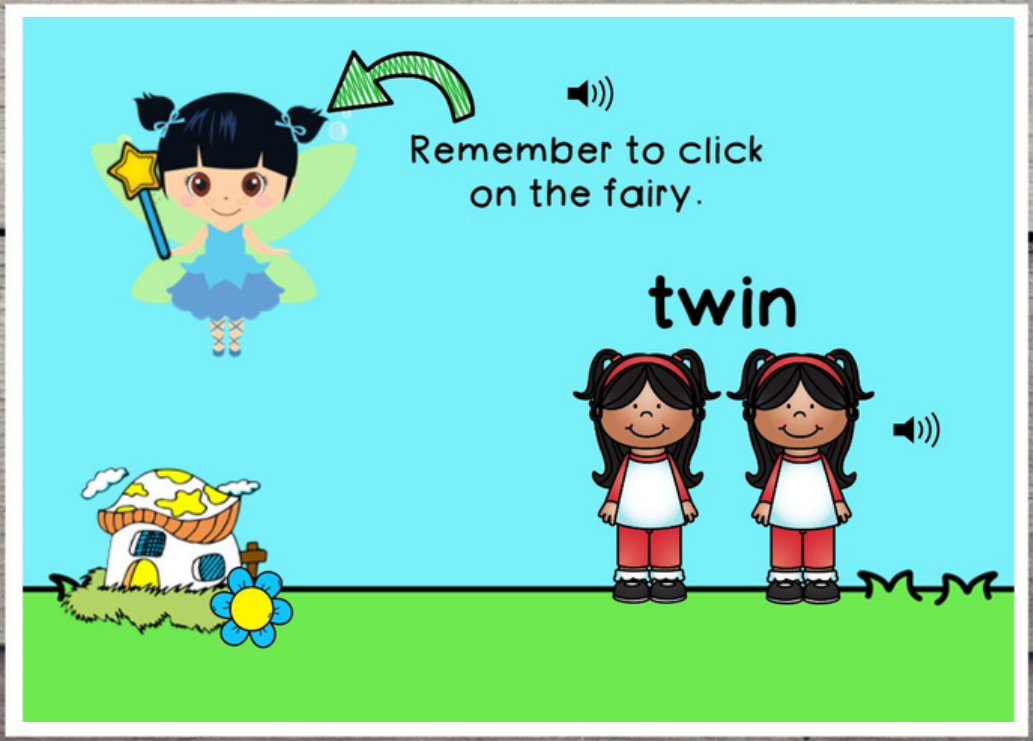

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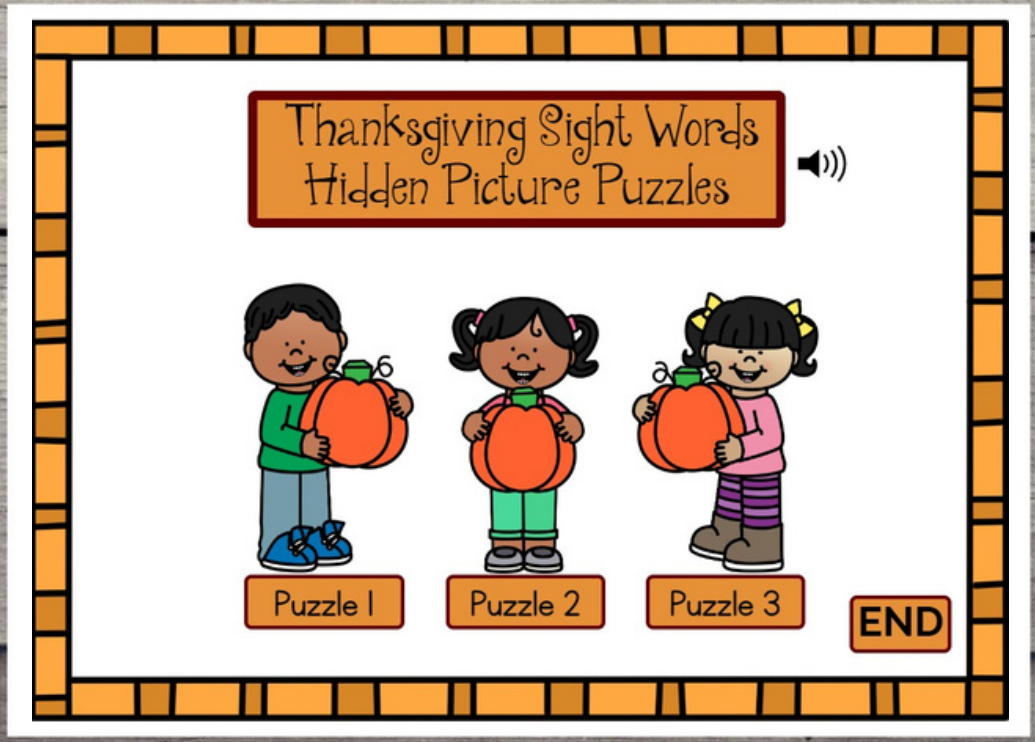

Where can I find audio files?

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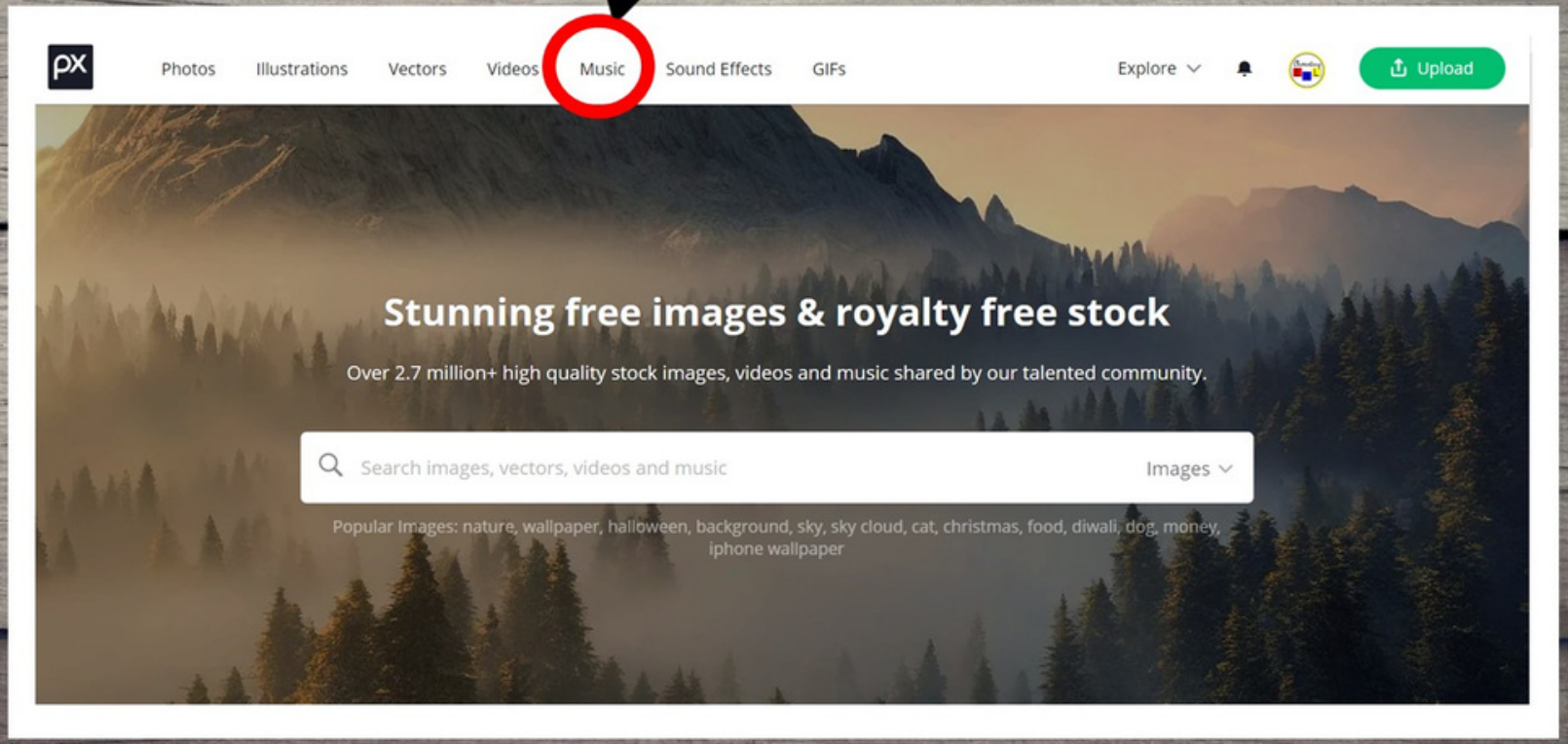

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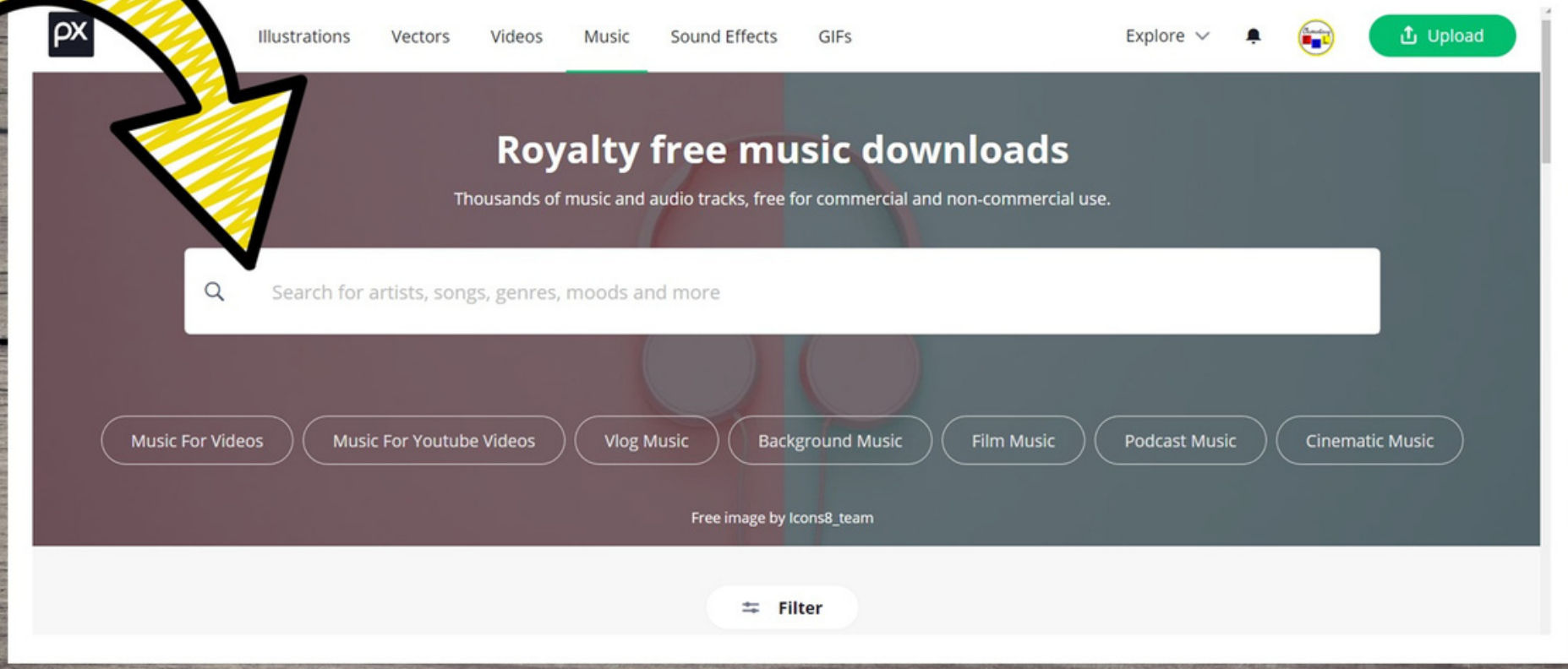
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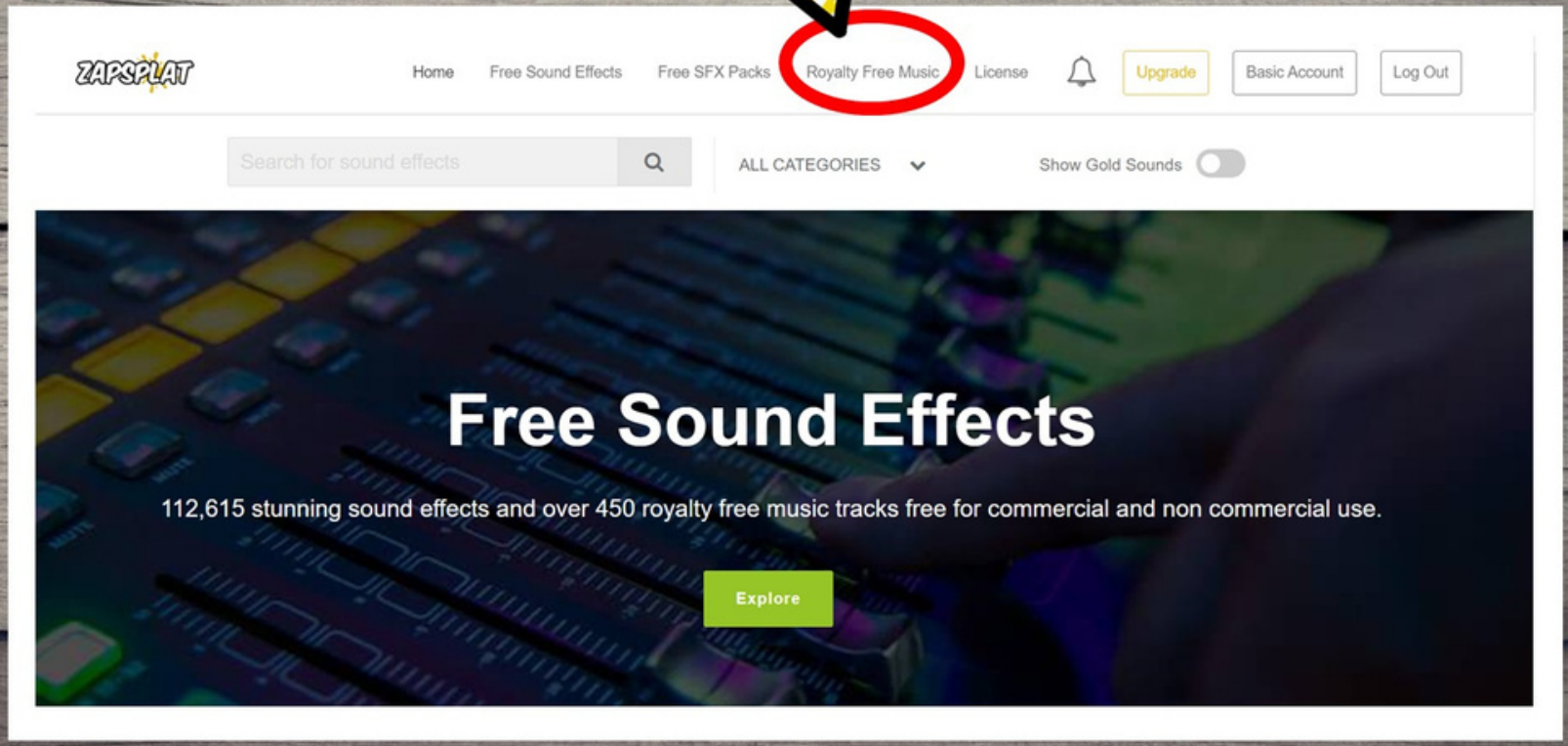

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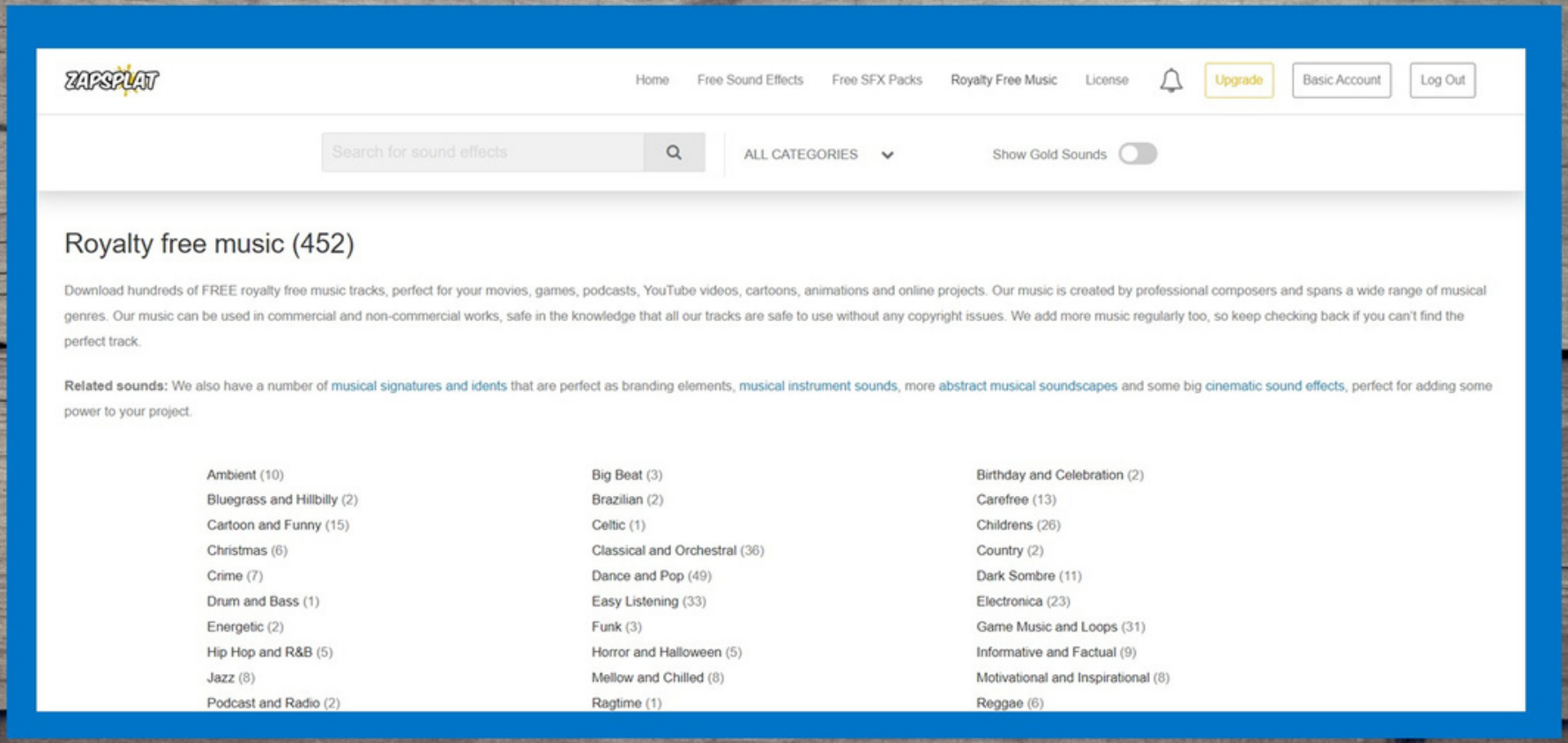

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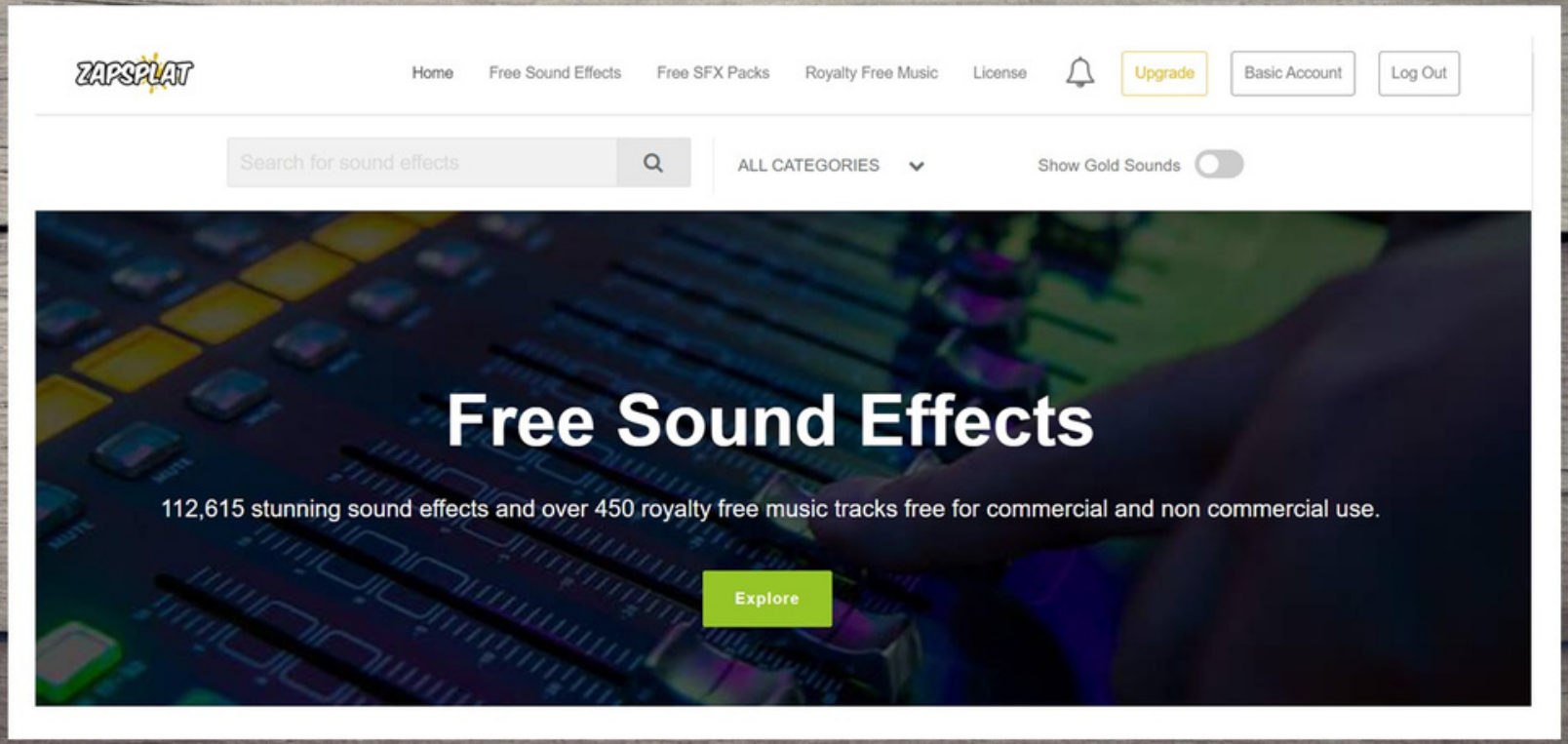

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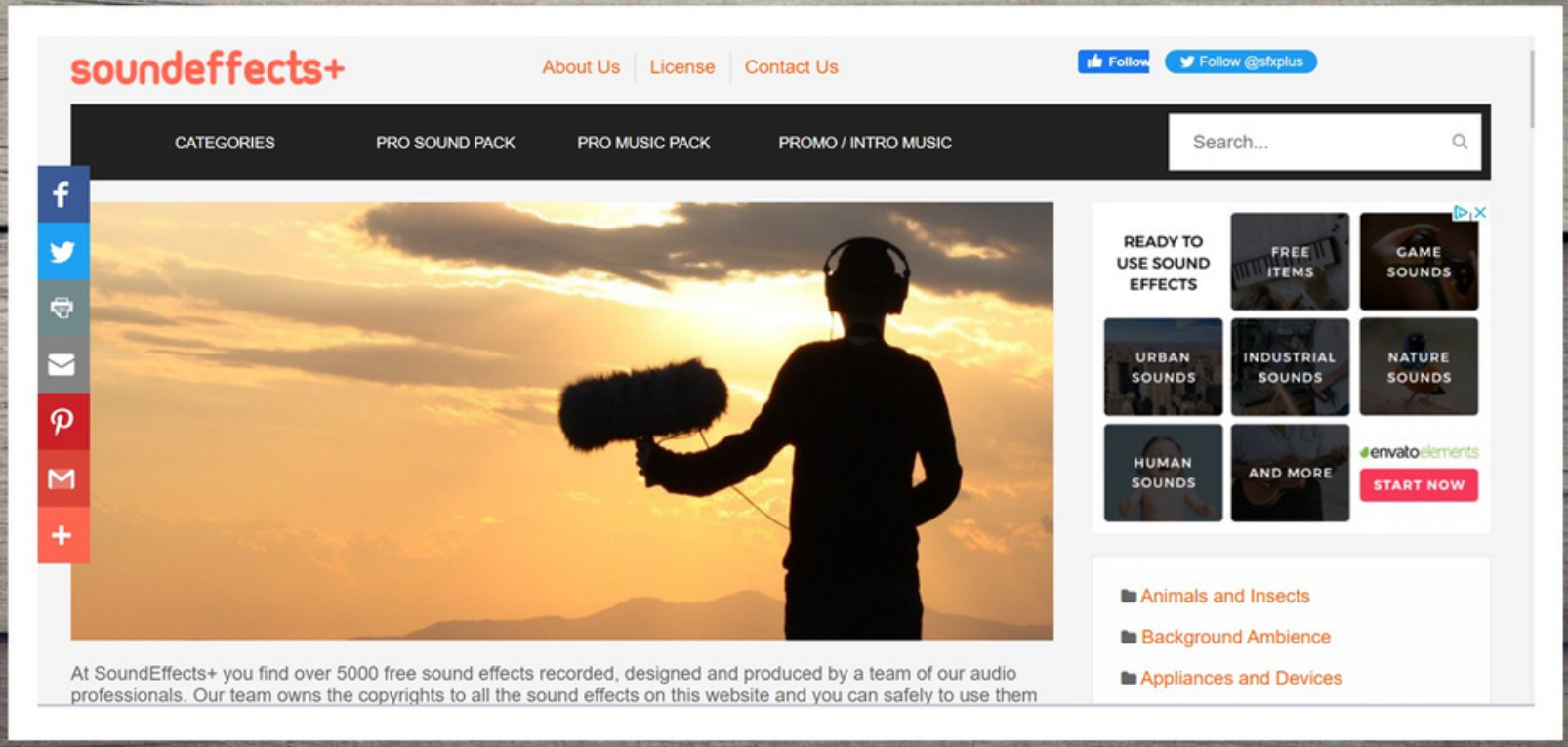

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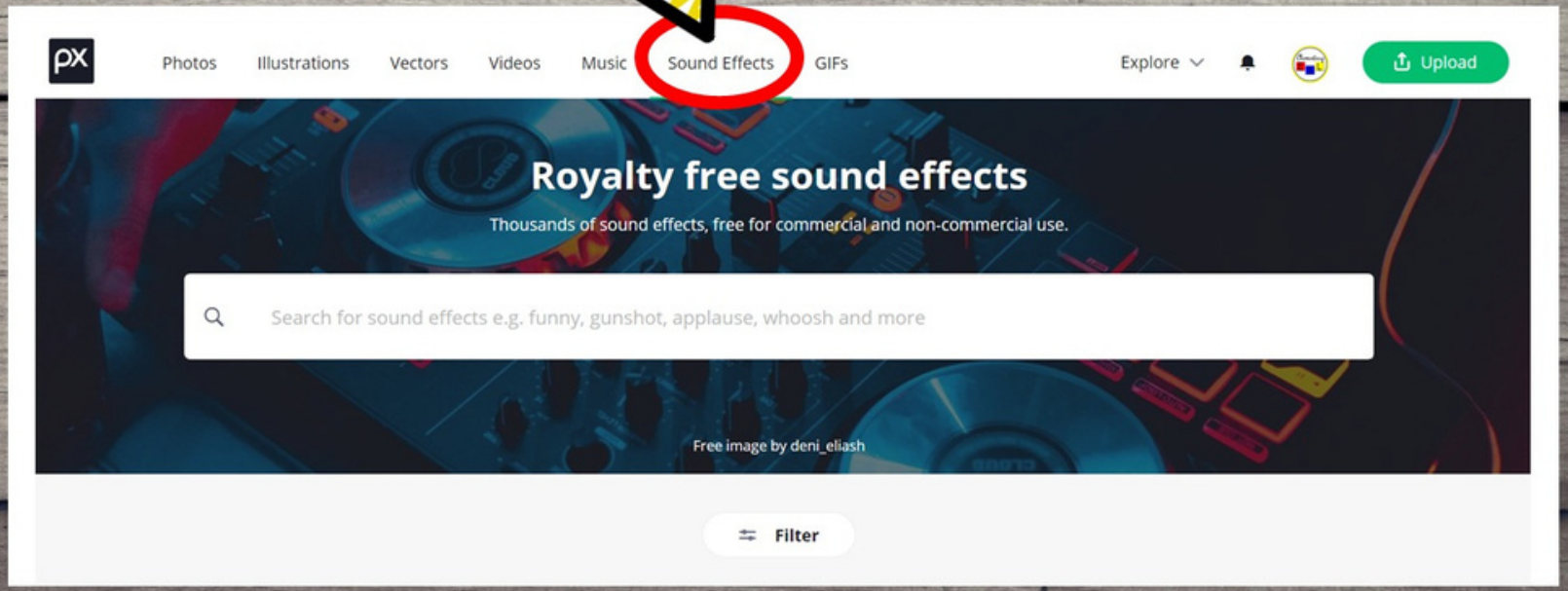
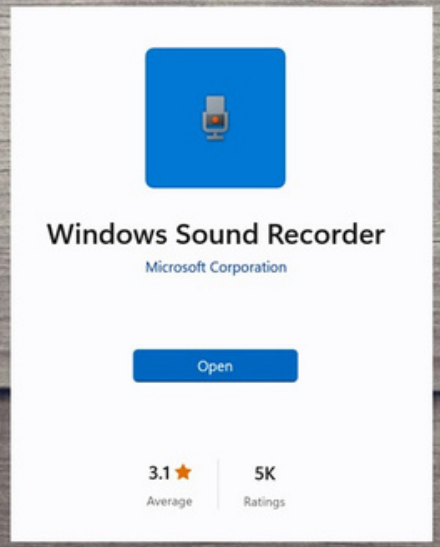
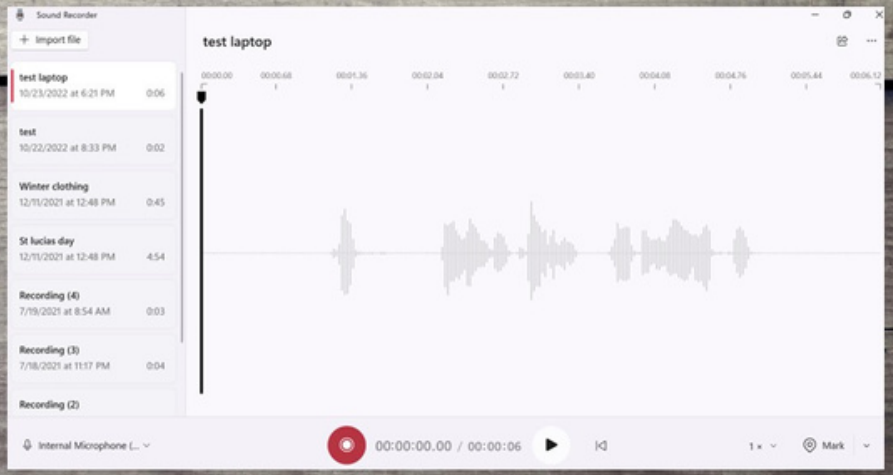


How can I record my voice?

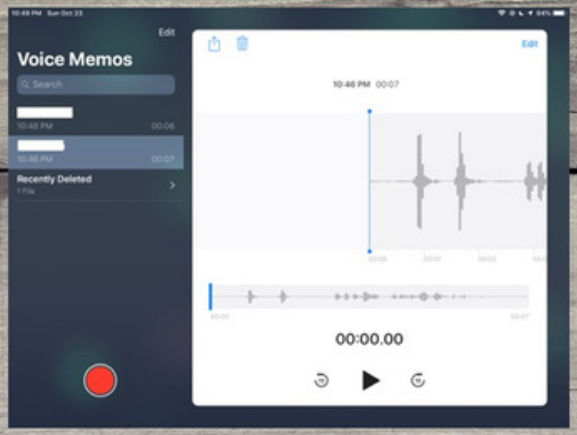
on a PC

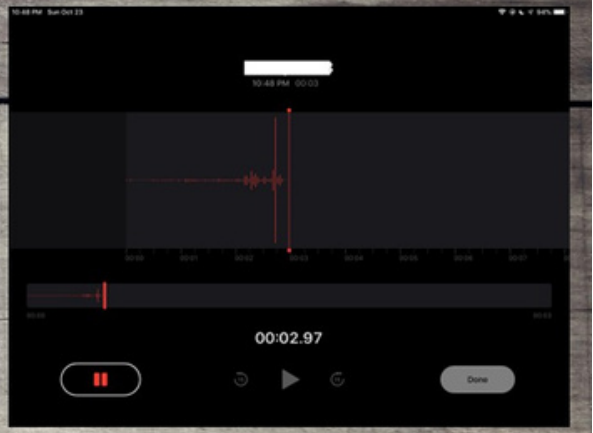
Windows Sound Recorder





On an Apple® Device





Voice Memo App

On a Phone (Android)

Voice Recorder App

Improving Audio

Consider an external microphone

Use a tool like Audacity®!

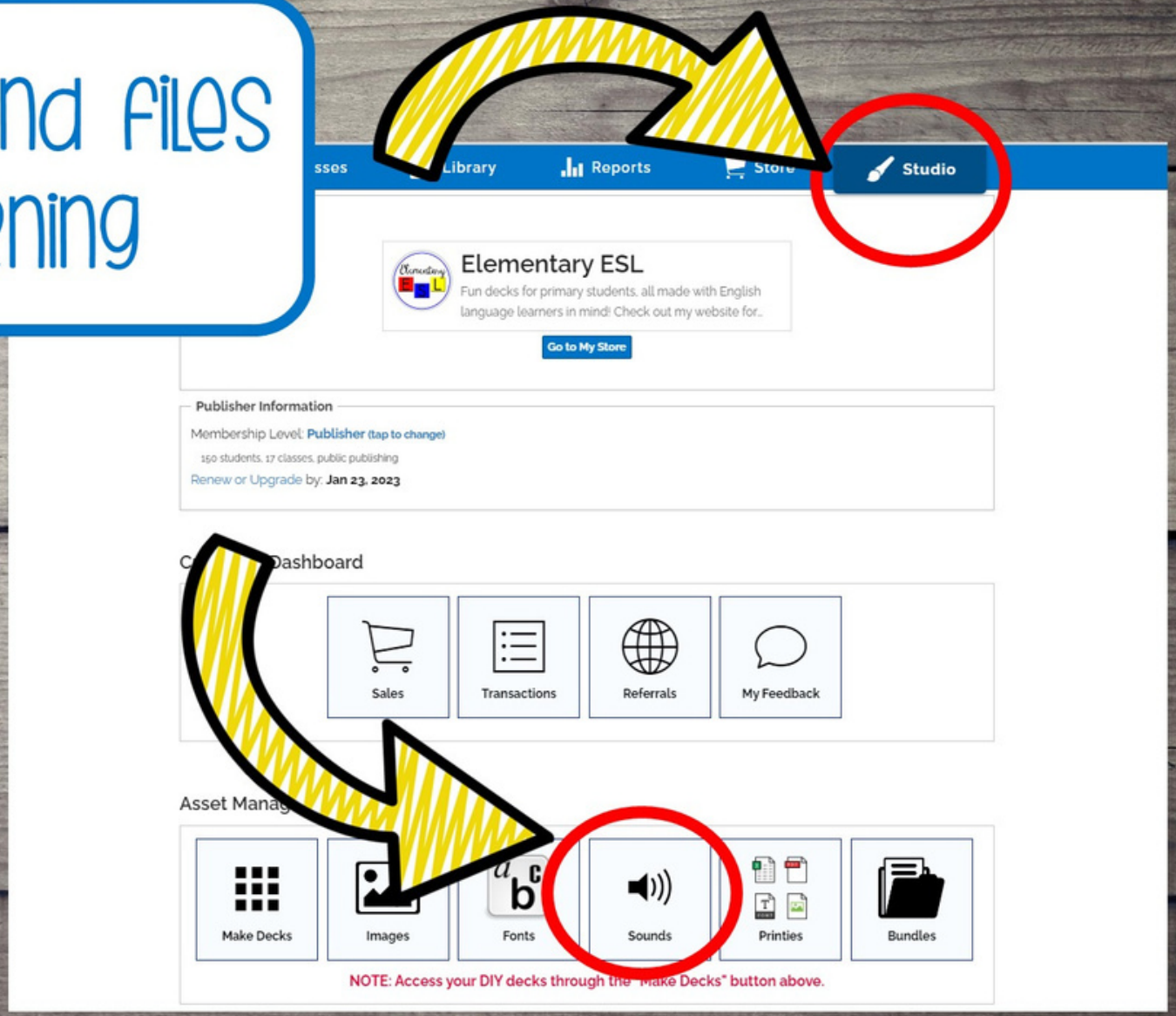
- Record directly within the app
- Edit/remove background noise
- Reduce file size *(smaller than 500k)*
- Change file format *(mp3 or m4a)*

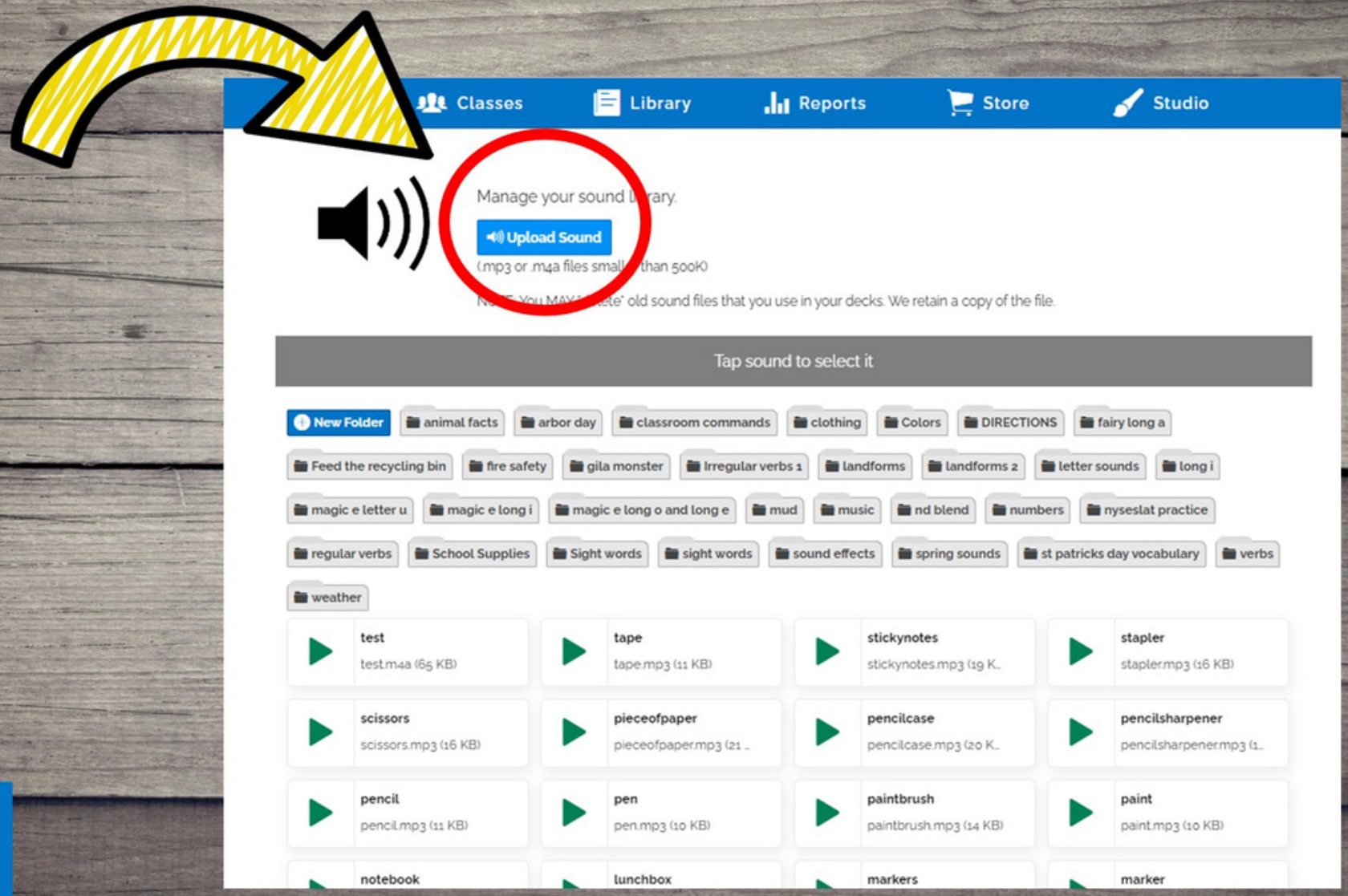
I have some sound files. Now what do I do?

- Transfer your files to your desktop computer
- Locate the files

Upload your sound files to Boom Learning

Method 1

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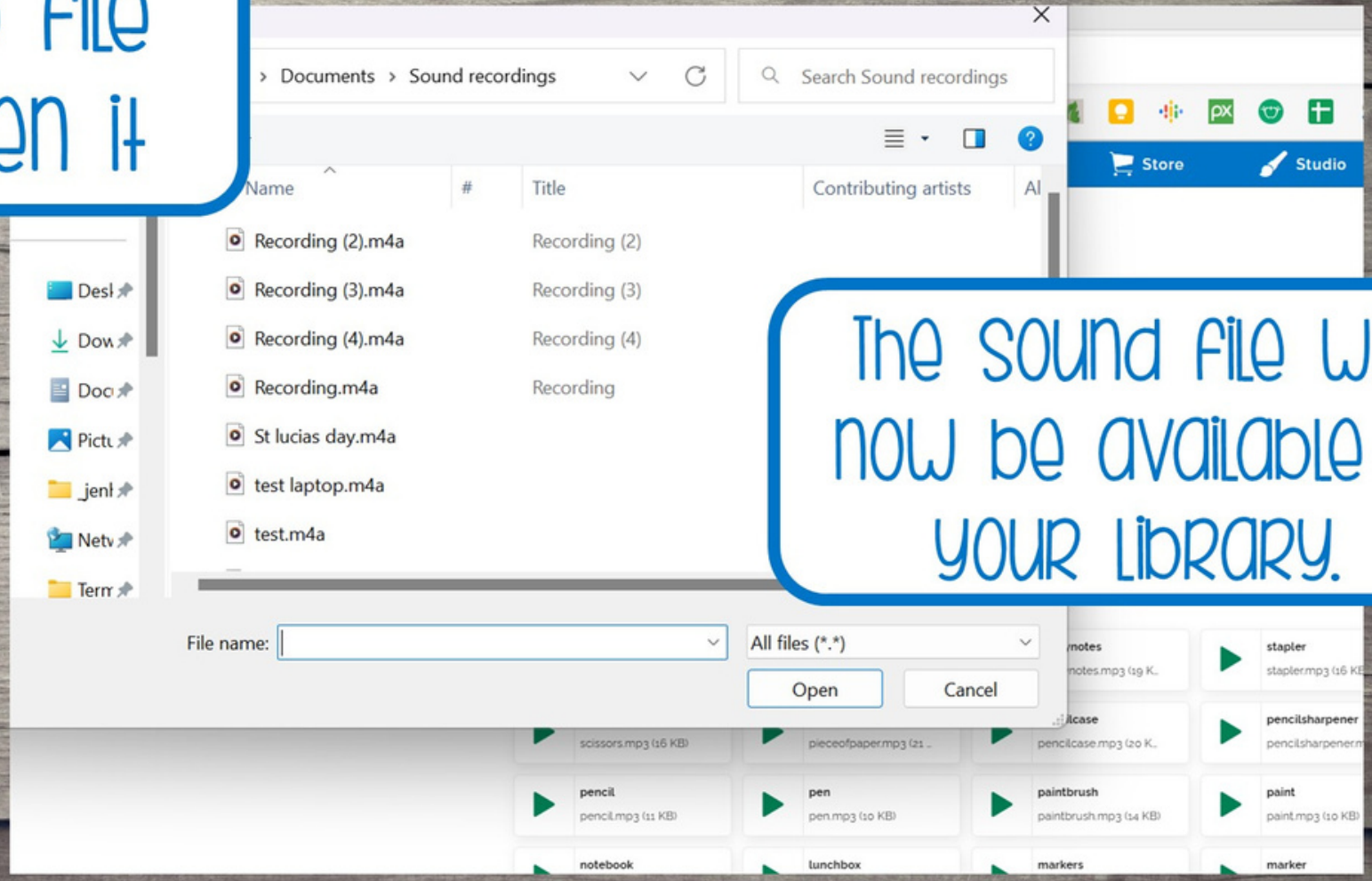

The sound file will now be available in your library.

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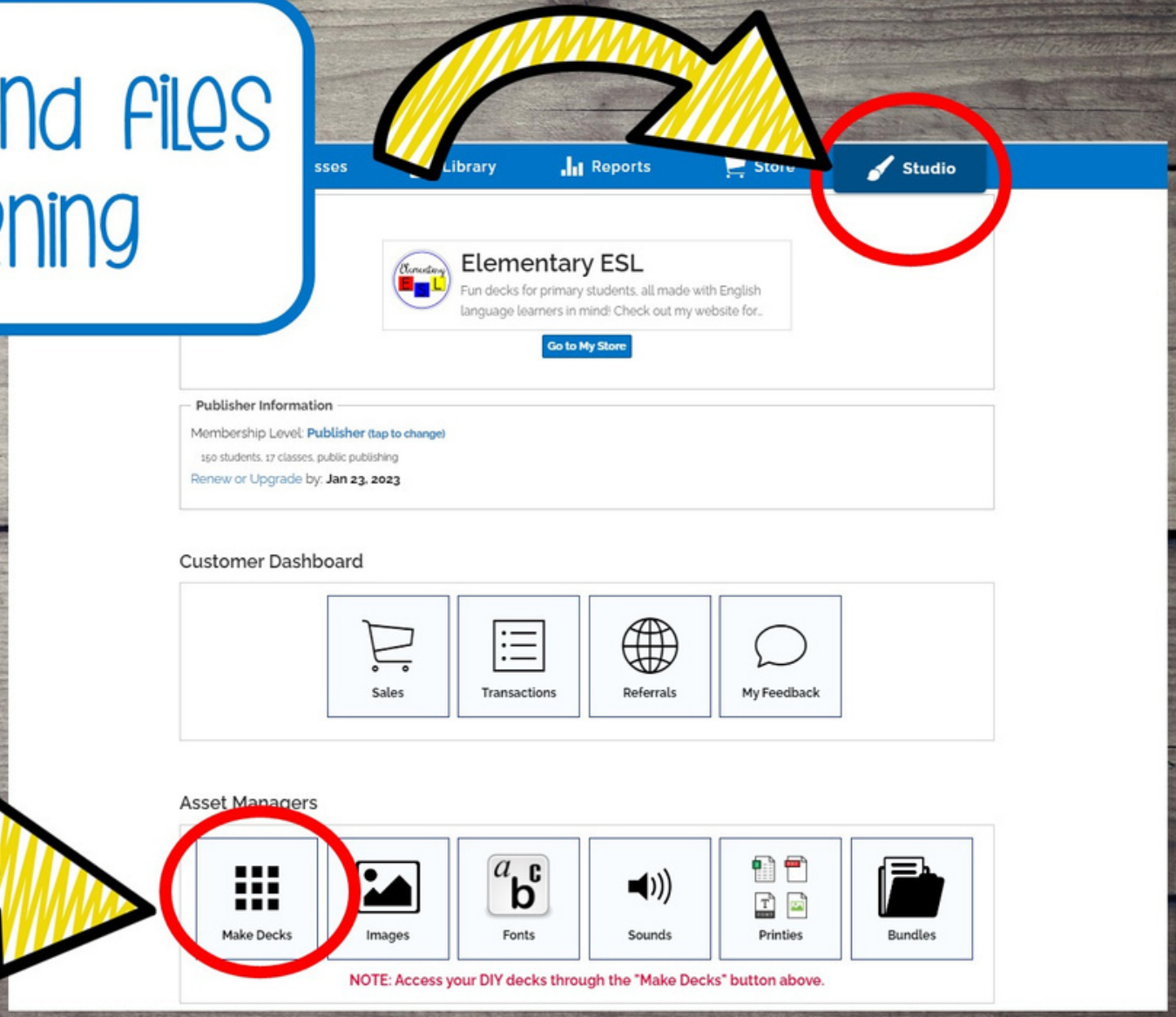
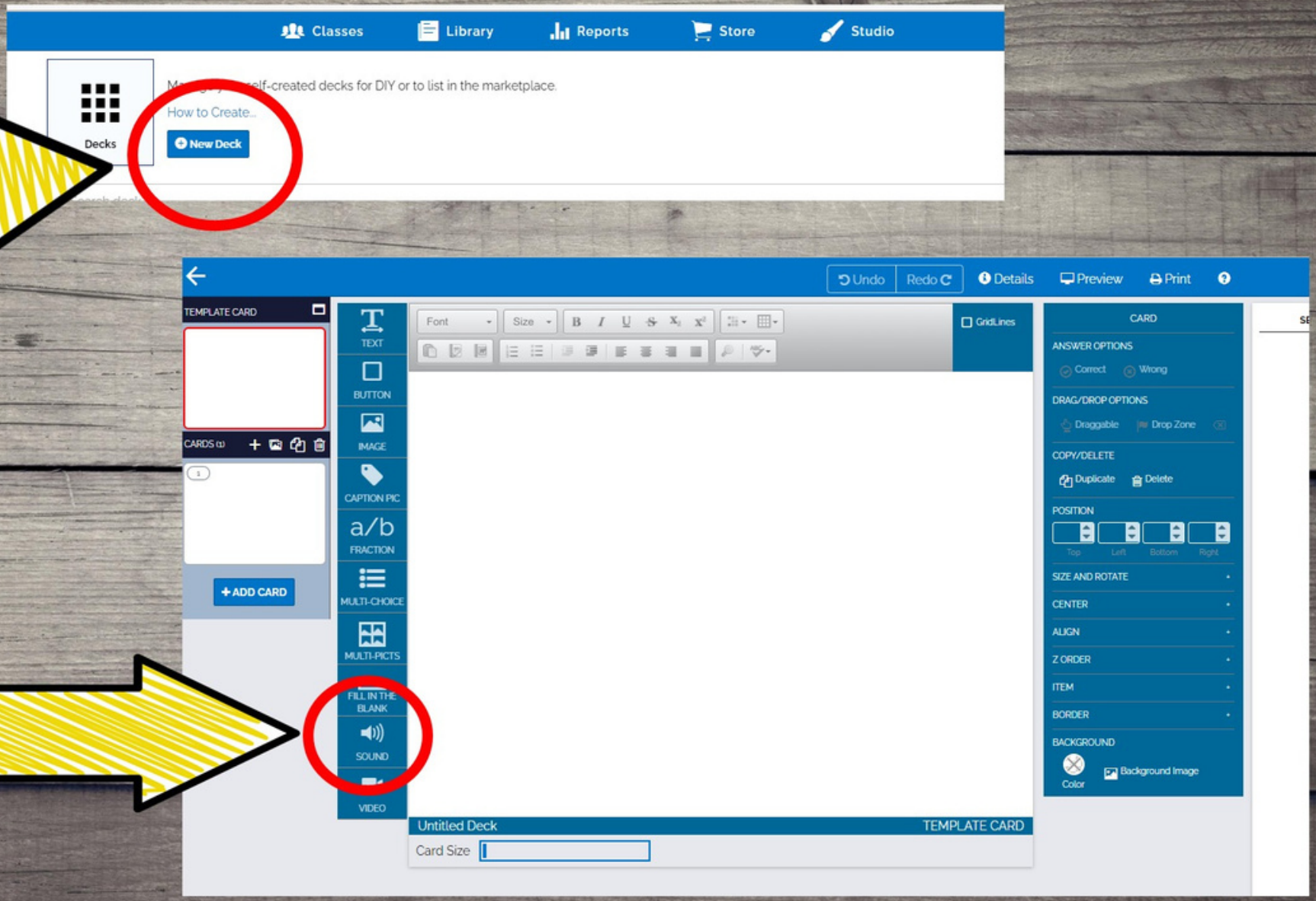
Method 2

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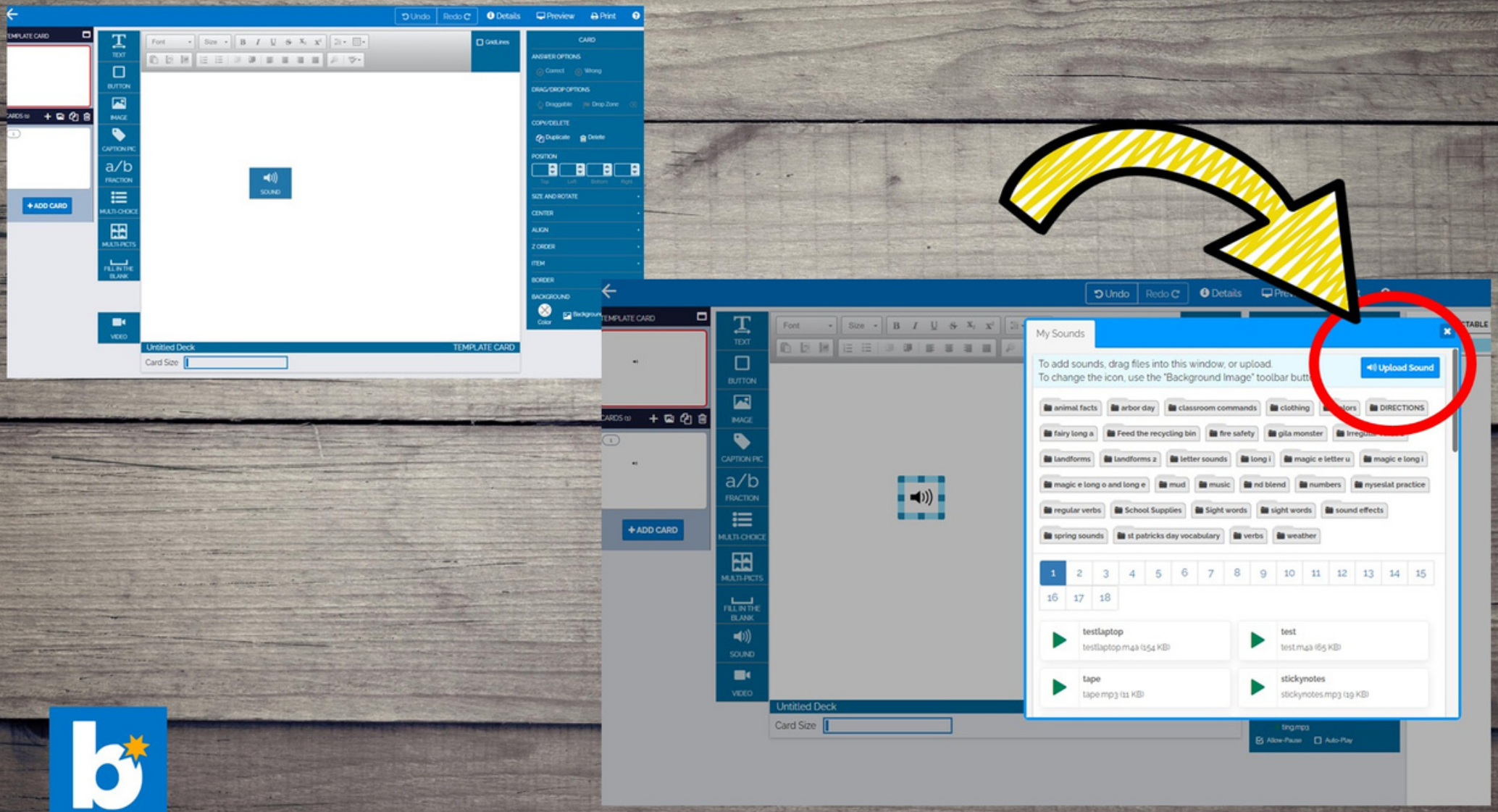
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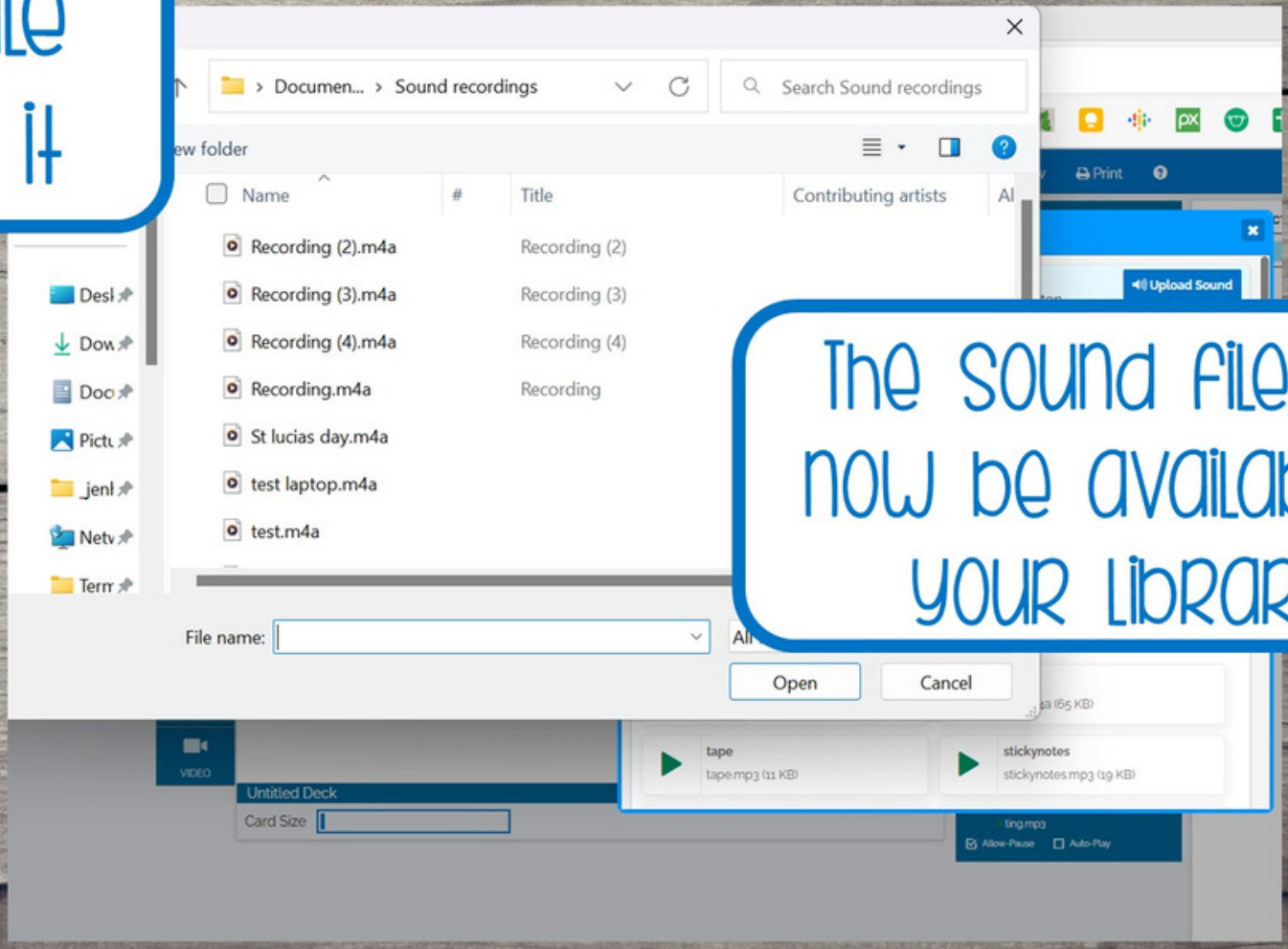

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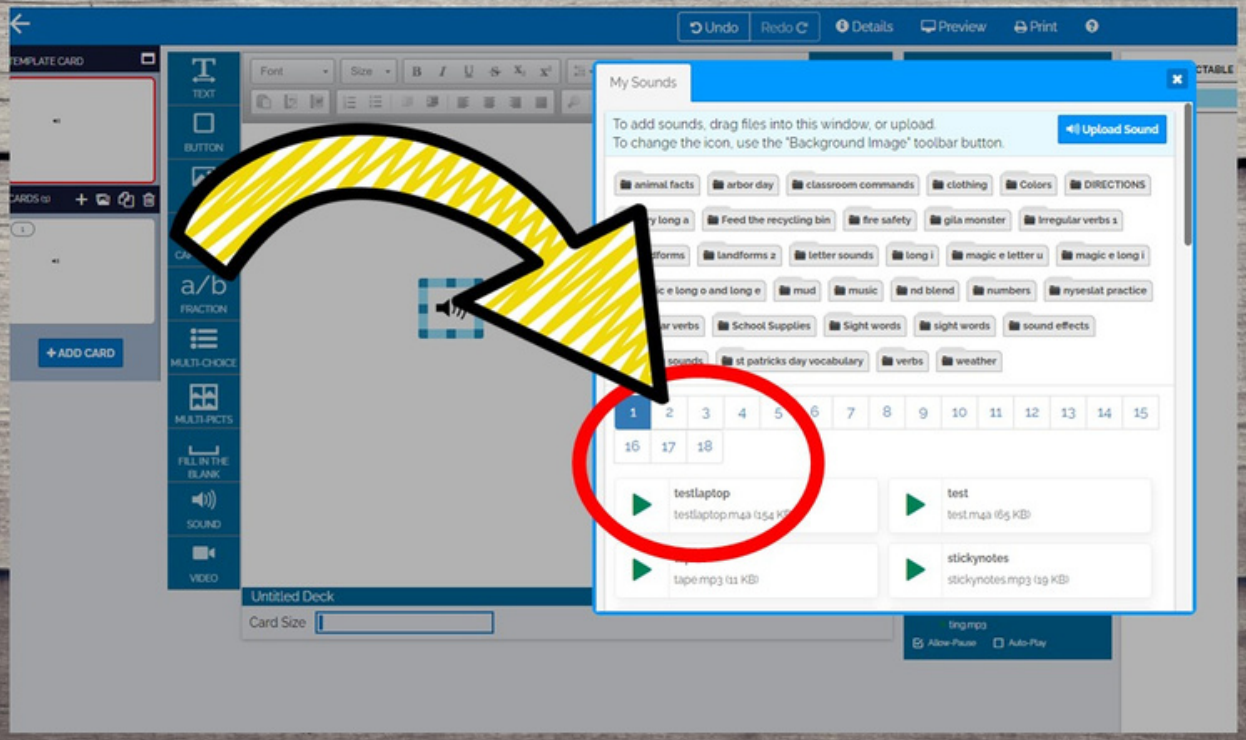
Once the sound files are in your library, select the desired sound to attach to the sound icon in your boom card.



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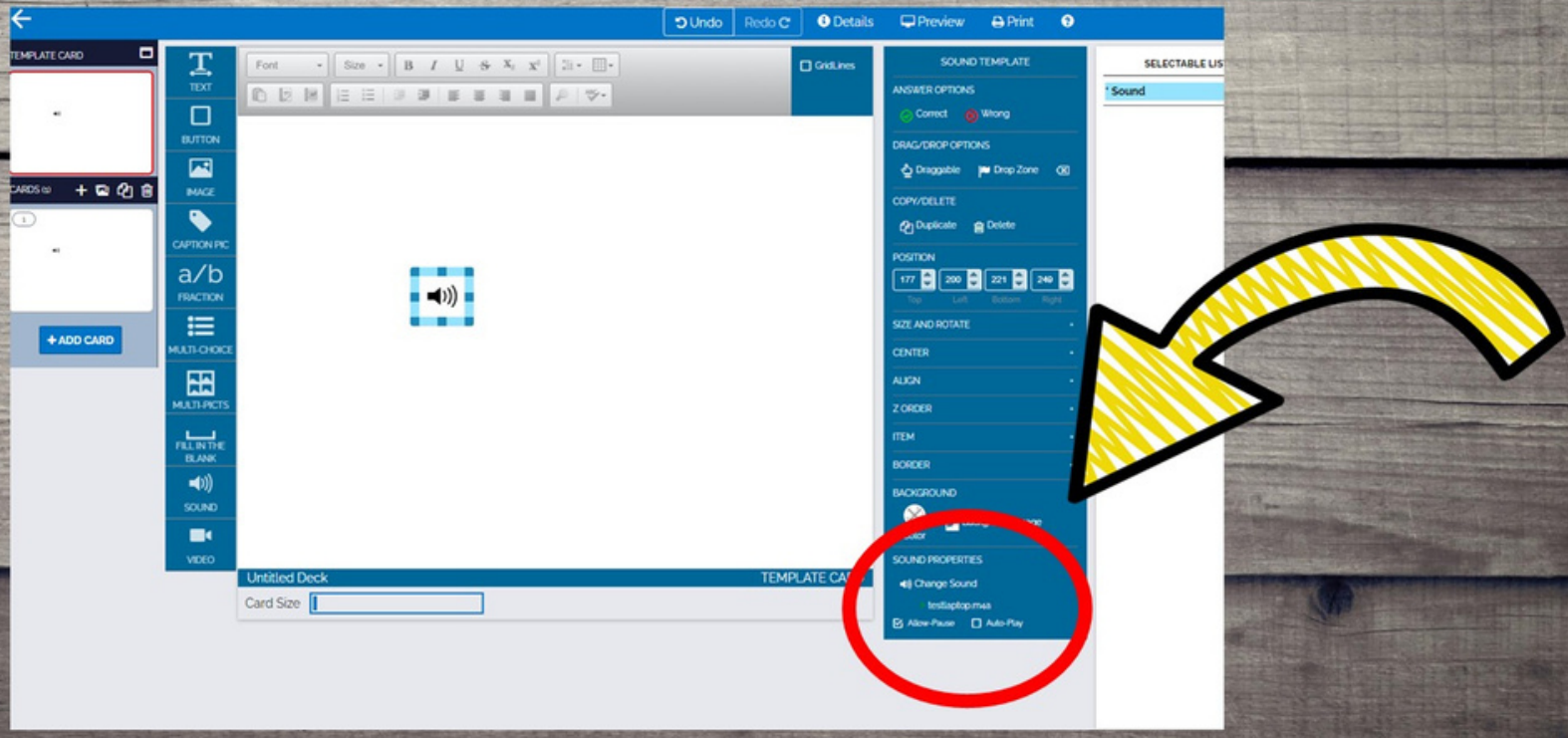
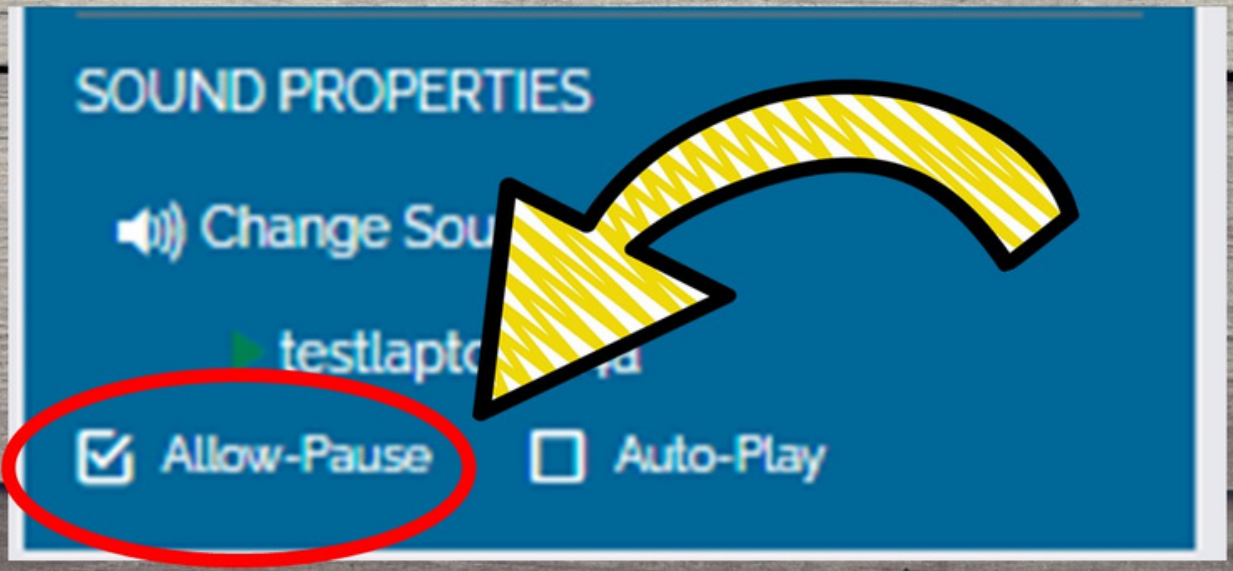
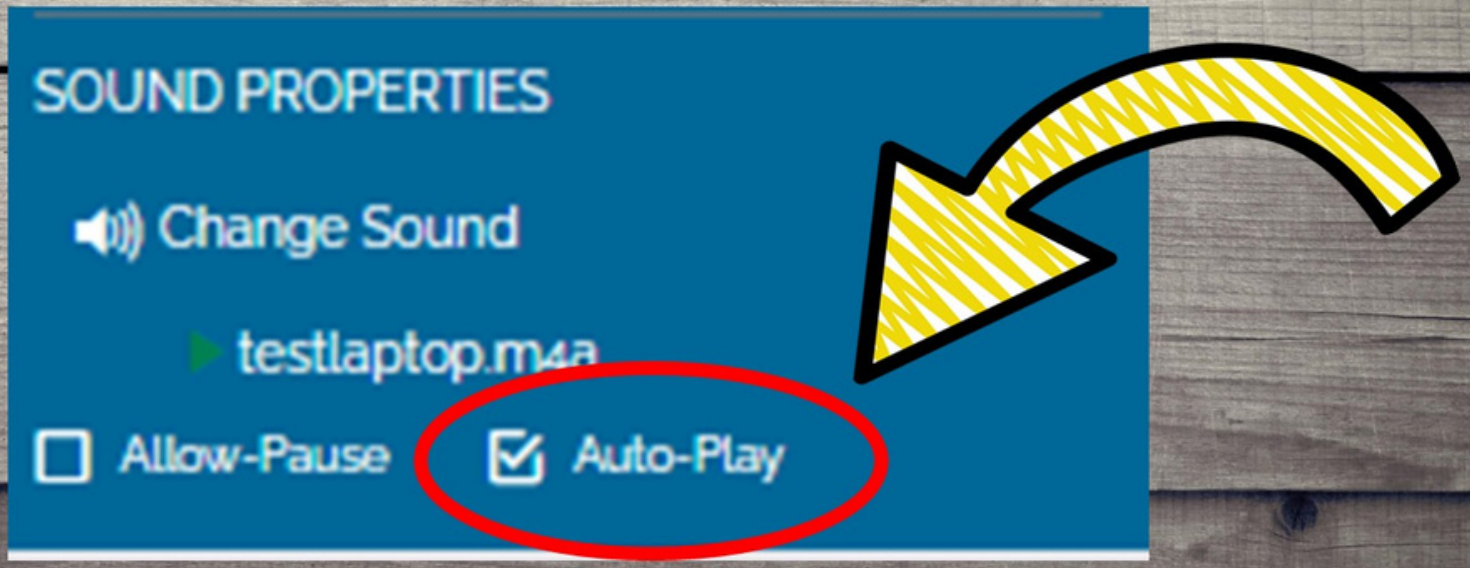


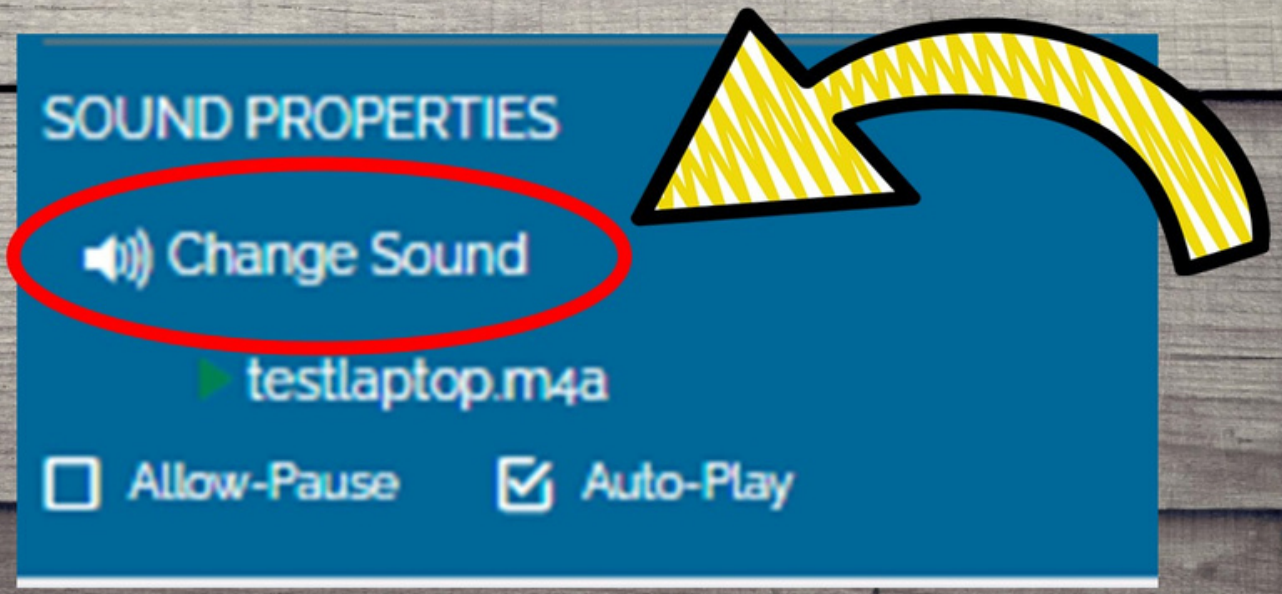
When "Allow-Pause" is selected, the sound file can be paused during play.



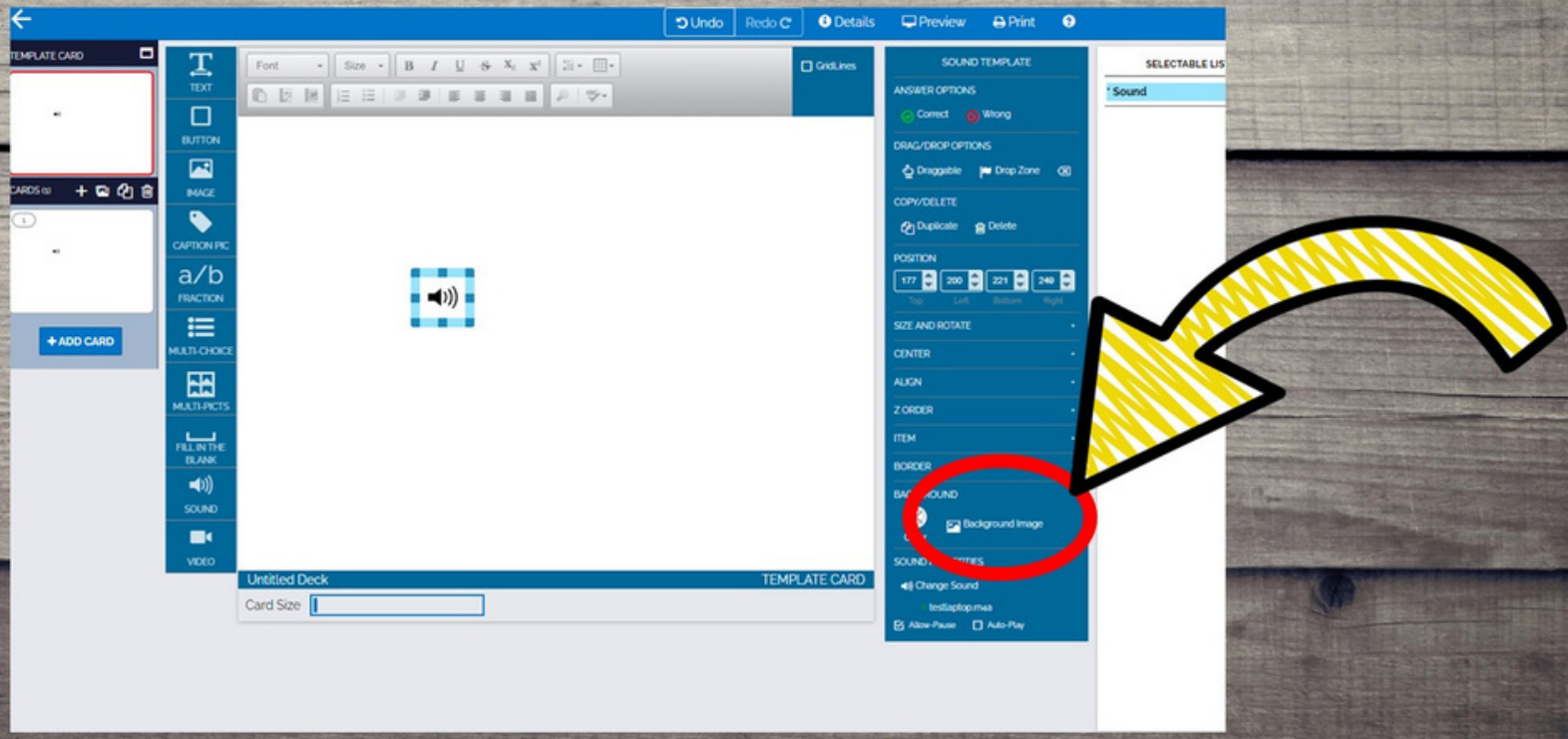
When "Auto-Play" is selected, the sound file plays automatically.



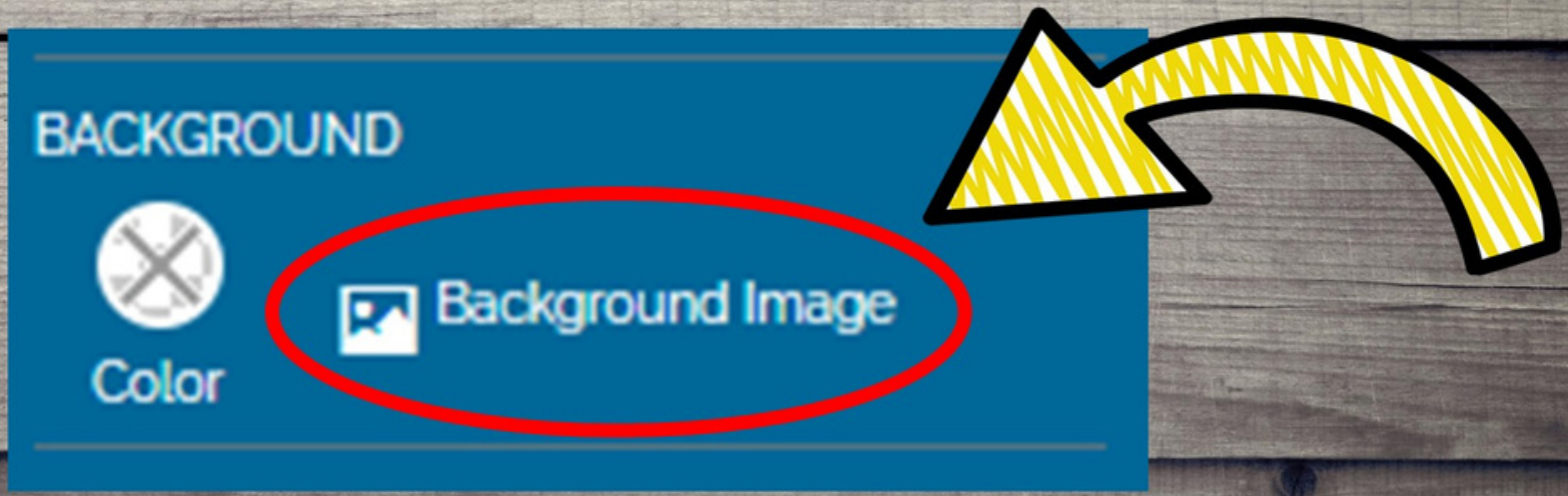
A sound block's sound file can easily be changed by clicking on "Change Sound."



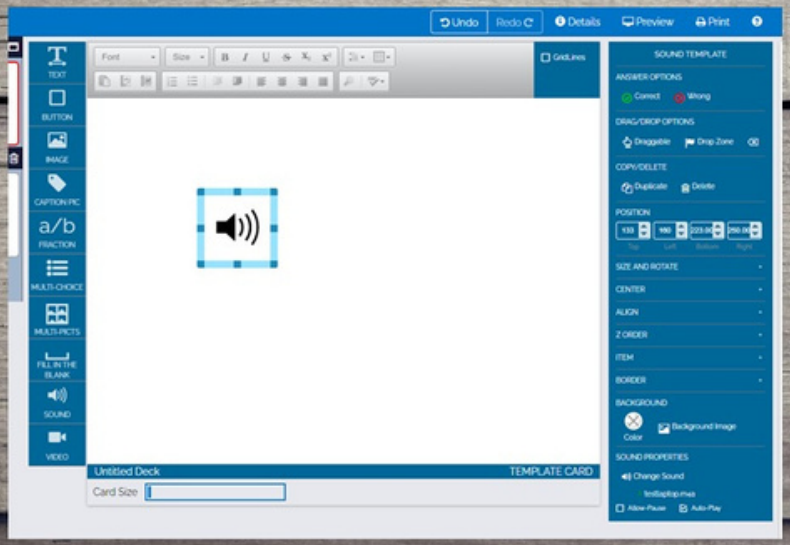
The appearance of the speaker icon can now be easily changed.

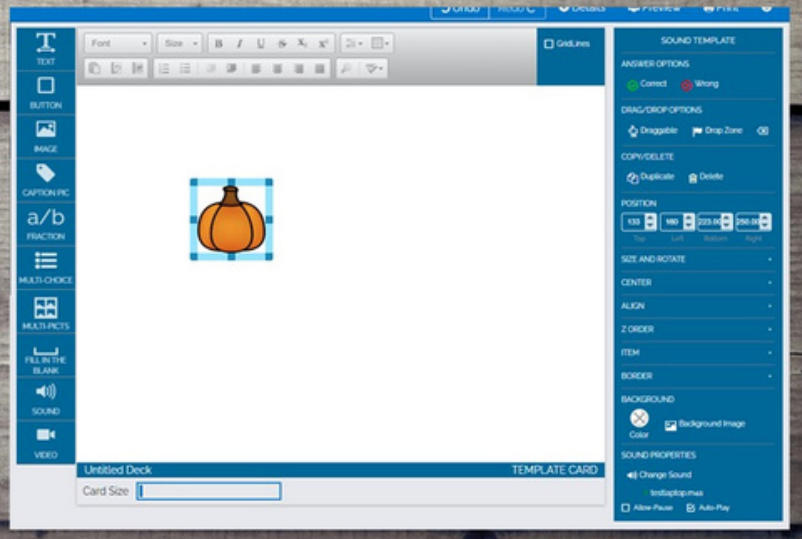


Select "Background Image" to replace the speaker icon with another image.

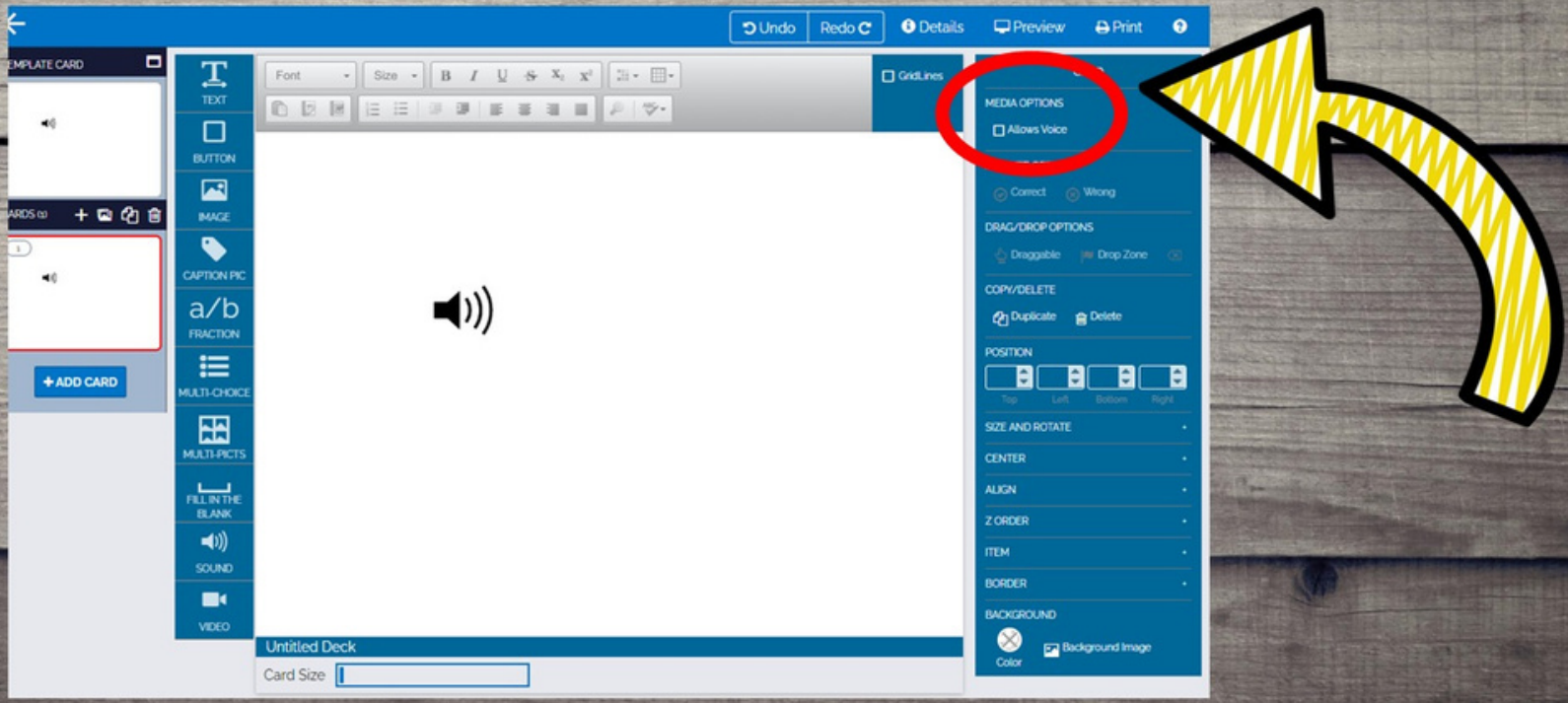


The speaker icon is now an object with sound capabilities!

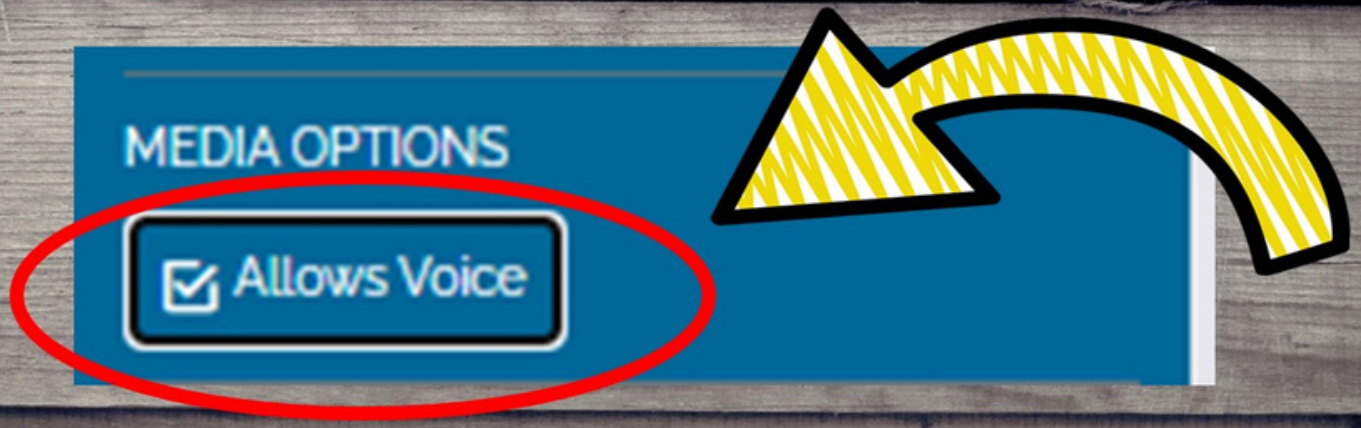




Another sound capability is the new voice memo feature!



Select "Allows Voice" to enable students to respond with audio when interacting with a Boom card deck.



Let's create!