

Creating a class (Tutorial A1)

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You can use TI-Nspire Navigator to transfer files to and from your students' TI-Nspire handhelds. To begin transferring

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files, make sure to first set up a network and then launch the application. Next, connect the student handhelds to

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the wireless cradles. Before you begin using TI-Nspire Navigator, the first thing you'll need to do is set up

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your classes. Each class period should have a different class within the software. To create a class, click the

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Add Class icon in the upper-left corner. This will open the Create a Class dialog box. I'll enter a class name

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in the first field. Once that's entered, use the drop-down menu right next to it to choose the type of class. After

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you've got that entered, click Add Class to the right. If you have additional classes to add, you can type another

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name here and again choose a class type and click Add Class. If you have a class roster in comma-separated format with

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a .CSV extension or text format with a .TXT extension, you can import the full class roster by clicking the Import

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Students button at the bottom of the Create a Class dialog box. Then you can select the file in the Open dialog box. You

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can see detailed instructions on this procedure in the Software tour that came with the TI-Nspire Navigator software.

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Once you've finished with this dialog box, you can click Finish in the lower-right corner. If you don't have a roster

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in CSV or TXT format, you need to enter each student in your class using the Classroom tab. Be sure before you

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do this, that you have the correct class selected in the class selected in the Current Class box on the left. I'll

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add the first student by clicking the Add Student button below the tab. Here, I can enter the student's first and

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last name and then a user name. I can either allow each student to choose their own password when they first log in, or

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I can choose a password for them. At the bottom, I can identify the name that will be displayed on the screen

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for that student, and a unique Student ID number. If the student is in more than one of my classes, I can use the

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Assign Classes button to place the student in multiple classes. In this case, this is the student's only class

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with me, so I'll click Next Student to enter additional students, or Finish to close the dialog box. Now I can

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see my new student listed there. In the Classroom section, I can choose to either view the students in list form or

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as a seating chart by clicking the View icon in the upper-right corner. If you're in seating chart view, you can

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click and drag the students into the appropriate positions.

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