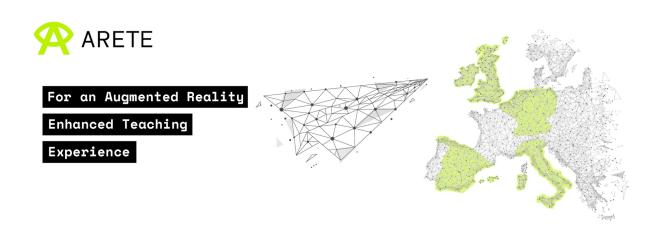


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# Pilot 2: Geometry App User Training Guide



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### Pilot 2 Information. What is Pilot 2 about?

ARETE is a European Commission-funded project that aims to support existing European interactive AR technologies' effort to enhance current technologies and develop new highly usable technologies and contents. To bring together the basic principles of AR in education with the technological concept, ARETE aims to establish a sustainable competitive ecosystem of European technology and solution providers for AR interactive technologies, through a targeted community engagement process within the education field, which will be deployed, demonstrated and evaluated via the pilot studies around Europe.

ARETE Pilot 2 focuses on learning geometry and geography through visualization and interaction. The aim of this pilot is to test the efficiency of Augmented Reality application for STEM education as a tool that helps to improve pupils' test-score by up to 33% and increase retention rate by up to 100% while developing 21st century skills and focusing on personalized learning through kinetic, audio and visual educational approaches. A pre-test post-test control group design will be employed to measure the effectiveness of the pilots' intervention.

CleverBooks is an app that can be launched on a tablet or mobile phone through a collection of markers in the workbok. With the CleverBooks app, students are expected to develop critical thinking, creativity, visualisation skills and improve cognitive development by viewing geometric 2D and 3D shapes from all angles; listening to voiceover for all the shapes and interactions made by kids; seeing sides of 3D shapes unfold into 2D shapes; and more.

### **Technical Requirements**

Geometry app runs almost on any device with Android 4.1 or iOS 7. To visualize 3D models, it is recommended to use a mobile device (smartphone or tablet) with a camera pointing outward.

The user experience has been more satisfying on the devices with a larger size screen.

Also, please make sure your phone is running the latest operating system software.

Processor (CPU) Manufacturer	Any
Processor Count	2
Processor (CPU) Speed	1.2 GHz
Recommended Minimum Display Resolution	1280×800
RAM Size	1 GB (2GB recommended)
FREE Memory Storage Capacity (Hard Disk size)	0.5 - 1 GB
Operating System	Android 4.1.x+, iOS 9+
Connectivity Type	Wi-Fi to download app and for multi-user feature
Camera	Any (HD recommended)
Front Webcam Resolution	Not required

Stable internet connection is required for multi-user exercises. The app can also be used offline for Augmented Reality content overview and interaction however multi-user features (content review, game playing with other users/devices) will not be available.

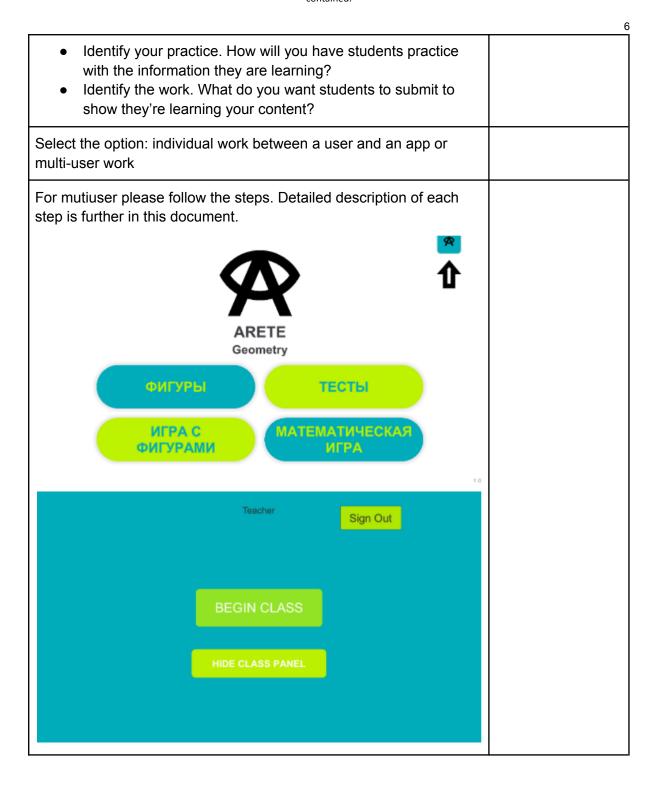
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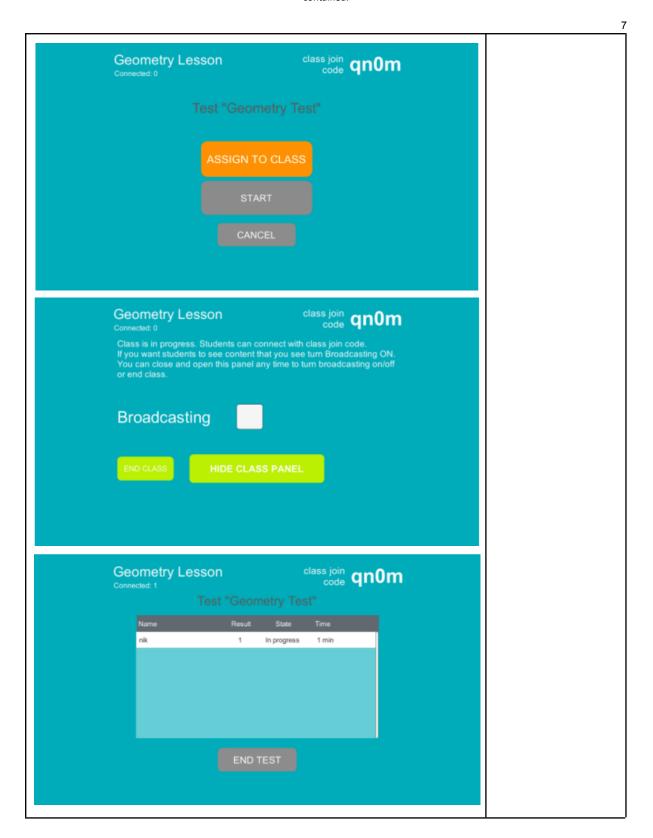
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# **Getting Started**

### **Checklist for Teacher**

Action	Completed
Download and install **ARETE GEOMETRY** app	
Check internet connection (required for updates of the software and multi-user features)	
Enter code "9AOVH9" to get access to app contents	
GEOMETRY	
Enter password  CONNECT	
Select the role: teacher or student:	
JOIN CLASS	
SIGN IN AS TEACHER	
Go through this user training to understand the features and functionality	
Make a plan  • Identify a topic. What topic/unit/project will you focus on and what resources you have available?	



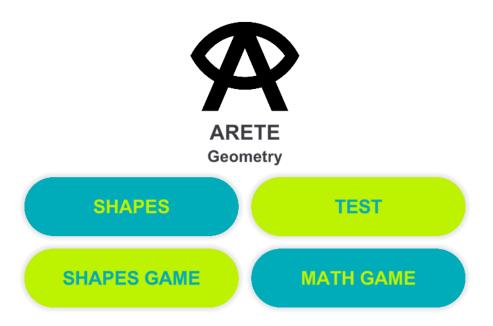


**Checklist for Student** 

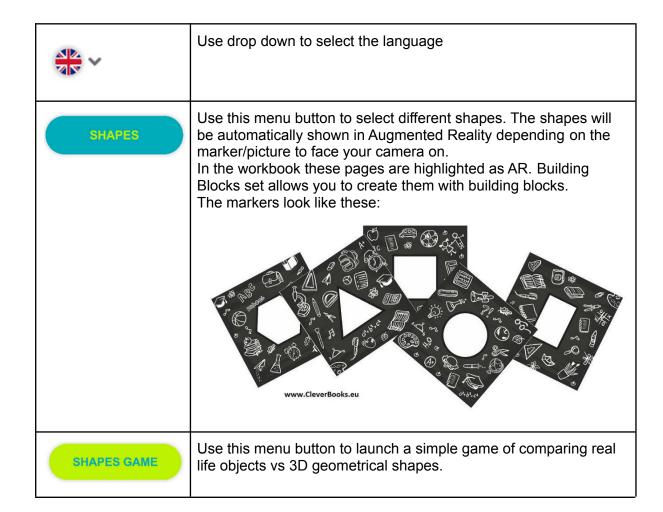


App Menu

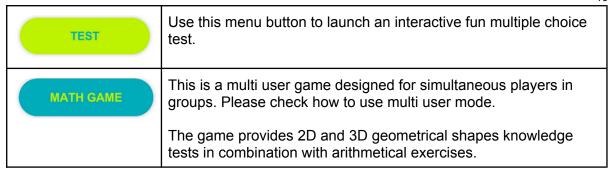




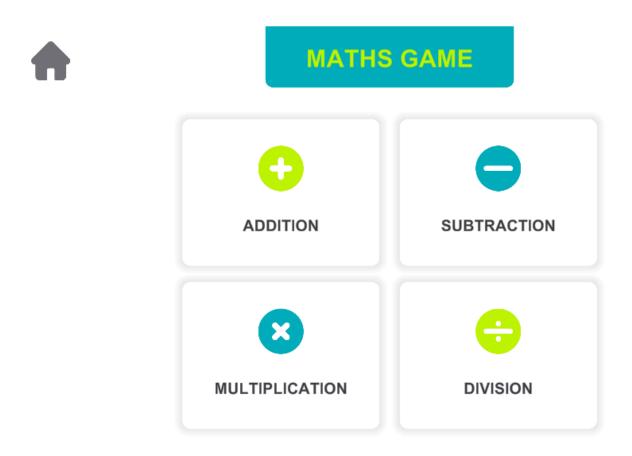
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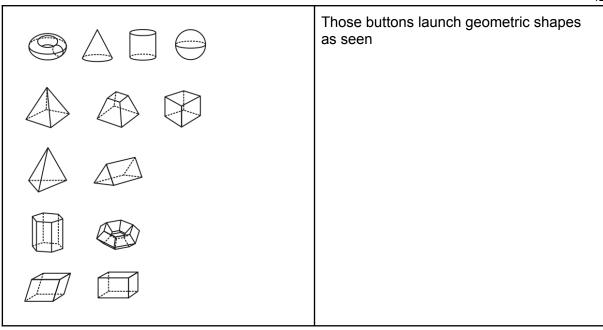
Maths game suggests several levels of arithmetical exercises mix as per menu below:



### Extra buttons for internal menu:

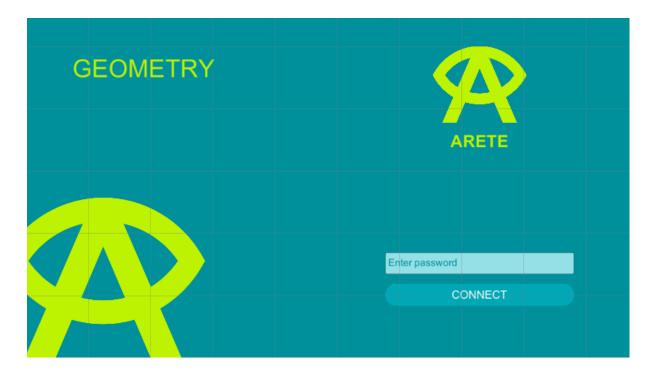
SHAPES	Mode shapes with markers	i	Information about geometric shapes
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TEST	Testing mode	<b>2</b> D	Switching between 2D and 3D option of the shapes
GAME	Mode game; available after in-app purchase in free app versions		Button home, helps to return to the main menu
	Shapes by names		Mode Vertices
	Mode Fractions		Mode Edges
	Mode Faces	8	Mode Cross Section
	Mode sphere/hemisphere		

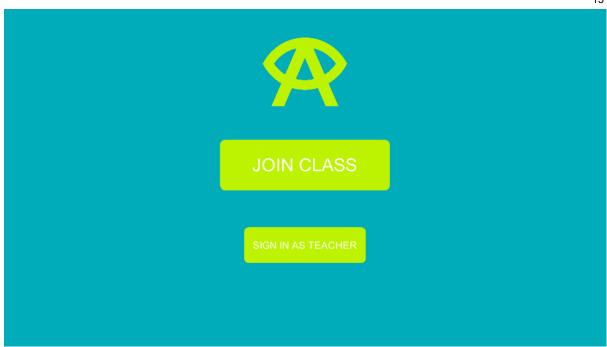


### Detailed Multi User Functionality Description

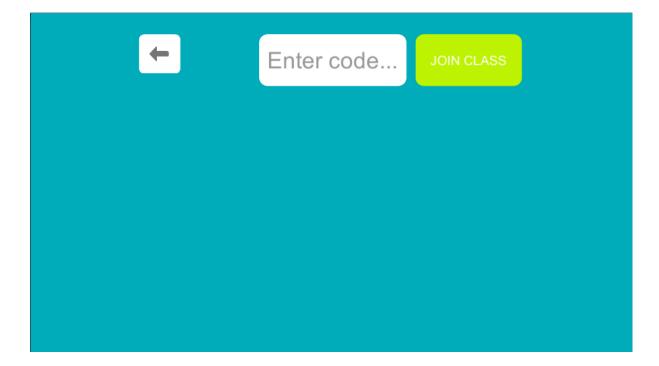
For further work of the ARETE app you need to enter a password provided. After you enter the password, it is stored on your mobile device for 30 days from the first login.



After logging in, you will see the next window that prompts you to select your role: student or teacher. Students can connect to a lesson that a teacher creates. Teachers can create lessons and tests.



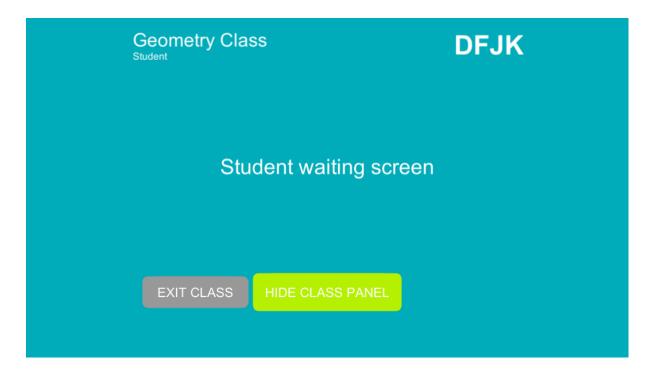
Student's window requests to enter lesson code that a teacher provides and a student needs to click "JOIN CLASS" to enter this lesson. To return to the main screen, you need to use an arrow in the left top corner.



After connecting to the lesson, you enter a waiting screen. Oce teacher starts a broadcast, the student enters the lesson automatically. Students have a n option to "EXIT CLASS". "HIDE CLASS PANEL" button allows to close this info screen if students are already in the

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live lesson settings, hide this panel while the teacher is selecting the content for the lesson is not possible.

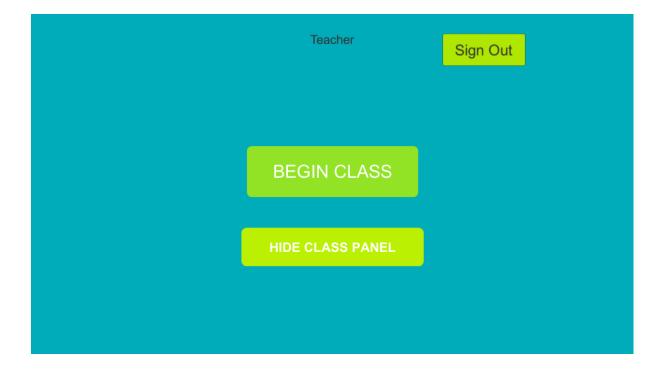


After connecting as a teacher, you have the following options:

"Sing out": brings you back to the starting screen

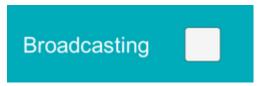
"Begin class": starts new live lesson session for students

"Hide class panel": hides the teacher panel and allows to see what students can see.



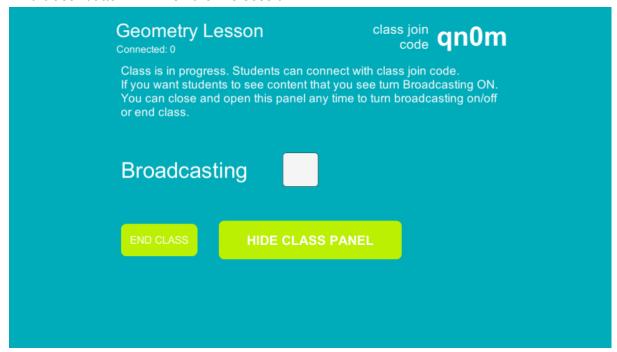
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After creating a lesson session, you can see this lesson code in the left top corner. For the students to connect to this lesson, as a teacher, you need to provide this code. Broadcasting supports live session enablement to all students who enters the code. If you do not tick this box:



You can use the teacher interface of the app without broadcasting any lesson. To create lesson contents, please press "Hide class panel" and you can select contents for your students to see and/or interact.

"End class" button will finish the live session.



After hiding broadcasting panel, you can reopen it by clicking on the ARETE logo





in the top right corner and select the relevant lesson.

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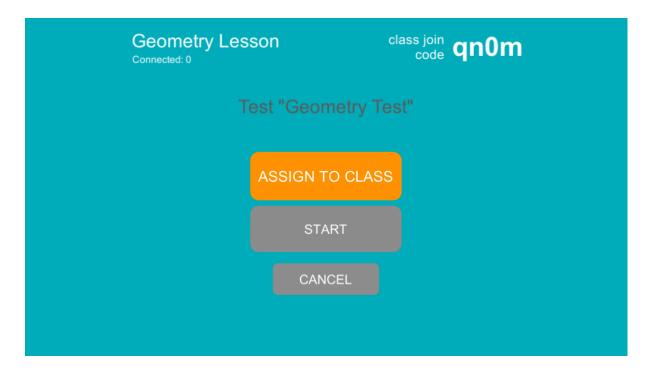


Once you start a lesson, it will automatically open on your device and on the devices of your students once they enter the lesson code.

To assign an activity to your live lesson, please select the type of activity and then click "Assign to class".

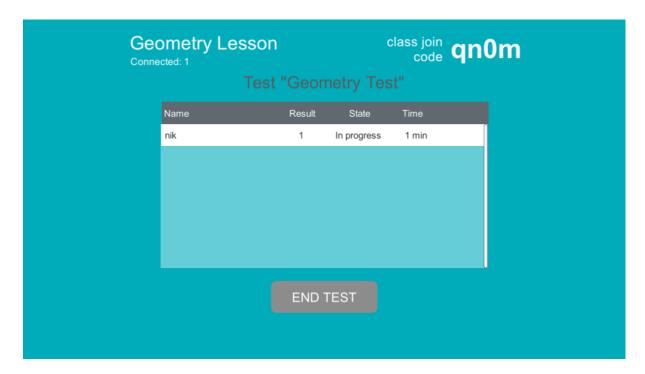
"Start" allows a teacher to go through the test on his own.

"Cancel" returns to the previous screen.



# Teacher Dashboard

The progress and the results of the tests can be observed in a special teacher panel. You can see teams, students, progress, time for completion of an activity and results. You can also see who has finished the assigned activity and who is still working on it.



### Printable material description

For the ARETE app you have a Geometry kit available. This kit has Geometry Workbooks with extra activities and building blocks sets.

## How to use Building Blocks?



Building Blocks set is delivered as several printed pages of A4 format each. This is a hands-on activity to cut and glue together the building blocks. Then you can facilitate putting building blocks and forming correct 2D shapes, launch ARETE Geometry app and explore Augmented Reality content allocated to each shape.

### **How to use the Geometry Workbook?**

Each page of the workbook marked as AR Marker can be used with the ARETE Geometry app. The exercises associated with 2D shapes outlined in the book will help you with further lesson activities.



### App contents overview

- Basics of geometric 2D & 3D shapes, its properties and decomposition
- Fractions
- Cross section
- Maths (multiplication, division, subtraction, addition) in the single or multiplayer activity
- Compare and identify objects in the environment with geometric shapes using Augmented Reality
- Addition and subtraction
- Multiplication and division

Additional resources: lesson plans, etc.

### Link to suggested lesson activities: <a href="https://www.cleverbooks.eu/activityplans/">https://www.cleverbooks.eu/activityplans/</a>









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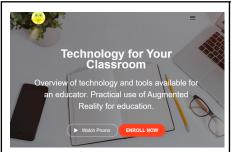
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### Free resources on Augmented Reality training:



Technology for Your Classroom

Overview of technology and tools available for an educator. Practical use of Augmented Reality for education.

Online course on Teachable:

https://arcertification.teachable.com/p/technology-in-classroom



Augmented Reality in Education Basics. Certification Course

Augmented Reality Emerging Technologies in Education Certification Course

Online course on Teachable:

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### **FAQ and Support**

### What devices are supported?

Geometry app runs almost on any device with Android 4.1 or iOS 7.

Geography app is much more complex and additionally requires at least 1.5GB of RAM. It runs on Android 4.1 or above with 1.5GB RAM or iOS 7 or above with 1.5GB RAM To visualize 3D models, it is recommended to use a mobile device (smartphone or tablet) with a camera pointing outward.

The user experience has been more satisfying on the devices with a larger size screen. Also, please make sure your phone is running the latest software.

### What operating systems are supported?

Android and iOS

### • Is the GDPR compliant to use an app?

Please, refer to

https://www.areteproject.eu/t4media/Pilot%202%20ARETE%20Privacy%20Policy%20for%20apps%20stores.pdf

### How is my privacy protected?

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### What languages are supported?

The application is available in English, Greek, Italian, Polish, Portuguese, Croatian, Serbian, Spanish.

# • CleverBooks Apps work offline? We do not have an internet connection/We have a poor internet connection at school.

Yes, you need an internet connection only to install applications and then can use it without the network access. Stable internet connection is required for multi-user exercises. The app can also be used offline for Augmented Reality content overview and interaction however multi-user features (content review, game playing with other users/devices) will not be available.

### What are the tangible materials required?

To use the Geometry app for Pilot 2 you need to have a Geometry kit at your hand provided by EUN.

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