Badges in Education

Motivation Through Gamification
Digital badges are an [iconic] indicator of accomplishment, skill, quality or interest that can be earned in various learning environments.

source: TeamTreehouse and Wikipedia
How does it work?

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Who uses them? Why? What for?

Seton Hall - Incoming freshman will be introduced to the campus by earning digital badges as they engage with the campus and their new peer network.

http://tinyurl.com/dxhwwnp  The Curious Pirate Badge

SCAN THE CODE - EARN THE BADGE
Passport by Purdue University: Digital Badges for Learning

purdue.edu/studio
Kahn Academy - How it works for students

Students can make use of the extensive video library, interactive challenges, and assessments from any computer with access to the web.

- Complete custom self-paced learning tool
- A dynamic system for getting help
- A custom profile, points, and badges to measure progress
Creating and sharing badges

Credly.com

Give credit where credit is due.

Select a badge & customize with these tools or upload your own design

What’s happening on Credly?
Who else?

Lane Community College!

W2013 - Instructors Meredith Keene and Tom Burton jump off the cliff and decide to "flip" their class AND use digital badges.

Take a tour of Art 289 Web Production

Art 289 Web Production Team Treehouse
Overview of the process

Flipping the class + Badges

teamtreehouse.com
Success!! Tom Burton speaks on the flipped classroom model and the use of badges.
... and now the **students speak out!**

[Video link](http://vimeo.com/65343407)
The Mozilla Open Badges Project

Get recognition for skills you learn anywhere.

- **Earn**: Earn badges for skills you learn online and offline
- **Issue**: Give recognition for things you teach
- **Display**: Show your badges in the places that matter
Mozilla Backpack

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Think about this...

One student earned an associate degree in media design at college "A". The other student earned "digital badges" in marketing, digital storytelling, business writing, guerilla journalism, leadership, mentoring and teamwork while earning their associate degree in media design at college "B".

Who gets the interview?
Where does this leave us?

In a great spot to become college "B"!

What's next?