

Topic	OLED BITMAP ARRAY		
Class Description	Students will be introduced to the concept of displaying logos and Bit Maps on OLED. They will learn how to convert images into Array and using Array convert them into the image.		
Class	PRO C256		
Class time	50 mins		
Goal	Displaying WHJR LogoDisplaying Picture	ids	
Resources Required	 Teacher Resources: Laptop with internet connectivity Earphones with mic Notebook and pen Smartphone Student Resources: Laptop with internet connectivity Earphones with mic Notebook and pen 		
Class structure	Warm-Up Teacher-Led Activity -1 Teacher-Led Activity -2 Wrap-Up	10 mins 15 mins 15 mins 10 mins	
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WARM-UP SESSION - 10 mins			
Teacher Action	Student Action		
Hey <student's name="">. How are you? It's great to see you! Are you excited to learn something new today?</student's>	ESR: Hi, thanks! Yes, I am excited about it!		
 Following are the WARM-UP session deliverables: Greet the student. Revision of previous class activities. Quizzes. 	Click on the slide show tab and present the slides		
WARM-UP QUIZ Click on In-Class Quiz			
Activity Details			
Following are the session deliverables:			

- Appreciate the student.
- Narrate the story by using hand gestures and voice modulation methods to bring in more interest in students.

Teacher Initiates Screen Share Teacher Action So, in the last class, we learned about OLED Any doubts from the last class, If the student has any doubts, clarify the doubts

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So last class we covered simple Shapes and text on OLED.

Do you think it's possible to display images on the OLED?

ESR: Varied!

Yes, It is

So in today's class we will display some graphics or pictures on OLED

It's very simple!

The only thing is we need to follow some steps to convert any graphics/Logo/Image/Picture onto OLED.

But to make this happen we must understand about **BITMAP**

BITMAP is an array of binary data representing the values of pixels in an image or display. A bitmap is a file format or memory organization of rows and columns of bits (or pixels) that collectively display a graphical representation. Most graphic images contain thousands of bits. **Pixels** are larger squares made up of bits.

TYPES OF BITMAP FILE FORMATS

BMP: Bitmap

GIF: Graphics Interchange Format

JPEG: Joint Photographic Expert Group

PNG: Portable Network Graphics

HOW DO BITMAPS WORK?

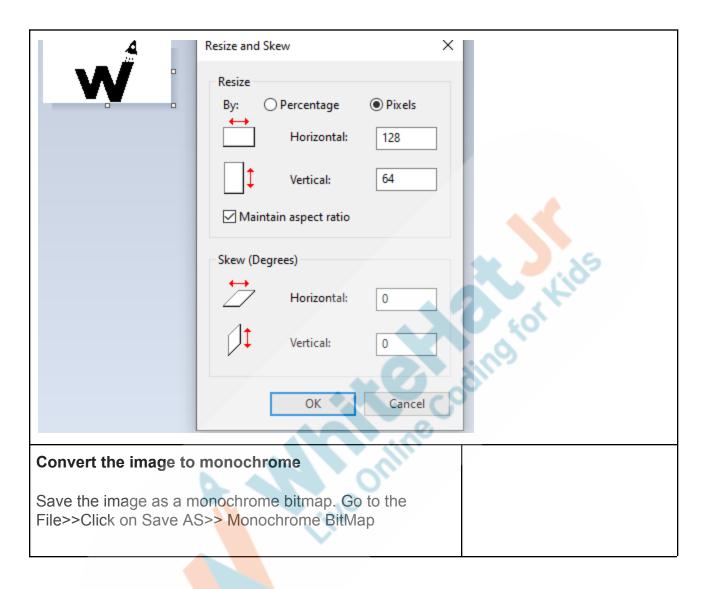
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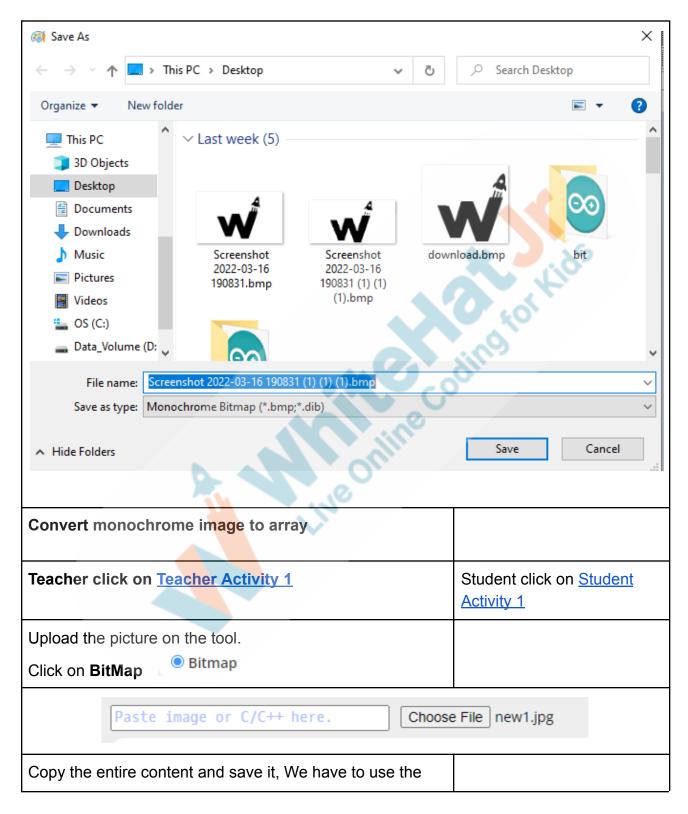


Bitmaps contain data that organize thousands of squares by position and assigned color into a single, viewable graphic image. The resolution of the bitmap is the density of these squares. A resolution of 800×600 for a computer monitor means the screen offers 800 pixels for 600 lines, or 480,000 pixels collectively for the display. The higher the number of pixels, the clearer (or more realistic) a graphic or digital photograph is. Fewer pixels display a blurrier representation. So to display images/Graphics/logos on the screen we must perform some steps: We can draw a bitmap in this OLED display with some steps: 1. Resize your image to fit the OLED display. 2. Convert image to monochrome Convert monochrome image to array 4. Copy the array to Arduino code. Let's learn how we can convert images into arrays first. Let's try with Whitehatir Logo. Resize the image to fit the OLED display Let's try with the Whitehatir Logo that will be used to draw in the OLED display. The resolution of our OLED display is 128×64 pixels. So the size of the image is not more than that. It should be equal to or less than 128 x 64 pixels. We can resize an image using a paint tool.









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same in our program and make sure of the name. We will use this name. const unsigned char bitmap_8ac4cl[] PROGMEM = { B00000000, B00000000, B00000000, B000000011, B00000000, B0000000, B00000000, B00000000, B00000110, B00000000, B11100111, B00000000, B0000000, B00000000, B00000000, B00011110, B00000011, B111111111, B11000000, B00000000, B00000000, B00000000, B00111111, B111111111, B111111111, B10000000, B00000000, B00000000, B00000000, B00111111, B111111111, B111111111, B10000000, B00000000, B000000000, B00000000, B01111111, B111111111, B111111111, B10000000, B00000000, B000000000, B00000000, B01111111, B111111111, B111111111, B10000000, B00000000, B00000000, B00000000, B11111111, B111111111, B111111111, B00000000, B00000000, B00000000, B00000000, B11111111, B11111111, B111111111, B00000000, B00000000, B00000000, B00000000, B11111111, B111111111, B111111111, B10000000, B00000000, B00000000, B00000000, B11111111, B11111111, B111111111, B111111000, B00000000, B000000000, B00000000, B11111111, B111111111, B111111111, B111111100, B00000000, B00000000, Step -1:Select the material from the Simulator 1 x ESP32 1 x OLED Click on + Sign and selects OLED OLED SSD1306 OLED display Step -2: Let's do connections:

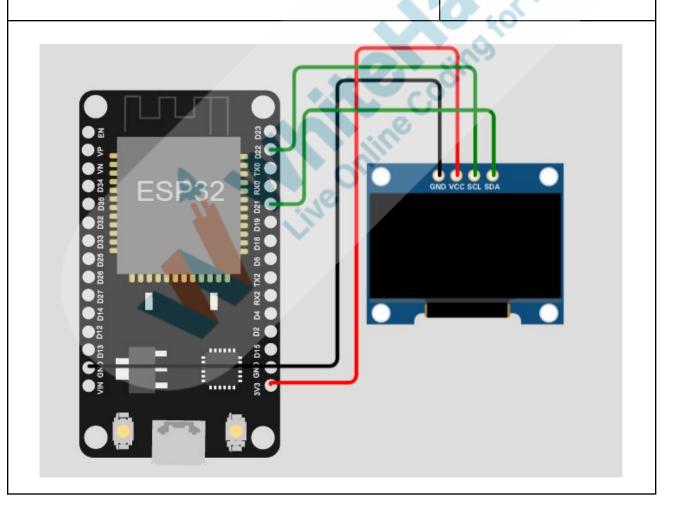
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- Insert OLED into the breadboard
- Take four jumper wires.

OLED PIN	ESP32 PIN
vcc	3.3 V
GND	GND
Data	GPIO 21
CLK	GPIO 22



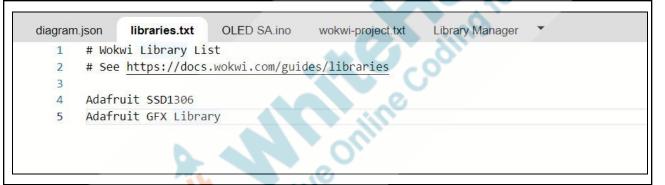
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To control the **OLED** display, we need to install libraries

- Click on the small triangle icon next to Library Manager
- 2. Select New File
- 3. Name the file libraries.txt
- 4. Write down Adafruit SSD1306
- 5. Write down Adafruit GFX Library

Note: Follow the same step at student systems too. For reference, everything is mentioned again in the student activity.



Import Libraries:

- Wire.h This library allows you to communicate with I2C / devices. I2C is a serial communication protocol, so data is transferred bit by bit along a single wire.
- Adafruit_GFX.h: This library offers a common graphical syntax and set of functions for all LCD displays, OLED displays, and LED matrices.
- Adafruit_SSD1306: This library takes care of low-level communication with the hardware.
- Define SCREEN_WIDTH & SCREEN_HEIGHT for OLED .Our OLED size is 128×64.
- Declaration of an SSD1306 display that connects to

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I2C communication using **Wire** Library.

- Initialize a display object with the SCREEN_WIDTH
 SCREEN_HEIGHT defined earlier with the I2C communication protocol.
- A value of (-1) indicates that our OLED display does not have a RESET pin. Sometimes OLED displays have a RESET pin on the OLED, in that case, we should connect it to a GPIO and should include the GPIO number as a parameter.

```
#include <Wire.h>
#include <Adafruit_GFX.h>
#include <Adafruit_SSD1306.h>

#define SCREEN_WIDTH 128
#define SCREEN_HEIGHT 64

Adafruit_SSD1306 display(SCREEN_WIDTH, SCREEN_HEIGHT, &Wire, -1);
```

The teacher/student must convert any picture into a BITMAP array at their end and use the same BITMAP array under this section.

Note the name of the BITMAP array. To call it, we need to use the same name.

Note: Copy the Bit Map array code and paste it into the below section

The screenshot below is just for reference.



const unsigned char bitmap_14v9pq[] PROGMEM = {

Initialize using void setup() function

- Serial.begin(115200): Sets the data rate in bits per second (baud) for serial data transmission.
- Initialize the OLED display with the begin() method.
- If the OLED displays nothing, check the OLED address at 0x3C. In our case, the address is 0x3C.
- If we are not able to connect to the display, it prints a message on the Serial Monitor.
- If something fails, don't proceed further, try to repeat the process using for() loop
- display.drawBitmap is used to display the picture Write down the exact name of the BitMAP array.
 Here in this case it is bitmap_14v9q

Note: This is a reference picture code, the student will right his BITMAP array name



```
void setup() {
    Serial.begin(115200);

if (!display.begin(SSD1306_SWITCHCAPVCC, 0x3C)) {
    Serial.println(F("SSD1306 allocation failed"));
    for (;;);
};

delay(2000); // wait two seconds for initializing display.clearDisplay(); // clear display

display.drawBitmap(0, 0, bitmap_14v9pq, 128, 64, 1);

display.display();
}
```

Output:

Click on the Save button and then click on the simulation button

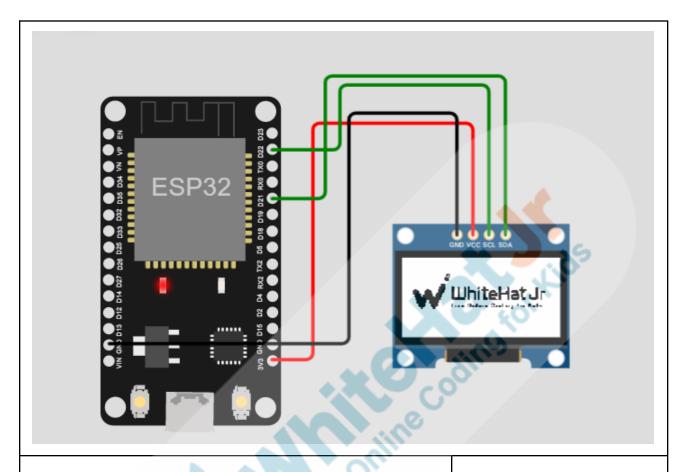
Note:

If your OLED display is not showing anything:

Check that the OLED display is properly wired

Output will look like this:





Student Stops Screen Share So its time to do the Activity, now you will convert your picture into a BITMAP array and display it on OLED Please share your screen with me. We have one more class challenge for you. Can you solve it? Let's try. I will guide you through it. STUDENT-LED ACTIVITY-2 - 15 mins

Ask the student to press the ESC key to come back to the panel.

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- Guide the student to start Screen Share.
- The teacher gets into Full Screen.

Student Initiates Screen Share

ACTIVITY

Picture OLED

Teacher Action	Student Action
Note: The teacher will follow the same steps to convert the picture into a BITMAP array. Students can take their own pictures and generate their own BITMAP arrays.	Kids

Step -1:Select the material from the Simulator

- 1 x ESP32
- 1 x OLED Click on + Sign and selects OLED



Step -2: Let's do connections:

- Insert OLED into the breadboard
- Take four jumper wires.

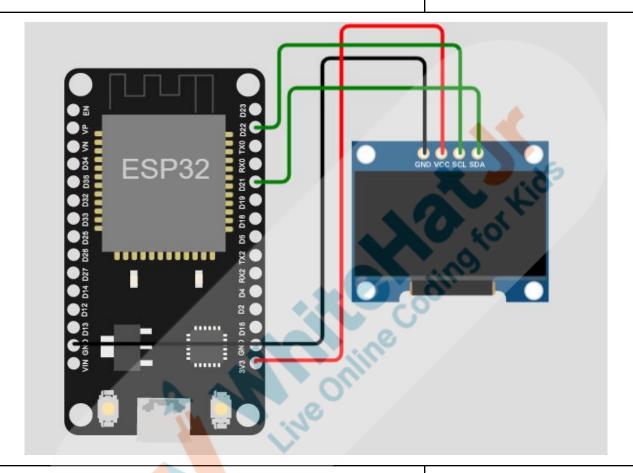
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CLK GPIO 22



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2	# See https://docs.wokwi.com/guides/libraries				
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- Define SCREEN_WIDTH & SCREEN_HEIGHT for OLED .Our OLED size is 128×64.
- Declaration of an SSD1306 display that connects to I2C communication using Wire Library.
- Initialize a display object with the SCREEN_WIDTH
 SCREEN_HEIGHT defined earlier with the I2C communication protocol.
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Note: This step is entirely needed to be done by the student. The teacher will guide it





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Output:

Click on the save button and then Click on restart the simulation

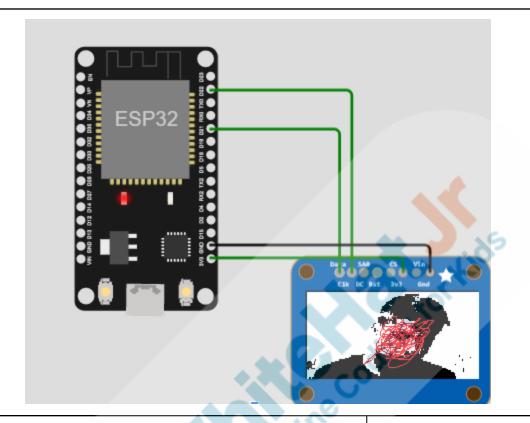
• If there is any error resolve it

Note:

If your OLED display is not showing anything:

Check that the OLED display is properly wired





Vow! This is how our pixels work for any picture.

That's fun!

Teacher Guides Student to Stop Screen Share

WRAP-UP SESSION - 05 mins

Activity details

Following are the WRAP-UP session deliverables:

- Appreciate the student.
- Revise the current class activities.
- Discuss the quizzes.

WRAP-UP QUIZ

Click on In-Class Quiz

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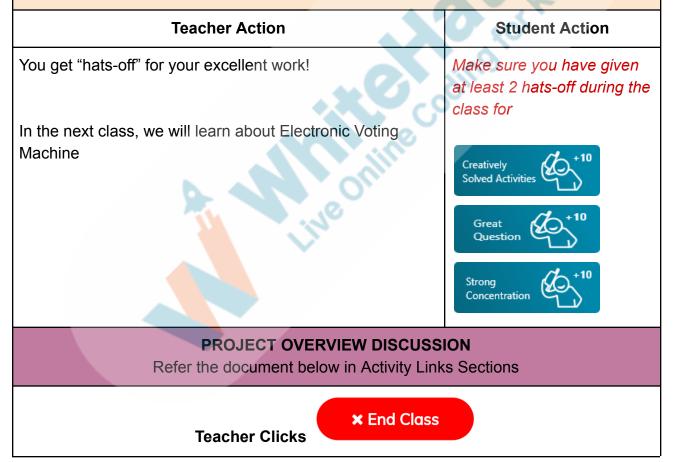
Activity Details

Following are the session deliverables:

- Explain the facts and trivia
- Next class challenge
- Project for the day
- Additional Activity (Optional)

FEEDBACK

- Appreciate and compliment the student for trying to learn a difficult concept.
- Get to know how they are feeling after the session.
- Review and check their understanding.



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ACTIVITY LINKS			
Activity Name	Description	Links	
Teacher Activity 1	Bitmap Array converter	https://marlinfw.org/tools/u8glib/converter.html	
Teacher Activity 2	Reference Code -TA	https://github.com/procodingclass/Pro-C256-Reference-Code	
Student Activity 1	Bitmap Array converter	https://marlinfw.org/tools/u8glib/converter.html	
Student Activity 2	Reference Code -SA	https://github.com/procodingclass/Pro-C256-Reference-Code-SA	