

Lab session 3: Multi-Screens Design using Flutter

Task-3 Adding AdMob ads to a Flutter app (Part I)

This documentation provides a concise guide on integrating AdMob ads into the "Awesome Drawing Quiz" app. It accompanies a code lab that offers step-by-step instructions for the implementation process.

The "Awesome Drawing Quiz" app is an interactive game that challenges players to identify drawings and guess their corresponding names. By incorporating AdMob ads, we can monetize the app and generate revenue through mobile advertising.

This documentation covers the integration of three types of ads: banner ads, interstitial ads, and rewarded ads. Banner ads are small, persistent ads that can be placed at the top or bottom of the screen. Interstitial ads are full-screen ads that appear at natural transition points within the app. Rewarded ads provide incentives to users in exchange for their engagement with ads.

We will learn how to seamlessly integrate AdMob into Flutter apps, create ad units, load and display ads, handle ad events, and optimize ad performance.

Set up your Flutter development environment

To set up the Flutter development environment for this codelab, we will need to download two essential components: the Flutter SDK and an editor.

Ensure to have one of the following devices available for running the codelab:

- A physical Android or iOS device connected to your computer and set to Developer mode.
- The iOS simulator (requires installing Xcode tools).
- The Android Emulator (requires setup in Android Studio).
- A browser (Chrome is required for debugging).

Once we have the necessary device or platform set up, we can proceed to download the code for the codelab.

Set up the AdMob app and ad units

Because Flutter is a multi-platform SDK, we can add an app and ad units for both Android and iOS in AdMob.

Set up for Android

To set up for Android, you need to add an Android app and create ad units.

Add an Android app

Step 1: In the AdMob console, click ADD APP from the Apps menu.

Google AdMob

Rechercher des applications, des groupes de médiation et plus encore

Configuration du paiement incomplète - Pour finaliser la configuration de votre compte AdMob, vous devez compléter votre profil de paiement. Les applications en cours d'examen resteront à l'état "Préparation" jusqu'à ce que vous saisissez votre adresse de paiement. [Corriger le problème](#)

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Gérer toutes vos applications

Effectuez le suivi des applications, créez des campagnes, définissez l'ordre de priorité des différents réseaux publicitaires via la médiation ou configurez des filtres pour bloquer les annonces par type. Gérez toutes vos applications (nouvelles et existantes) à partir d'un même emplacement centralisé.

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Step 2: When you're asked Have you published your app on Google Play or the App Store?, click NO.

Configurer une nouvelle application

Plate-forme ?

☒ Android

☐ iOS

Toutes les nouvelles applications associées aux plates-formes de téléchargement compatibles doivent être **examinées pour être approuvées**. Cette opération permet de vérifier que votre application est prête à afficher des annonces. Elle ne prend généralement que quelques jours, mais sa durée peut être plus longue dans certains cas. La diffusion d'annonces sera limitée en attendant que votre application soit approuvée suite à cet examen. Pour lancer le processus d'examen, vous devez terminer de configurer l'application.

L'application est-elle disponible sur une plate-forme de téléchargement compatible ?

☐ Oui, l'application est disponible sur une plate-forme de téléchargement compatible

☒ Non

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Step 3: Enter Awesome Drawing Quiz in the app name field, and select Android as the platform.

Configurer une nouvelle application

Plate-forme ? Android

Nom de l'application ?

Awesome Drawing Quiz

Métriques utilisateur ?

☒ Activé

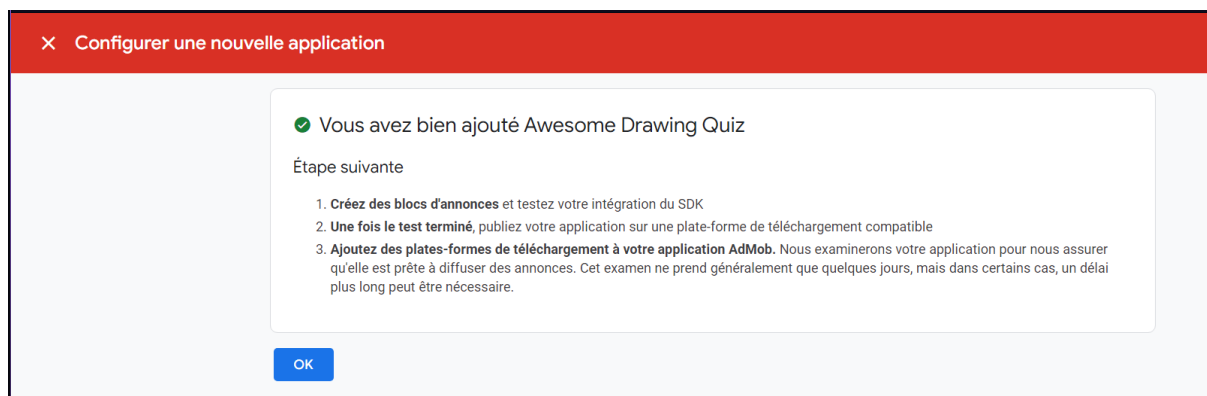
Les métriques utilisateur vous permettent d'accéder à des rapports pertinents, à des métriques utilisateur stratégiques et à bien d'autres fonctionnalités. Vous pouvez également accéder aux données Google Play ou Firebase, si elles sont associées. [En savoir plus sur les métriques utilisateur](#)

Pour exploiter pleinement les métriques utilisateur, installez la version appropriée du SDK pour le système d'exploitation de chaque application.

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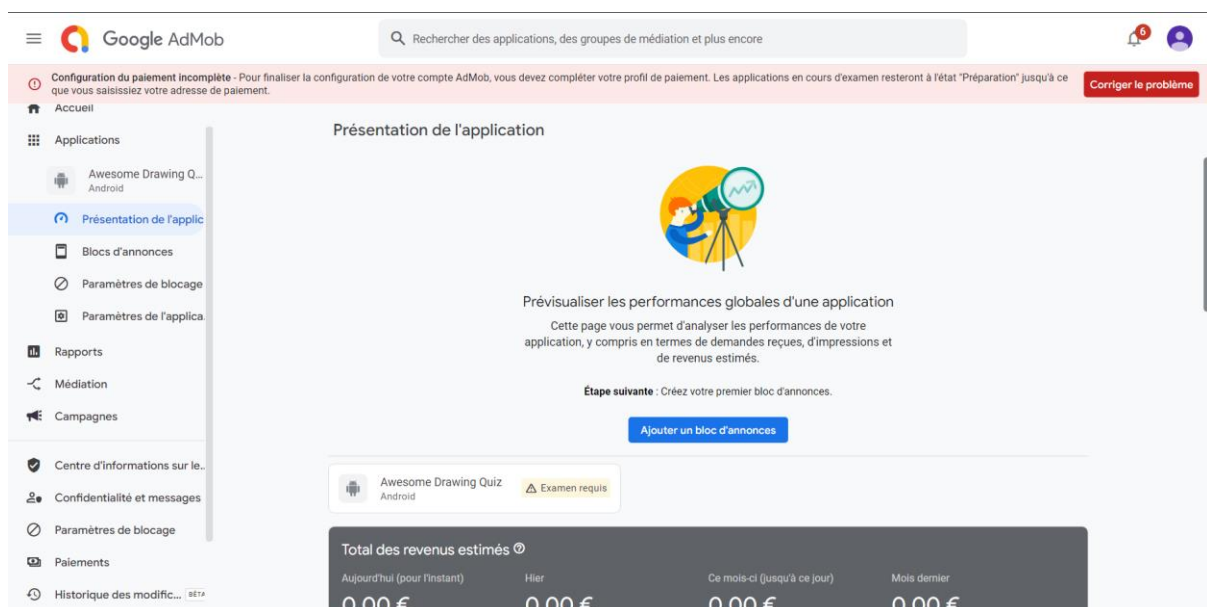
Enabling user metrics is not necessary to complete this codelab. However, we recommend to do so because it allows you to understand user behavior in more detail.

Step 4: Click ADD to complete the process.

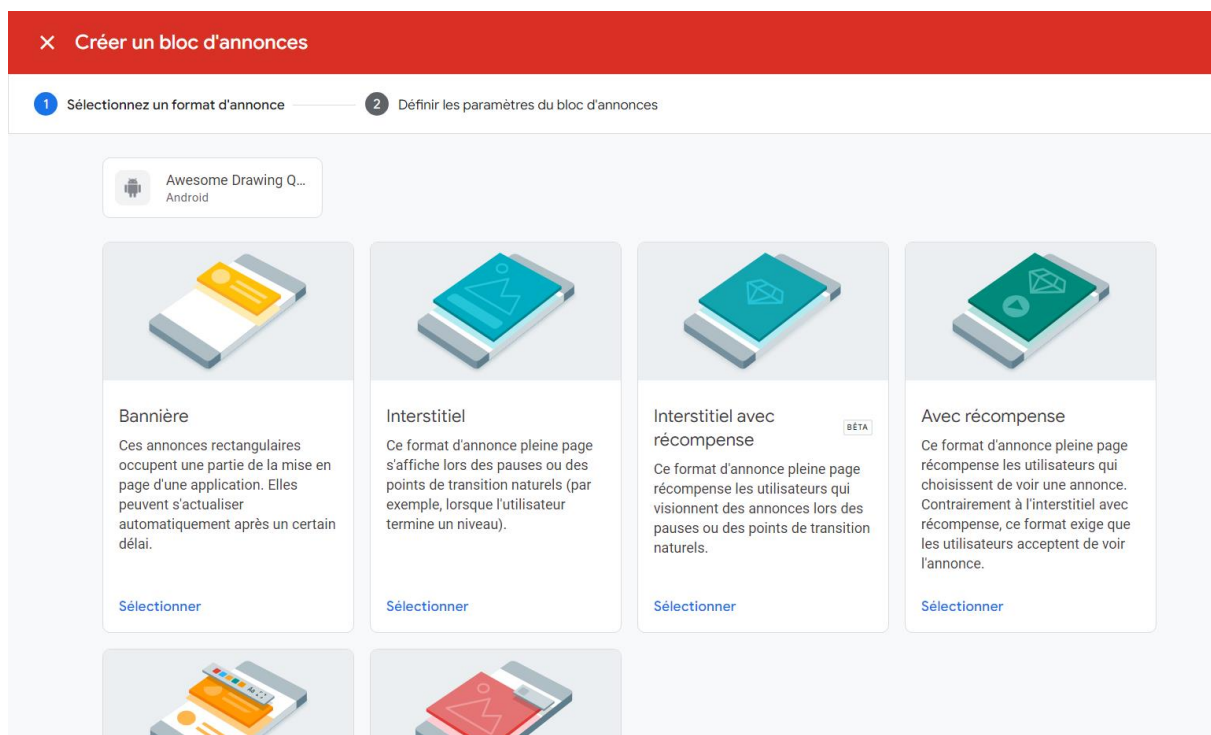


Create ad units

Step 1: Select Awesome Drawing Quiz from the Apps menu in the AdMob console.

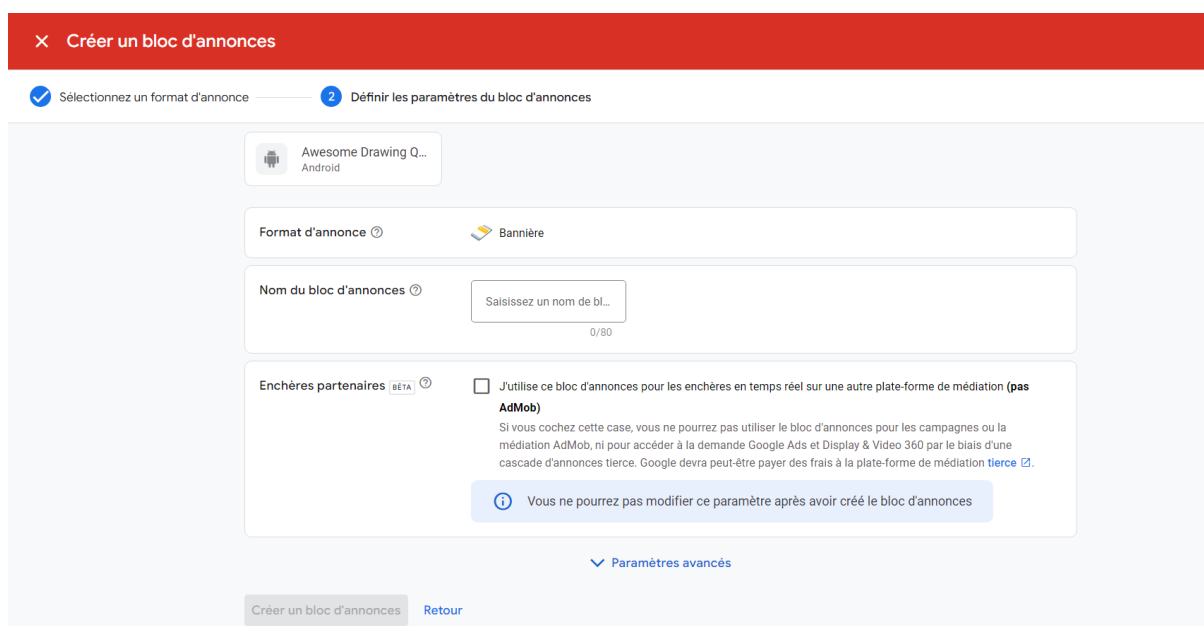


Step 2: Click the Ad units menu.



Banner

1. Select Banner as the format.



2. Enter android-adq-banner in the Ad unit name field.

Créer un bloc d'annonces


Le bloc d'annonces a bien été créé

Un délai d'une heure peut être nécessaire pour que les nouveaux blocs commencent à diffuser des annonces. [Vous voulez tester des exemples de blocs d'annonces en attendant ?](#)


Ensuite, insérez le bloc d'annonces dans votre application.

Procédez comme suit :


1. Suivez les instructions du [guide SDK Google Mobile Ads](#) en utilisant cet ID d'application :




ca-app-pub-2332174589402443~3714728155



2. Pour intégrer le SDK, suivez le [guide d'insertion des bannières](#). Vous définirez le type, la taille et l'emplacement de l'annonce au moment de l'intégration du code à l'aide de cet ID de bloc d'annonces :



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3. Consultez les [Règles AdMob](#) pour vérifier que votre intégration les respecte.

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OK

Créer un autre bloc d'annonces

1. Select Interstitial as the format.

✕ Créer un bloc d'annonces

✓ Sélectionnez un format d'annonce — 2 Définir les paramètres du bloc d'annonces

Awesome Drawing Q...
Android

Format d'annonce ⓘ Interstitiel

Nom du bloc d'annonces ⓘ Saisissez un nom de bl...
0/80

Enchères partenaires BÉTA ⓘ ☐ J'utilise ce bloc d'annonces pour les enchères en temps réel sur une autre plate-forme de médiation (**pas AdMob**)
Si vous cochez cette case, vous ne pourrez pas utiliser le bloc d'annonces pour les campagnes ou la médiation AdMob, ni pour accéder à la demande Google Ads et Display & Video 360 par le biais d'une cascade d'annonces tierce. Google devra peut-être payer des frais à la plate-forme de médiation [tierce](#) [?](#).

Vous ne pourrez pas modifier ce paramètre après avoir créé le bloc d'annonces

Paramètres avancés

Créer un bloc d'annonces Retour

2. Enter android-adq-interstitial in the Ad unit name field.

✕ Créer un bloc d'annonces

✓ Sélectionnez un format d'annonce — 2 Définir les paramètres du bloc d'annonces

Awesome Drawing Q...
Android

Format d'annonce ⓘ Interstitiel

Nom du bloc d'annonces ⓘ android-adq-interstitial
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Enchères partenaires BÉTA ⓘ ☐ J'utilise ce bloc d'annonces pour les enchères en temps réel sur une autre plate-forme de médiation (**pas AdMob**)
Si vous cochez cette case, vous ne pourrez pas utiliser le bloc d'annonces pour les campagnes ou la médiation AdMob, ni pour accéder à la demande Google Ads et Display & Video 360 par le biais d'une cascade d'annonces tierce. Google devra peut-être payer des frais à la plate-forme de médiation [tierce](#) [?](#).

Vous ne pourrez pas modifier ce paramètre après avoir créé le bloc d'annonces

Paramètres avancés

Créer un bloc d'annonces Retour

3. Click CREATE AD UNIT to complete the process.

X
Créer un bloc d'annonces

Le bloc d'annonces a bien été créé

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Ensuite, insérez le bloc d'annonces dans votre application.

Procédez comme suit :

- Suivez les instructions du [guide SDK Google Mobile Ads](#) en utilisant cet ID d'application :

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- Pour intégrer le SDK, suivez le [guide d'insertion des annonces interstitielles](#). Vous définirez le type et l'emplacement de l'annonce au moment de l'intégration du code à l'aide de cet ID de bloc d'annonces :

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- Consultez les [Règles AdMob](#) pour vérifier que votre intégration les respecte.

[Envoyer les instructions par e-mail](#)

OK
Créer un autre bloc d'annonces

Rewarded

1. Select Rewarded as the format.

X
Créer un bloc d'annonces

Sélectionnez un format d'annonce

2
Définir les paramètres du bloc d'annonces

Awesome Drawing Q...
Android

Format d'annonce

Avec récompense

Nom du bloc d'annonces

Saisissez un nom de bl...
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Enchères partenaires BETA
☐
J'utilise ce bloc d'annonces pour les enchères en temps réel sur une autre plate-forme de médiation (pas AdMob)
Si vous cochez cette case, vous ne pourrez pas utiliser le bloc d'annonces pour les campagnes ou la médiation AdMob, ni pour accéder à la demande Google Ads et Display & Video 360 par le biais d'une cascade d'annonces tierce. Google devra peut-être payer des frais à la plate-forme de médiation tierce.

Vous ne pourrez pas modifier ce paramètre après avoir créé le bloc d'annonces

Paramètres relatifs aux récompenses

Saisir le montant de la ré...
1

Saisir l'élément de récompense
Reward

2. Enter android-adq-rewarded in the Ad unit name field.

Format d'annonce

Avec récompense

Nom du bloc d'annonces

android-adq-rewarded
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3. Leave the default for Reward settings.

Paramètres relatifs aux récompenses ?

Saisir le montant de la ré...

1

Saisir l'élément de récompense

Reward

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4. Click CREATE AD UNIT to complete the process.

×

Créer un bloc d'annonces

✓

Le bloc d'annonces a bien été créé

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2. Pour intégrer le SDK, suivez le [guide d'insertion des annonces vidéo avec récompense](#). Vous définirez le type et l'emplacement de l'annonce au moment de l'intégration du code à l'aide de cet ID de bloc d'annonces :

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3. Consultez les [Règles AdMob](#) pour vérifier que votre intégration les respecte.

[Envoyer les instructions par e-mail](#)

OK

Créer un autre bloc d'annonces

Set up for iOS

To set up for iOS, we need to add an iOS app and create ad units. To do so, we just follow the same process as for android but use ios-adq-... for ad units name.

Add the Google Mobile Ads Flutter plugin

Flutter uses plugins to provide access to a wide range of platform-specific services. Plugins enable us to access services and APIs on each platform.

The google_mobile_ads plugin supports loading and displaying banner, interstitial, rewarded, and native ads using the AdMob API.

Add the Google Mobile Ads plugin as a dependency

Step 1: To access the AdMob APIs from the AdMob inline ads project, add google_mobile_ads as a dependency to the pubspec.yaml file located at the root of the project.

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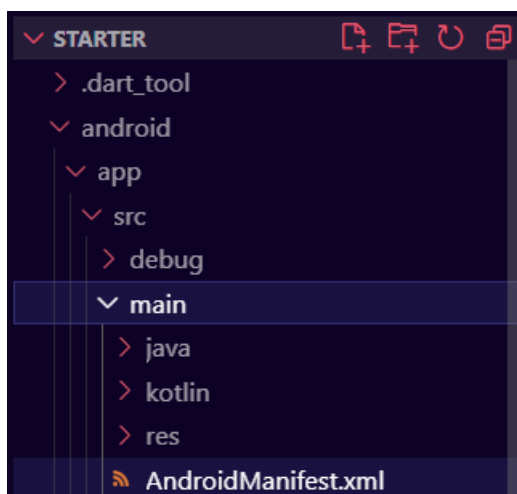

```
! pubspec.yaml
! pubspec.yaml
16 description: Sample app for &#x27;Adding AdMob Ads to a Flutter app&#x27; CodeLab.
17 publish_to: 'none'
18 version: 1.0.0+1
19
20 environment:
21   sdk: ">=2.17.0 <3.0.0"
22
23 dependencies:
24   flutter:
25     sdk: flutter
26   google_fonts: ^3.0.1
27
28   # TODO: Add google_mobile_ads as a dependency
29   google_mobile_ads: ^1.2.0
30
```

Step 2: Click Pub get to install the plugin in the Awesome Drawing Quiz project.

```
PS C:\Dev\admob-ads-in-flutter-master\admob-ads-in-flutter-master\starter> flutter pub get
Resolving dependencies...
crypto 3.0.2 (3.0.3 available)
ffi 2.0.1 (2.1.0 available)
file 6.1.2 (7.0.0 available)
flutter_lints 2.0.1 (3.0.1 available)
google_fonts 3.0.1 (6.1.0 available)
http 0.13.4 (1.1.2 available)
http_parser 4.0.1 (4.0.2 available)
lints 2.0.0 (3.0.0 available)
matcher 0.12.16 (0.12.16+1 available)
material_color_utilities 0.5.0 (0.8.0 available)
```

Update AndroidManifest.xml (Android)

Step 1: Open the android/app/src/main/AndroidManifest.xml file in Android Studio.



Step 2: Add the AdMob app ID by adding a <meta-data> tag with the name com.google.android.gms.ads.APPLICATION_ID.

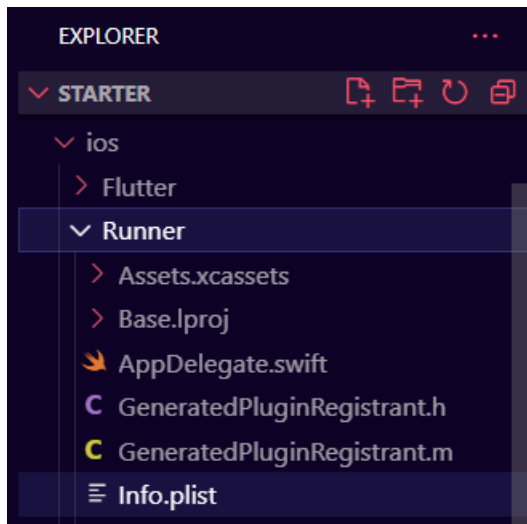
```

android > app > src > main > AndroidManifest.xml
33
34      <!-- TODO: Add AdMob app ID -->
35      <meta-data
36          android:name="com.google.android.gms.ads.APPLICATION_ID"
37          android:value="ca-app-pub-2332174589402443~3714728155"
38      />
39

```

Update Info.plist (iOS)

Step 1: Open the ios/Runner/Info.plist file in Android Studio.



Step 2: Add a GADApplicationIdentifier key with the string value of your AdMob app ID.

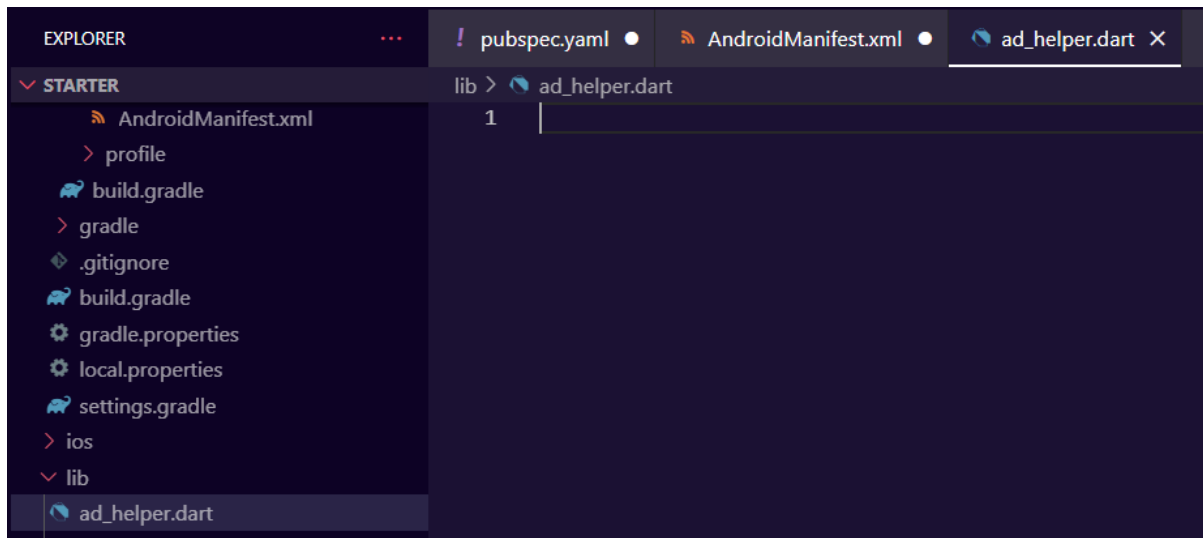
```

ios > Runner > Info.plist
27      <key>UIMainStoryboardFile</key>
28      <string>Main</string>
29      <key>GADApplicationIdentifier</key>
30      <string>ca-app-pub-2332174589402443~1287304542</string>

```

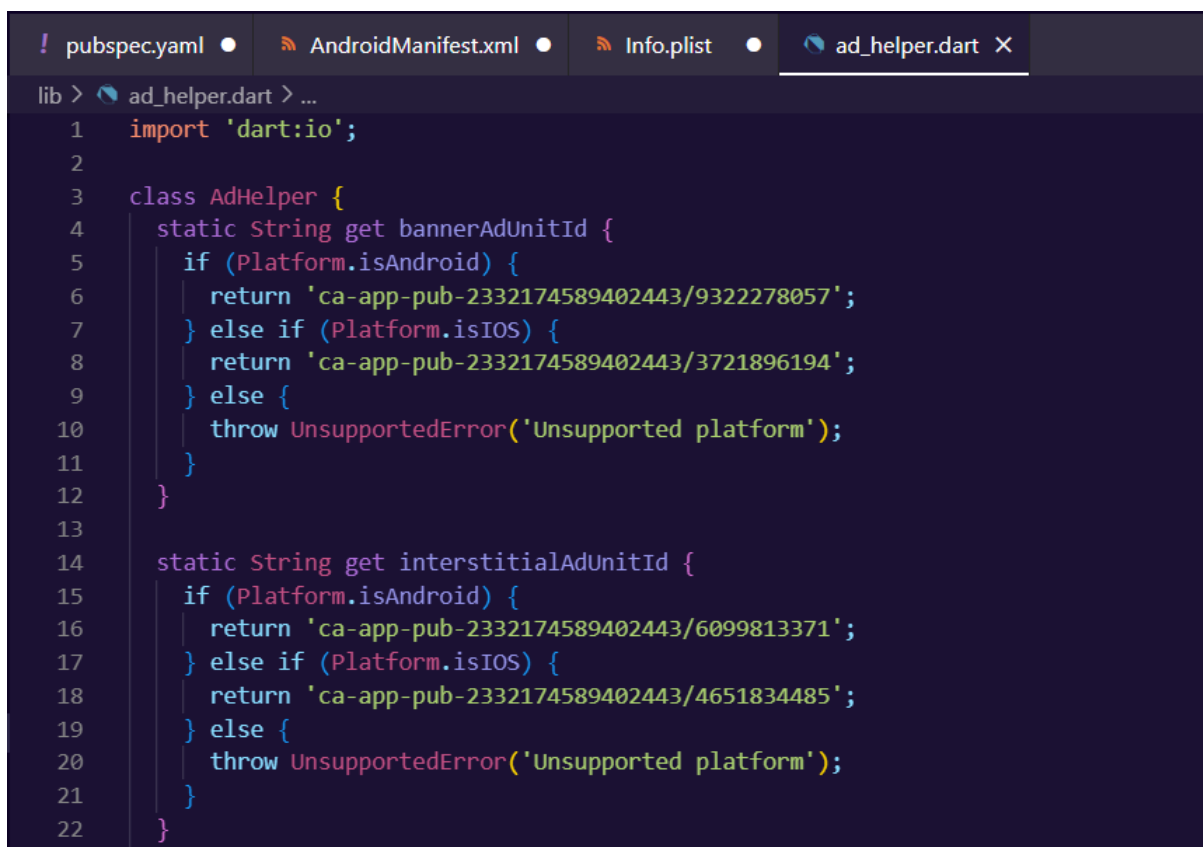
Add a helper class for ads

Step 1: Create a new file named ad_helper.dart under the lib directory.



Step 2: Implement the AdHelper class, which provides an AdMob app ID and ad unit IDs for Android.

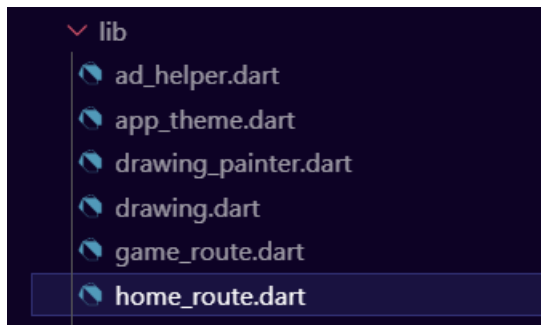
Make sure to replace the AdMob app ID (ca-app-pub-xxxxxx~yyyyy) and the ad unit ID (ca-app-pub-xxxxxx/yyyyyyy) with the IDs created in the previous step.



Initialize the Google Mobile Ads SDK

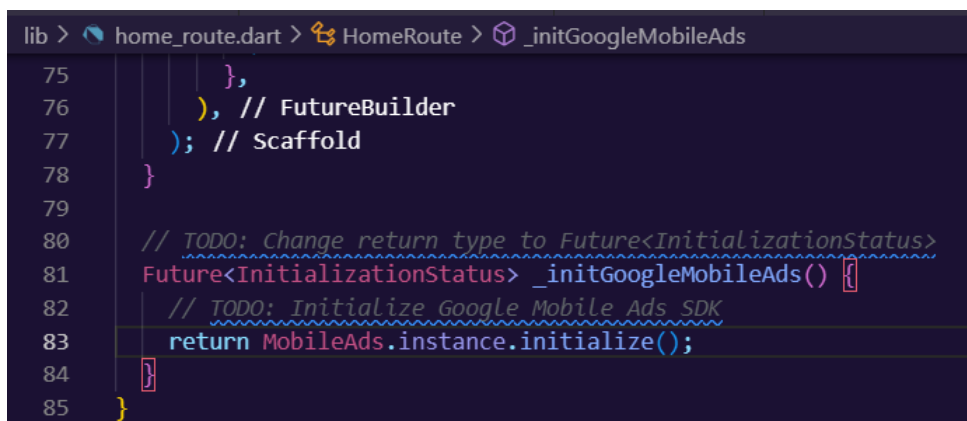
Before loading ads, you need to initialize the Google Mobile Ads SDK.

Step 1: Open the lib/home_route.dart file



Step 2: Modify `_initGoogleMobileAds()` to initialize the SDK before the home page is loaded.

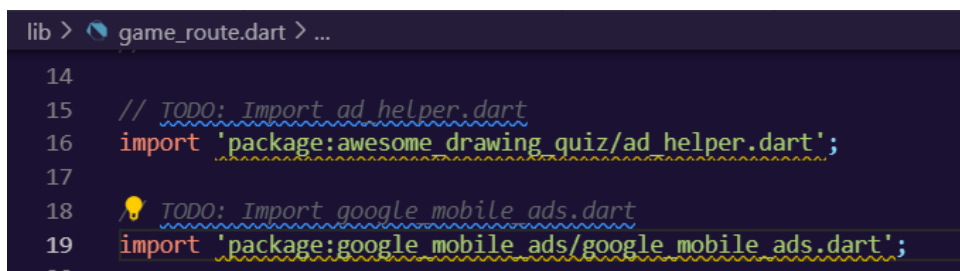
Note: We need to change the return type of the `_initGoogleMobileAds()` method from `Future<dynamic>` to `Future<InitializationStatus>` to get the SDK initialization result after it completes.



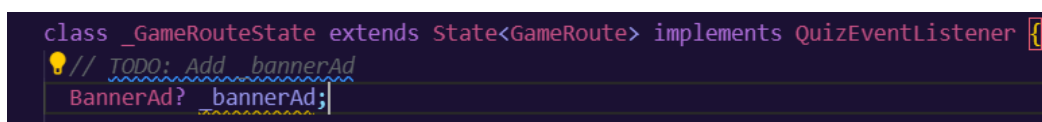
Add a banner ad

Step 1: Open the lib/game_route.dart file, and import `ad_manager.dart`

Step 2: Import the `ad_helper.dart` and `google_mobile_ads.dart` by adding the following lines:



Step 3: In the `_GameState` class, add the following members for a banner ad.



Step 4: In the `initState()` method, create and load a `BannerAd` for the 320x50 banner (`AdSize.banner`). Note that an ad event listener is configured to update the UI (`setState()`) when an ad is loaded .

```

lib > game_route.dart > _GameState > initState
48  ..startGame();
49
50  // TODO: Load a banner ad
51  BannerAd(
52    adUnitId: AdHelper.bannerAdUnitId,
53    request: const AdRequest(),
54    size: AdSize.banner,
55    listener: BannerAdListener(
56      onAdLoaded: (ad) {
57        setState(() {
58          _bannerAd = ad as BannerAd;
59        });
60      },
61      onAdFailedToLoad: (ad, err) {
62        print('Failed to load a banner ad: ${err.message}');
63        ad.dispose();
64      },
65    ), // BannerAdListener
66  ).load(); // BannerAd
67

```

Step 5: Modify the build() method to display a banner ad when available.

```

lib > game_route.dart > _GameState > build
155  ), // Card
156  ],
157  ), // Column
158  ), // Center
159  // TODO: Display a banner when ready
160  if (_bannerAd != null)
161    Align(
162      alignment: Alignment.topCenter,
163      child: Container(
164        width: _bannerAd!.size.width.toDouble(),
165        height: _bannerAd!.size.height.toDouble(),
166        child: AdWidget(ad: _bannerAd!),
167      ), // Container
168    ), // Align

```

Step 6: Release the resource associated with the BannerAd object by calling the BannerAd.dispose() method in the dispose() callback method.

```

lib > game_route.dart > _GameState > dispose
210
211  @override
212  void dispose() {
213    // TODO: Dispose a BannerAd object
214    _bannerAd?.dispose();

```

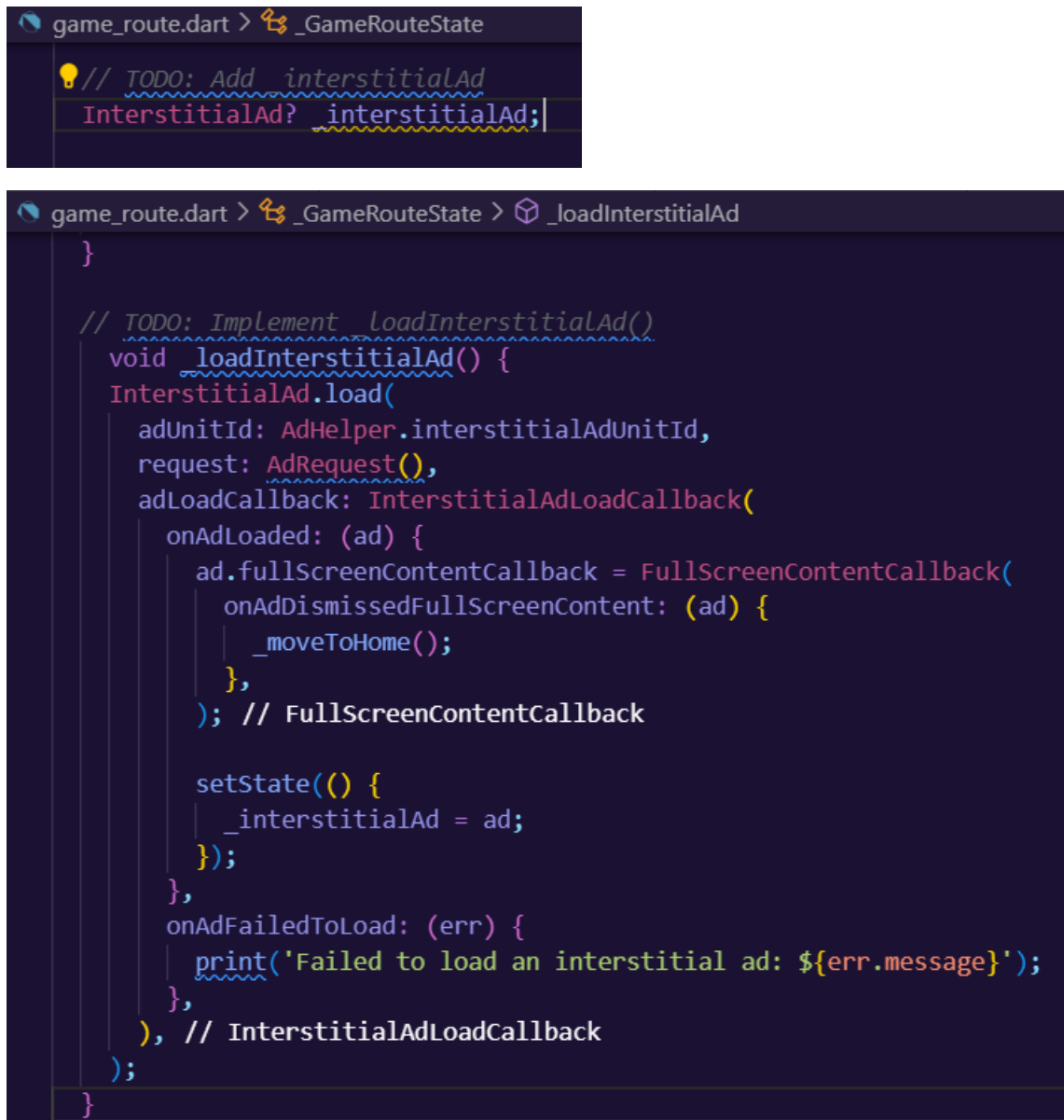
Step 7: Run the project, and start a new game. After an ad is loaded, you'll see a banner ad at the top of the screen.

Add an interstitial ad

In this section, we display an interstitial ad after the game (5 levels in total) finishes.

Step 1: Open the lib/game_route.dart file

Step 2: In the _GameRouteState class, add the following members and methods for an interstitial ad.



```
game_route.dart > _GameRouteState
// TODO: Add interstitialAd
InterstitialAd? _interstitialAd;

game_route.dart > _GameRouteState > _loadInterstitialAd
}

// TODO: Implement loadInterstitialAd()
void _loadInterstitialAd() {
  InterstitialAd.load(
    adUnitId: AdHelper.interstitialAdUnitId,
    request: AdRequest(),
    adLoadCallback: InterstitialAdLoadCallback(
      onAdLoaded: (ad) {
        ad.fullScreenContentCallback = FullScreenContentCallback(
          onAdDismissedFullScreenContent: (ad) {
            _moveToHome();
          },
        ); // FullScreenContentCallback

        setState(() {
          _interstitialAd = ad;
        });
      },
      onAdFailedToLoad: (err) {
        print('Failed to load an interstitial ad: ${err.message}');
      },
    ), // InterstitialAdLoadCallback
  );
}
```

Note that an ad event listener is configured to check whether the ad is ready (onAdLoaded()) and onAdFailedToLoad()) and to display the app's home screen when the ad is closed (onAdDismissedFullScreenContent()).

Step 3: In this codelab, an interstitial ad is displayed after a user completes 5 levels. To minimize unnecessary ad requests, request an ad when a user reaches level 3.

In the onNewLevel() method, add the following lines.

```

game_route.dart > _GameState > onNewLevel

@override
void onNewLevel(int level, Drawing drawing, String clue) {
  setState(() {});

  // TODO: Load an Interstitial Ad
  if (level >= 3 && _interstitialAd == null) {
    _loadInterstitialAd();
  }
}

```

Step 4: When a game finishes, the game score dialog is displayed. When a user closes the dialog, it routes a user to the home screen of the Awesome Drawing Quiz.

Because interstitial ads should be displayed between screen transitions, we show the interstitial ad when a user clicks the CLOSE button.

Modify the onGameOver() method as follows.

```

game_route.dart > _GameState > onGameOver

void onGameOver(int correctAnswers) {
  showDialog(
    context: context,
    builder: (context) {
      return AlertDialog(
        title: const Text('Game over!'),
        content: Text('Score: $correctAnswers/5'),
        actions: [
          TextButton(
            child: Text('close'.toUpperCase()),
            onPressed: () {
              // TODO: Display an Interstitial Ad
              if (_interstitialAd != null) {
                _interstitialAd?.show();
              } else {
                _moveToHome();
              }
            },
          ),
        ],
      );
    },
  );
}

```

Step 5: Release the resource associated with the InterstitialAd object by calling the InterstitialAd.dispose() method in the dispose() callback method.

```

game_route.dart > _GameState > dispose

// TODO: Implement dispose method

@override
void dispose() {
  // TODO: Dispose a BannerAd object
  _bannerAd?.dispose();

  // TODO: Dispose an InterstitialAd object
  _interstitialAd?.dispose();
}

```

Step 6: Run the project and complete the game. If an interstitial ad is loaded, you'll see an interstitial ad once you click CLOSE button from the score dialog.

Add a rewarded ad

In this section, we add a rewarded ad which gives a user an additional hint as a reward.

Step 1: Open the lib/game_route.dart file

Step 2: In the _GameRouteState class, add members for a rewarded ad, and implement _loadRewardedAd() method.

```
game_route.dart > _GameRouteState
class _GameRouteState extends State<GameRoute> implements QuizEventListener {
  // TODO: Add bannerAd
  BannerAd? _bannerAd;

  // TODO: Add interstitialAd
  InterstitialAd? _interstitialAd;

  // TODO: Add rewardedAd
  RewardedAd? _rewardedAd;
```

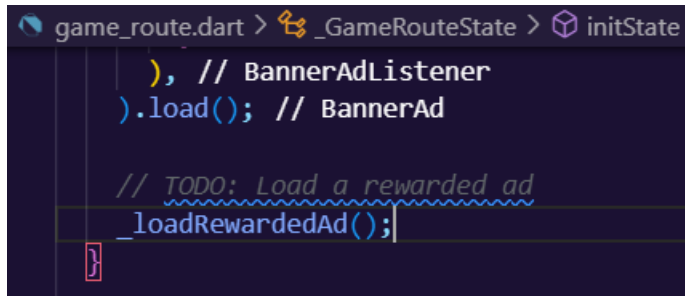
```
game_route.dart > _GameRouteState > _loadRewardedAd

// TODO: Implement LoadRewardedAd()
void _loadRewardedAd() {
  RewardedAd.load(
    adUnitId: AdHelper.rewardedAdUnitId,
    request: AdRequest(),
    rewardedAdLoadCallback: RewardedAdLoadCallback(
      onAdLoaded: (ad) {
        ad.fullScreenContentCallback = FullScreenContentCallback(
          onAdDismissedFullScreenContent: (ad) {
            setState(() {
              ad.dispose();
              _rewardedAd = null;
            });
            _loadRewardedAd();
          },
        ); // FullScreenContentCallback

        setState(() {
          _rewardedAd = ad;
        });
      },
      onAdFailedToLoad: (err) {
        print('Failed to load a rewarded ad: ${err.message}');
      },
    ), // RewardedAdLoadCallback
```


Note that it loads another rewarded ad when the ad is closed (onAdDismissedFullScreenContent) to cache the ad as early as possible.

Step 3: Call `_loadRewardedAd()` from `initState()` method to request a rewarded ad when the game starts.

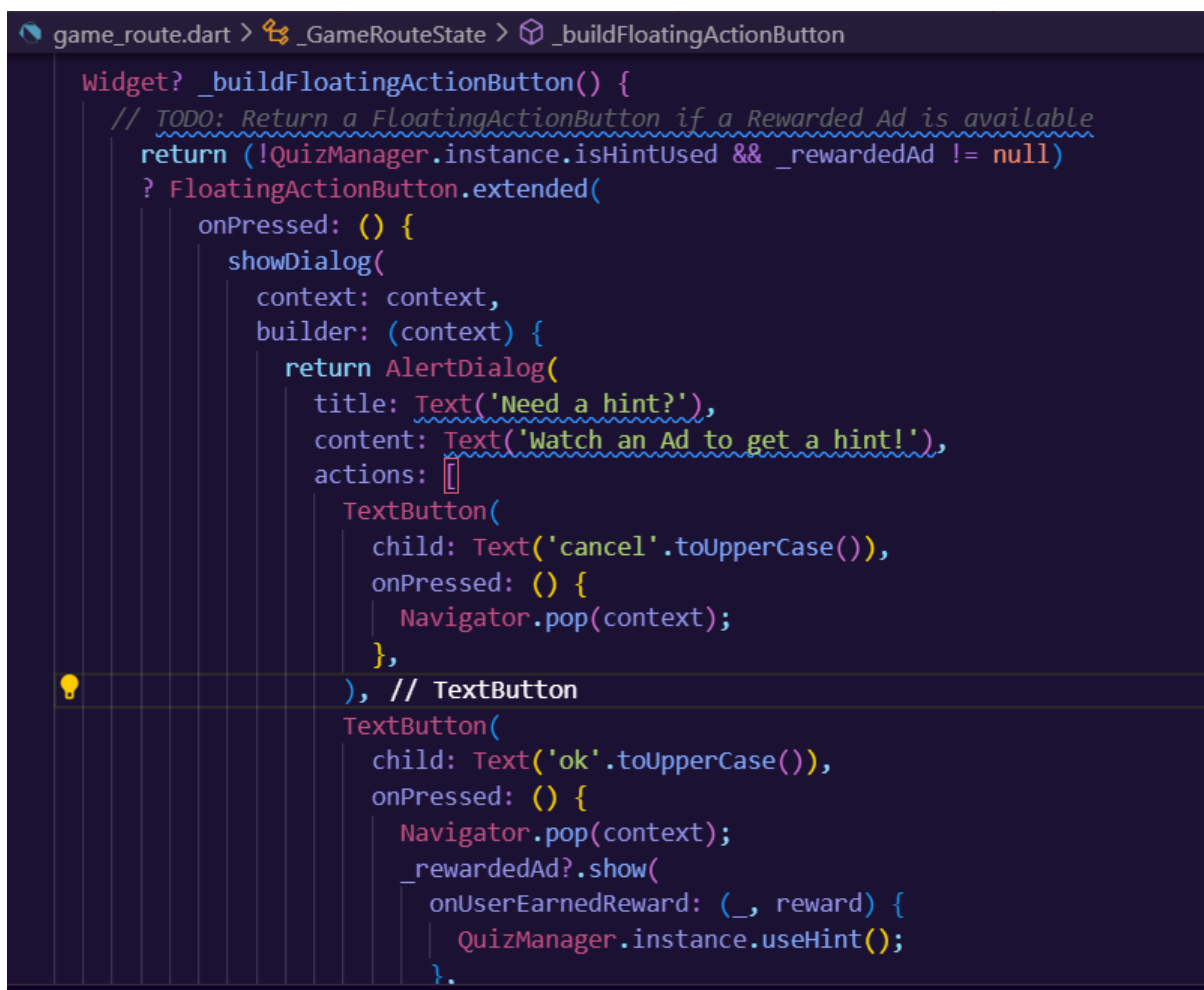


```
game_route.dart > _GameRouteState > initState
    ), // BannerAdListener
    ).load(); // BannerAd

    // TODO: Load a rewarded ad
    _loadRewardedAd();
}
```

Step 4: Allow users to watch a rewarded ad by clicking the floating action button. The button shows only if a user hasn't used a hint at the current level and a rewarded ad is loaded.

Modify the `_buildFloatingActionButton()` method, as follows, to display the floating action button. Note that returning null hides the button from the screen.

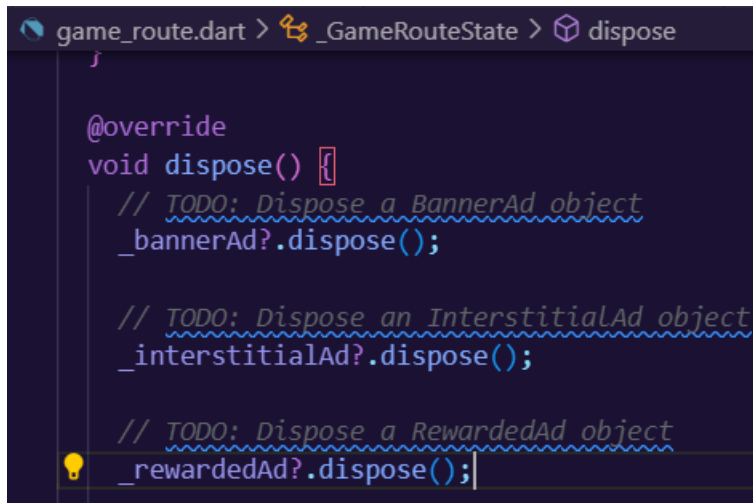


```
game_route.dart > _GameRouteState > _buildFloatingActionButton
Widget? _buildFloatingActionButton() {
  // TODO: Return a FloatingActionButton if a Rewarded Ad is available
  return (!QuizManager.instance.isHintUsed && _rewardedAd != null)
    ? FloatingActionButton.extended(
        onPressed: () {
          showDialog(
            context: context,
            builder: (context) {
              return AlertDialog(
                title: Text('Need a hint?'),
                content: Text('Watch an Ad to get a hint!'),
                actions: [
                  TextButton(
                    child: Text('cancel'.toUpperCase()),
                    onPressed: () {
                      Navigator.pop(context);
                    },
                  ), // TextButton
                  TextButton(
                    child: Text('ok'.toUpperCase()),
                    onPressed: () {
                      Navigator.pop(context);
                      _rewardedAd?.show(
                        onUserEarnedReward: (_, reward) {
                          QuizManager.instance.useHint();
                        },
                      );
                    },
                  ),
                ],
              );
            },
          );
        },
      ),
  null;
}
```

Note that `onUserEarnedReward` is the most important ad event in a rewarded ad. It's triggered when a user becomes eligible to receive a reward (for example, finished watching a video).

In this codelab, the `QuizManager.instance.useHint()` method is called from the callback, which reveals one more character in the hint string. The app reloads a rewarded ad in the `onAdClosed` callback to make sure the ad is ready as early as possible.

Step 5: Release the resource associated with the `RewardedAd` object by calling the `RewardedAd.dispose()` method in the `dispose()` callback method.



```
game_route.dart > _GameState > dispose

@override
void dispose() {
  // TODO: Dispose a BannerAd object
  _bannerAd?.dispose();

  // TODO: Dispose an InterstitialAd object
  _interstitialAd?.dispose();

  // TODO: Dispose a RewardedAd object
  _rewardedAd?.dispose();
}
```

Step 6: Run the project and play the game. Once a rewarded ad is loaded, you'll see a hint button at the bottom of the screen. Click Hint button to get an additional hint.

Testing Ads:

The application runs successfully but ads are not loaded.

We can see these messages in the terminal:



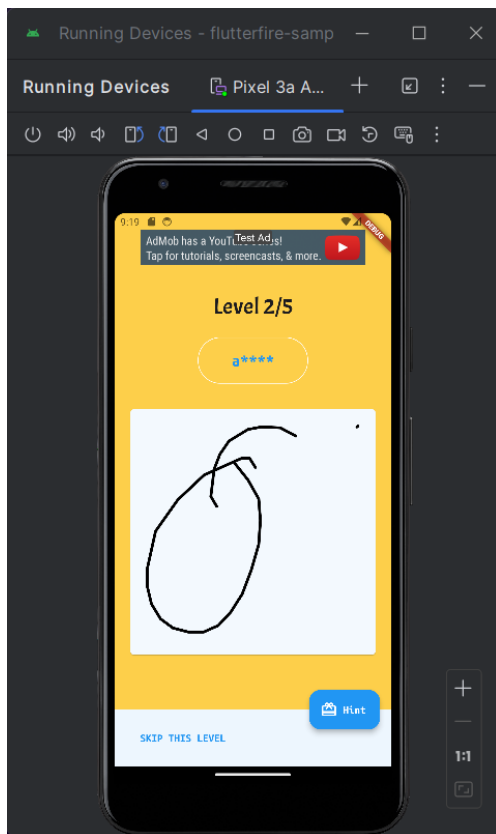
```
I/Ads (16783): This request is sent from a test device.
D/GASS (16783): Clearcut logging disabled
W/ziparchive(16783): Unable to open '/data/user/0/com.codelab.awesomedrawingquiz/cache/1689111357674.dm': No such file or directory
D/zzatj (16783): File /data/user/0/com.codelab.awesomedrawingquiz/cache/1689111357674.dex not found. No need for deletion
D/GASS (16783): Clearcut logging disabled
I/Ads (16783): This request is sent from a test device.
W/WindowOnBackDispatcher(16783): OnBackInvokedCallback is not enabled for the application.
W/WindowOnBackDispatcher(16783): Set 'android:enableOnBackInvokedCallback="true"' in the application manifest.
W/somedrawingquiz(16783): Long monitor contention with owner gads-6 (17025) at void com.google.android.gms.internal.ads.zzatx.zza() (ces-ads@22.6.0:31) waiters=0 in void com.google.android.gms.internal.ads.zzatx.zza() for 372ms
W/Ads (16783): Not retrying to fetch app settings
I/Ads (16783): Ad failed to load : 3
I/flutter (16783): Failed to load a banner ad: Publisher data not found. <https://support.google.com/admob/answer/9905175#9>
I/Ads (16783): Ad failed to load : 3
I/flutter (16783): Failed to load a rewarded ad: Publisher data not found. <https://support.google.com/admob/answer/9905175#9>
D/EGL_emulation(16783): app_time_stats: avg=1144.64ms min=2.35ms max=15741.05ms count=14
D/EGL_emulation(16783): app_time_stats: avg=408.24ms min=3.80ms max=14515.12ms count=37
I/Ads (16783): This request is sent from a test device.
I/Ads (16783): Ad failed to load : 3
I/flutter (16783): Failed to load an interstitial ad: Publisher data not found. <https://support.google.com/admob/answer/9905175#9>
D/EGL_emulation(16783): app_time_stats: avg=216.86ms min=2.58ms max=7977.46ms count=38
```

The error message "Publisher data not found" indicates that the publisher data for the ad unit cannot be found. There might be an issue with our Google AdMob account as we did not fill the payment section :

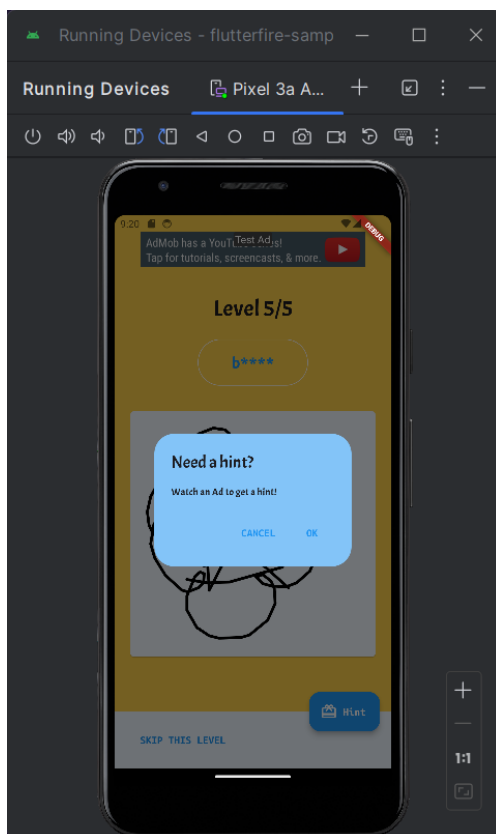


As we do not want to complete the payment configuration, we will use the testing IDs provided by the codelab.

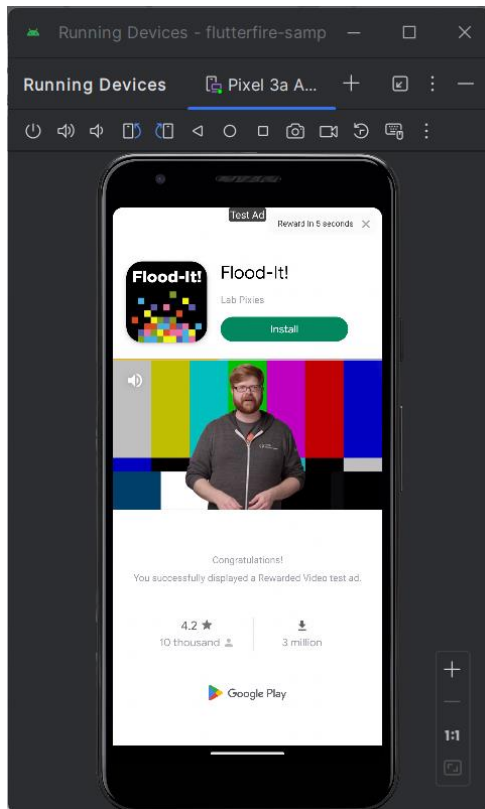
As we can see below, the banner ad appears on the top of the application.



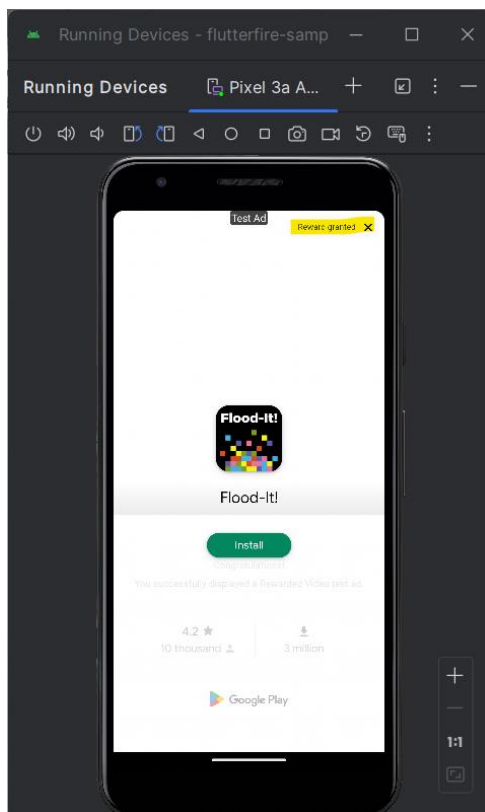
Next, upon clicking on the 'Hint' button, we can see the following pop-up window:



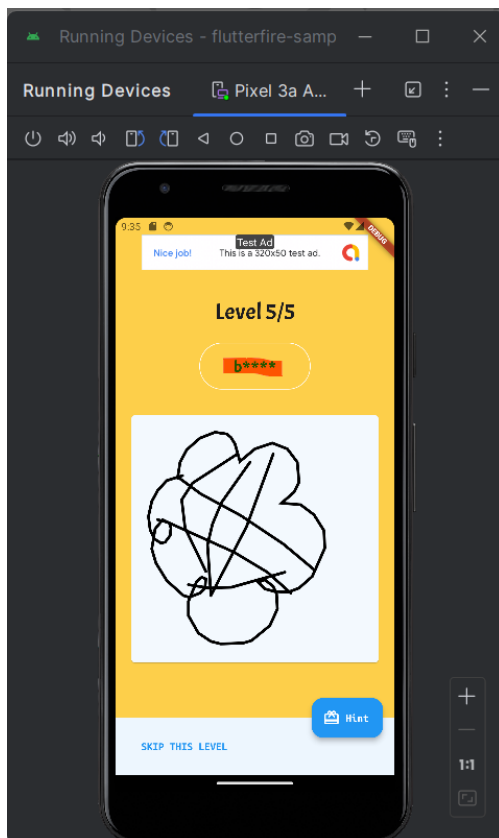
If we click 'OK', the rewarded ad is launched:



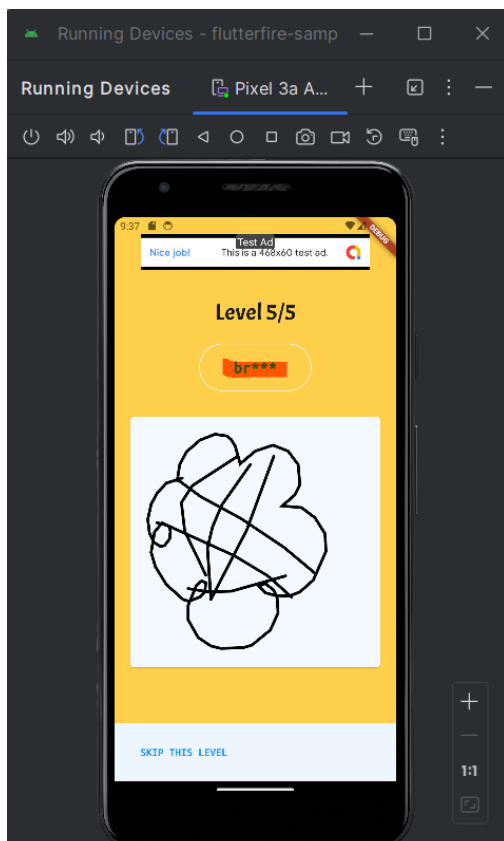
After a defined time laps, a message 'Reward granted' appears on the top right next to the close button:



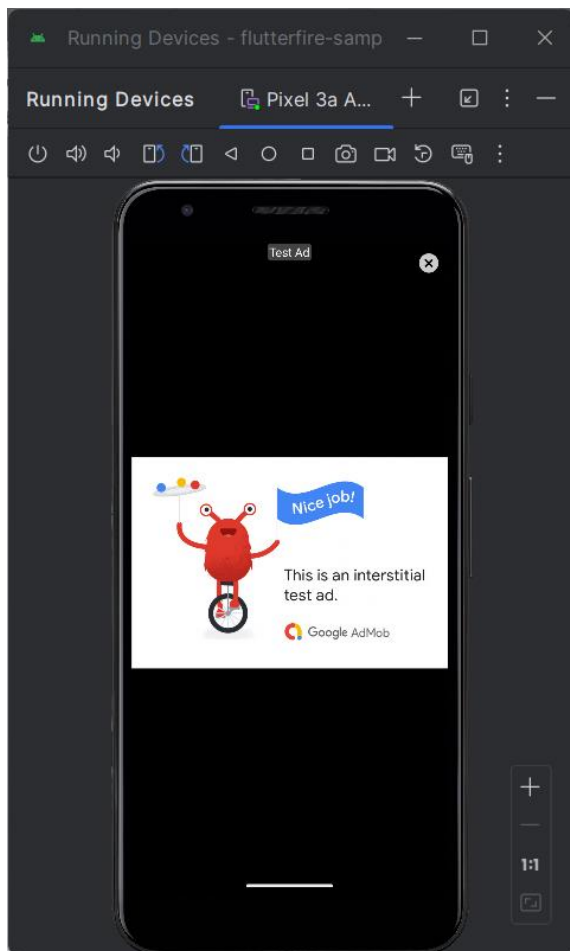
Before clicking on the 'Hint' button, highlighted in red below was the text displayed:



After the rewarded ad has been granted, we can see that a letter has been added :



When game is over, we click on the close button and the interstitial ad is loaded:



Conclusion

In conclusion, this tutorial provided a comprehensive overview of adding ads in mobile apps using Google AdMob. We covered the process of creating a Google AdMob account, setting up ad units, and implementing them in our mobile app. We discussed the various types of ads available and their constraints.

Additionally, we explored common errors that may occur during the implementation of ads and provided guidance on how to debug and resolve these issues. From account approval delays to ad unit configuration mismatches, we addressed key onboarding issues and their solutions.

Implementing ads in mobile apps can be a complex task, but with the knowledge gained from this tutorial, we are well-equipped to successfully navigate the process and maximize their app's revenue potential.

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