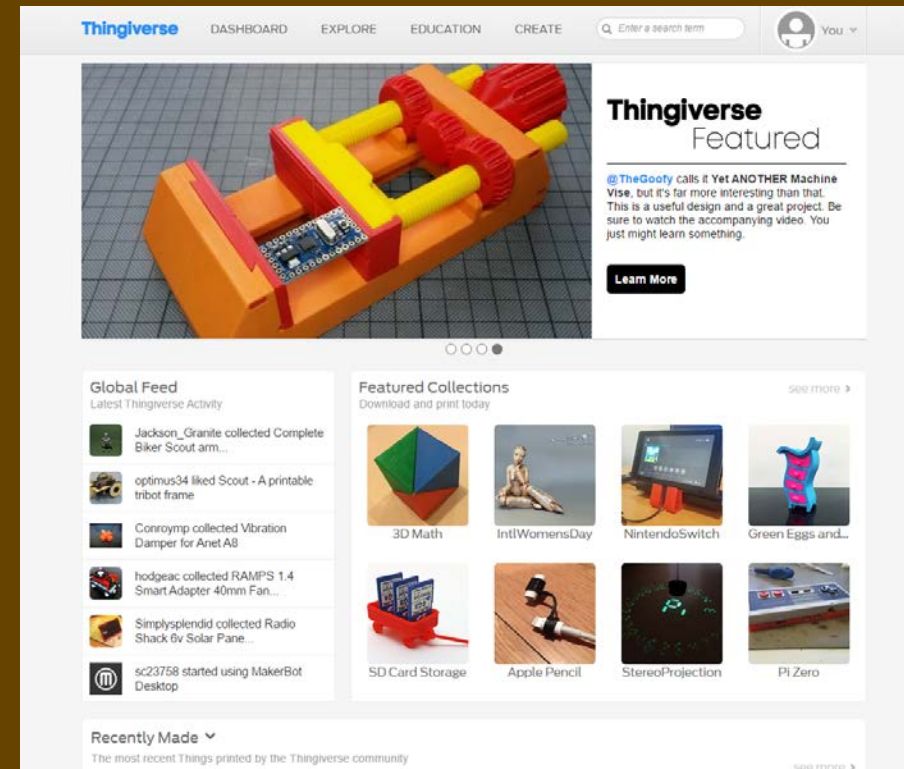# 3D PRINTING: FIND A MODEL

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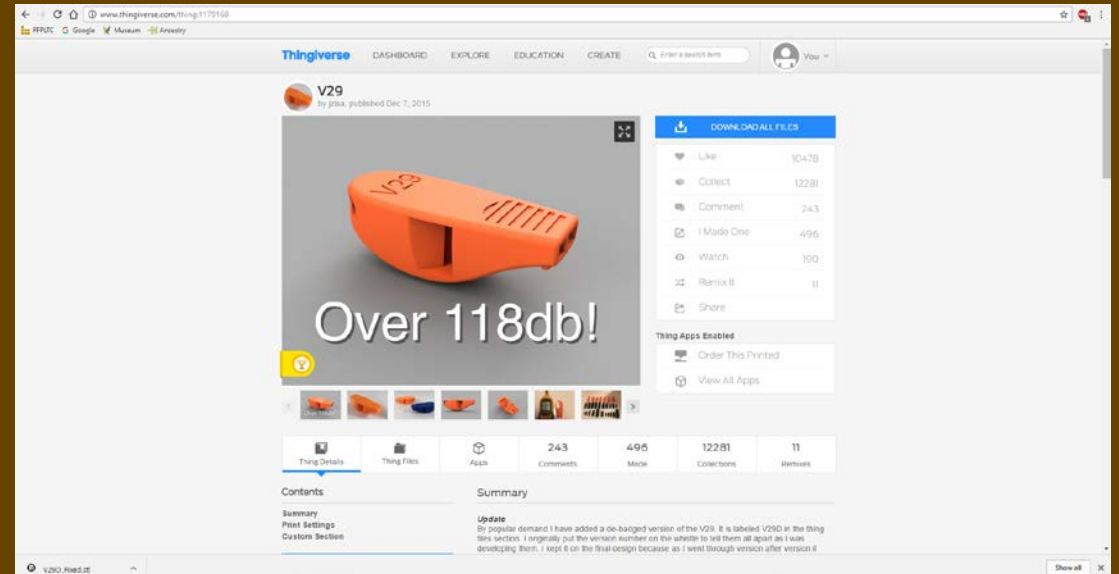
# WHERE CAN I FIND A MODEL?

- [www.thingiverse.com](http://www.thingiverse.com) is used by people to share the 3D models they create

- Click on "Featured Collections" to see popular files
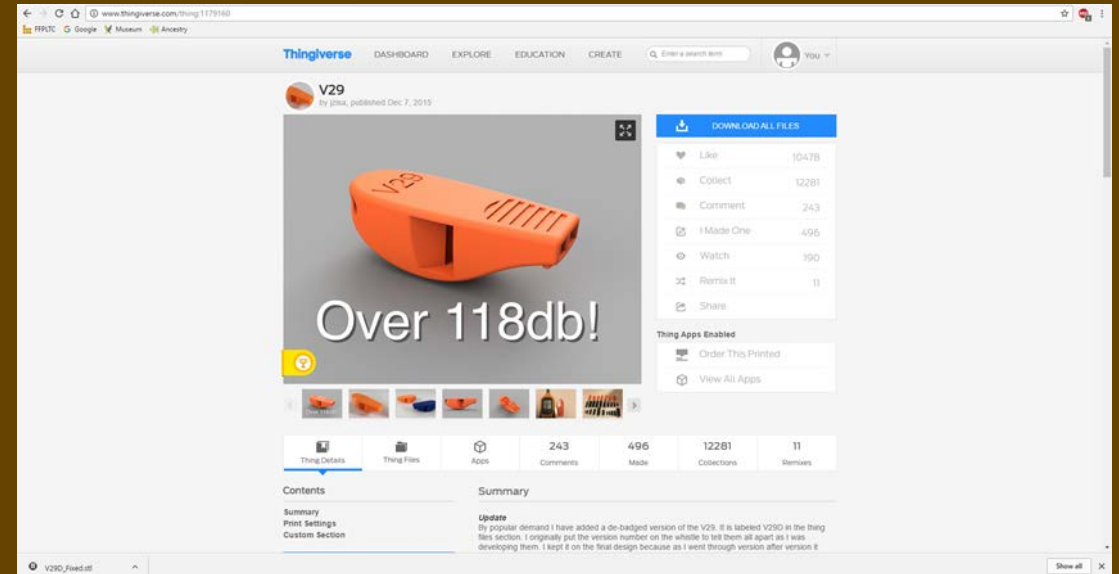
- You can also search for specific objects

# FOUND A FILE YOU LIKE?

- Click on the file you would like to print

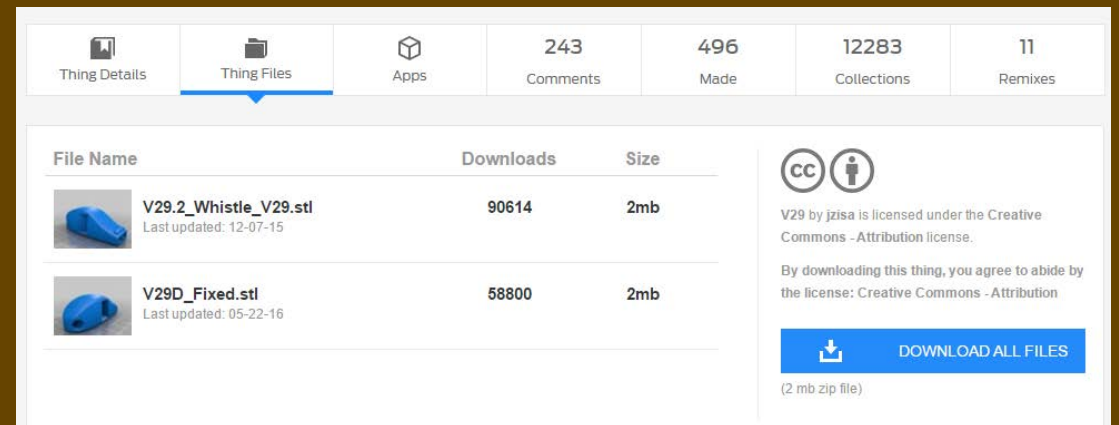- This will bring you to the option menu for the object

# OBJECT SETTINGS

- From this screen you can view comments from people who have printed the object

- There are also files inspired by this object if this file is not quite what you had in mind.

- "Thing Details" has descriptions, updates, and print settings that work best for your object

- Customizable objects have an option under "Thing Apps Enabled" to open the file in a "Customizer"



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# SAVING THE FILES

- Some objects require more than one file to be printed, and then assembled post-print

- Click on "Thing Files" to see the files that can be printed

- Decide which files you will have to save, prioritizing updated versions

- Click on the file, and save it somewhere you will remember