Google for Education EU Digital Support Fund

The Google for Education EU Digital Support Fund is designed to boost the digital competency of teachers and training staff through a high-performing, digital education ecosystem that includes infrastructure, connectivity, and digital equipment.

The Fund is available to qualifying SMEs that are supporting EU Member State national digital education transformation programs funded through the Recovery and Resilience Facility and related to the provisioning of Chromebooks (with the associated Chrome Education Upgrade license) and Google Workspace for Education. Available for the duration of the Recovery and Resilience Facility program (or until the funds have been exhausted), this initiative will address the key digital education priorities in The Digital Education Action Plan (2021–2026) – a renewed EU policy initiative to support the sustainable and effective

adaptation of education and training systems in EU Member States.

The Digital Support Fund is provided through authorized <u>Google for Education partners</u>, under the policies, procedures, and guidelines of the Google Partner Services Fund (PSF) or an equivalent program. If you represent a national or regional education authority, you may complete the <u>Digital Support Fund request form</u> and we will contact you to discuss eligibility. If you are contacting us on behalf of your client and are not already a Google for Education partner, <u>click here</u>.

Fund eligibility criteria

Eligibility is contingent upon the following conditions:

- Funds cannot be used for the purchase of Chrome hardware, Chrome Enterprise or Education Upgrade, Google Workspace for Education licencing, or 3rd party software
- Funds will be paid only to eligible, Google for Education partners supporting an EU-funded project related to the provisioning of Google Workspace for Education and Chromebooks (with the associated Chrome Education Upgrade licence)
- Funds for each project are limited to a maximum of 35% of the expected 1st year licence value of the relevant Google products¹
- Funds can only be applied to 1 workshop, 1 pilot, 1 POC, and 1 deployment per eligible project
- Other terms and conditions may apply

1. No commitment of purchase is required, but funds are awarded at Google's sole discretion and purchasing commitments may be taken into consideration.

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