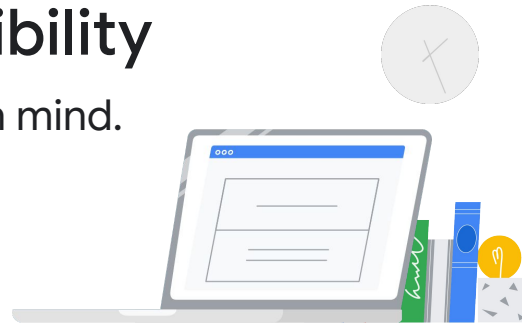


Guardian's Guide to Accessibility

Education technology with every student in mind.





Students in the same classroom learn in different ways. Here are some of the ways Google tools can help support your student at school and at home.



Built-in accessibility tools for Chromebooks and Google Workspace for Education

Help create an inclusive learning environment for your student, so they can confidently learn and collaborate.

Key:

-  Vision
-  Cognitive
-  Hearing
-  Mobility

Chromebook features

Reading mode: Use reading mode in Chrome browser to enlarge text and line height, and make viewing letters, words, and customized visuals easier.



On-screen keyboard: Type or hand write text and add images to files, documents, and emails with an on-screen keyboard.



Select-to-speak: Choose specific lines or sections of the screen to be read aloud or read all on-screen content.



Mono audio: Play the same audio through all speakers for those with differing hearing levels in each ear.



ChromeVox: Navigate content in the built-in screen reader with shortcut keys.



Keyboard settings: Access quick functionality with one tap using action buttons like the Search key or Refresh key.



Note taking: Capture, edit, and organize handwritten notes with a separate note-taking app like Cursive on ChromeOS.



Live Caption: Generate real-time and accurate captions on your Chrome browser.



Google Workspace for Education features

Screen reader: Google Workspace tools are optimized for popular screen readers so you can navigate content and collaborate.



Keyboard shortcuts: Make it easier to do everyday tasks with keyboard shortcuts, and even remap your own shortcuts within applications like Gmail.



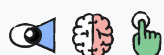
Transcription: Get an automated meeting transcript to help people with limited working memory or those who need more processing time with a paid edition of Google Workspace.



Generated transcripts in Google Meet: Get an automated meeting transcript to help people with limited working memory or those who need more processing time with a paid edition of Google Workspace.



Dictation: Write and edit content by speaking instead of typing across Google Workspace tools like Docs and Slides.



Captions: Display the speaker's words in real time in Slides, Meet, and Drive.



Closed captions: Turn on captions in Meet and Slides to view subtitles as people speak during meetings, or add caption tracks to a Drive file.



Explore our [accessibility flashcards](#) to learn more about how you can help set up your student for success.

Help every student understand how they learn best.

We've designed built-in accessibility features that enable everyone to easily customize and personalize Chrome and Google for Education tools. When students don't have to struggle with technology, it can help them gain the confidence to self-advocate, learn independently, collaborate in groups, and do their best work. Once settings are saved, any time a student signs into any device using their account, their personal preferences are there and ready to go.



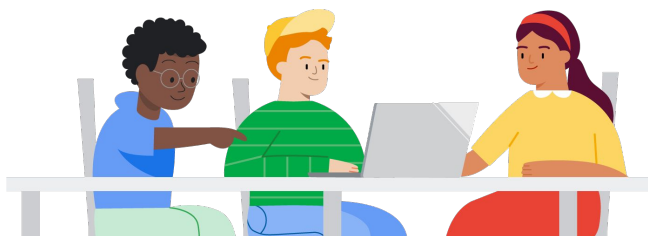
Features like **screen readers** can automatically read the descriptions of graphics, such as illustrations or diagrams, aloud for the visually impaired.



Students can quickly customize how they view content on the web with a **reading mode view in the side panel in Chrome browser**. Reading mode helps improve comprehension and make web copy accessible, with the ability to adjust text, font, size, spacing, and background colors.



With **Live Caption in Chrome**, students can automatically generate real-time captions for media with audio, like YouTube videos, and display those captions at the bottom of their screen.



Want to know more?

Here are some conversation starters:

What apps do you use to help you learn?

What technology do you use to help you learn in the classroom?

Do you use voice typing or captions in school?



For training and resources, visit our [Google Workspace](#) and [Chromebook Accessibility Help Centers](#) and watch our [video tutorials](#).



Explore the [Guardian's Guide to Tools for Children with Disabilities](#) to learn more about tools to help your child thrive.



Learn more about [Android accessibility features](#) and [how to use them](#).



Learn more about [accessibility at Google](#) and [Google for Education](#).