

### 1. What device can I use to access G Suite?

- Any internet-connected device
- Use an internet browser. The most broadly compatible browser is Google Chrome. If you do not have it installed, then download it from <https://www.google.com/chrome/>
- On [Android](#) or [Apple](#), mobile devices use the app.

### 2. How do I log in to G Suite?

- In the [staff portal](#), select 'My Learning Tools', click on G Suite (Google Apps for Education).

### 3. My @det.nsw.edu.au email won't let me in!

- For all G Suite application use your 'username@education.nsw.gov.au' to sign in. This email is only used to sign in. It does not have an 'email inbox' attached to it.

### 4. How do I get my students to log in to G Suite?

- Students will log in to their [portal](#), click on the 'show more' in the 'Learning panel'.

### 5. How do students join Google Classroom?

- When you're logged in as a teacher inside Google Classroom, click in the settings cog at the top right and scroll down to General to find your class code.
- For students - use the Class Code (from inside the teacher's Google Classroom)

Stream

Classwork

People

Marks



## General

Class code

nkynxly ▼

Stream

Students can post and comment ▼

### 6. I teach more than one class – do I need to create multiple ‘Google Classrooms’?

- Yes – you should have a separate ‘Google Classroom’ for each different group of students.
- Sign in to Google Classroom and use the ‘+’ to create more ‘classrooms’.



### 7. What is the difference between synchronous and asynchronous teaching?

- To learn about the difference between the two modes of teaching visit:  
<https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/curriculum/continuity-of-education/delivery-of-learning/delivery>

### 8. Where are all the files saved?

- Students and teachers can use the ‘Google Drive’ app inside G Suite for Education to store and save files.

### 9. Can students chat without the teacher in G Suite for Education?

- No, students cannot chat privately using G Suite tools.

### 10. Can I share a live video with my class through Google Hangouts Meet?

- Google Hangouts Meet does not currently support live teacher-to-student video. This service can be used for teacher-teacher communications, such as staff or faculty meetings

### 11. How do I message a student individually?

- send an email to the student via your DoE email address.
- post a message to an individual or a group of students in the ‘Stream’ section of Google Classroom.
- call the home phone number for the family to directly talk with the student.

### 12. Where can I learn more about G Suite for Education?

- Complete a course in LinkedIn Learning
- Open your Staff Portal, select “My Training” and click “LinkedIn Learning”. Search for “[Google Apps for Education Essential Training](#)”
- Use how-to videos in [Getting Started with Technology](#) to guide you step-by-step through the apps in G Suite for Education
- Visit the Google Training and help centre at <https://support.google.com/a/users/answer/9282958>

#### **Useful links:**

NSW DoE Support

<https://sites.google.com/education.nsw.gov.au/gettingstartedwithtechnology/home>

Getting Started Guide

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B\\_OTXR\\_u3RbbzNlVDhhc1cydGc/view](https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B_OTXR_u3RbbzNlVDhhc1cydGc/view)

Digital learning selector – Google Classroom

<https://app.education.nsw.gov.au/digital-learning-selector/LearningTool/Card/27>

Digital learning selector – Google docs

<https://app.education.nsw.gov.au/digital-learning-selector/LearningTool/Card/66>

Digital learning selector – Google drive

<https://app.education.nsw.gov.au/digital-learning-selector/LearningTool/Card/75>

Digital learning selector – Google forms

<https://app.education.nsw.gov.au/digital-learning-selector/LearningTool/Card/89>