Compare Google Workspace for Education editions

Google Workspace for Education Fundamentals

Provide your school community with a suite of easy-to-use tools to build a flexible and secure foundation for learning, collaboration, and communication – all in one place.
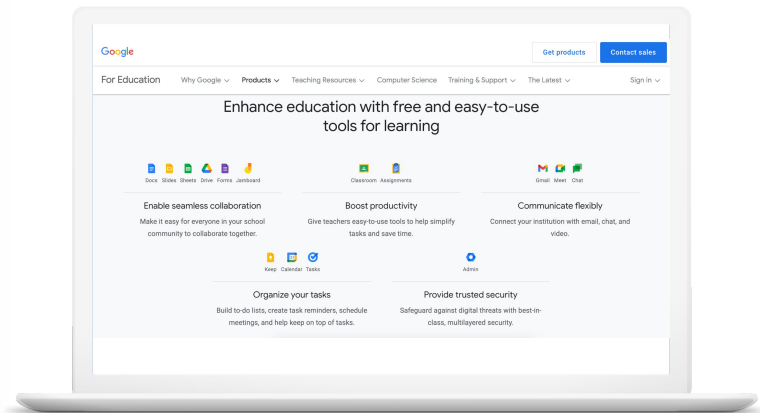
Key highlights

Collaborate in real time with Docs, Sheets, Slides, Sites, and Jamboard.

Help educators save time managing their classes with Classroom and Assignments.

Communicate virtually from anywhere with Google Meet, Chat, and Gmail.

Benefit from multilayered, built-in security with automated capabilities that simplify security management.

Protect your institution with data and compliance practices that meet rigorous privacy and security requirements like FERPA, COPPA, and GDPR – and include third-party audits.

Storage: 100 TB of pooled cloud storage shared by your institution

Cost: This the current free edition for schools

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Google Workspace for Education Standard

Building on Education Fundamentals, this edition helps schools proactively enhance their security with the visibility and controls they need to make their digital learning environments safer.
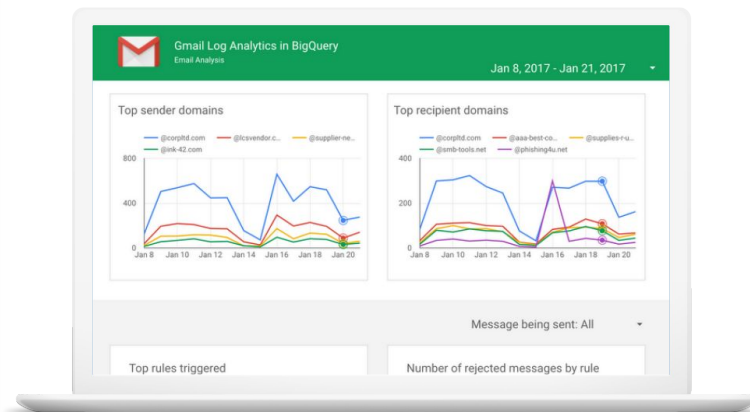
Key highlights

Prevent, detect, and remediate threats with the security center, including the dashboards, health page, and investigation tool.

Manage devices and apps centrally to perform audits and enforce rules.

Gain more insights with Gmail and Classroom logs that you can export for analysis in BigQuery.

Track usage across your domain with audit logs for Drive, devices, LDAPs, and more.

Storage: Receive the same storage as Education Fundamentals – 100 TB of pooled cloud storage that's shared across your institution.

Cost: Contact realsmart for price per student per year – receive one staff license for every four student licenses purchased. Requires a whole school license.

Teaching and Learning Upgrade

Building on Education Fundamentals or Education Standard, this edition adds enhanced educator tools to enrich communication and learning experiences, and integrated tools for classroom efficiency.
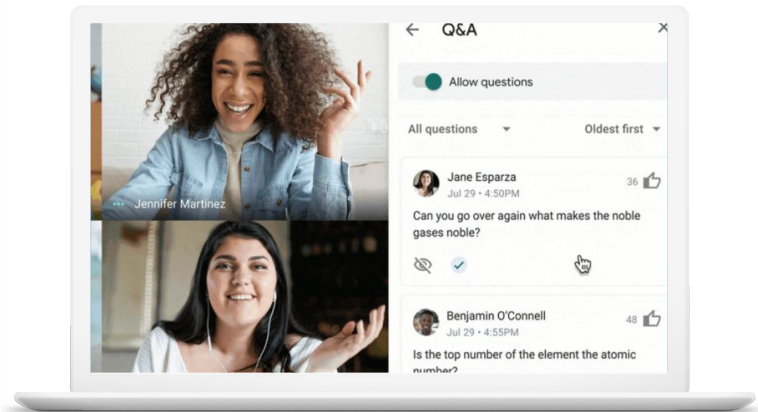
Key highlights

Connect with Google Meet – host a meeting for up to 250 participants or live stream with up to 10,000 viewers.

Improve learning engagement in Google Meet with breakout rooms, attendance tracking, interactive Q&As, polls, live-translated captions, automatic transcriptions, and recordings.

Integrate your favorite third-party tools using Classroom add-ons, including IXL, Pear Deck, Kahoot!, and Nearpod.*

Transform new and existing teaching content into interactive assignments using practice sets in Classroom.*

Get unlimited originality reports and check for student matches across a private repository of past student submissions.

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Storage: Receive an additional 100 GB for each paid license on top of the 100 TB of pooled cloud storage that's shared across your institution.

Cost: Contact realsmart for price per staff license per year

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Google Workspace for Education Plus

This comprehensive edition includes all the enhanced security features and tools from Education Standard and the Teaching and Learning Upgrade, and more. It provides the most comprehensive learning environment for your school community.

Key highlights

Connect with Google Meet – host a meeting with up to 500 participants and live stream with up to 100,000 viewers.

Reinforce concepts with writing and analysis assistance in Docs and Sheets.

Make information more accessible and easy to find with your Cloud Search.
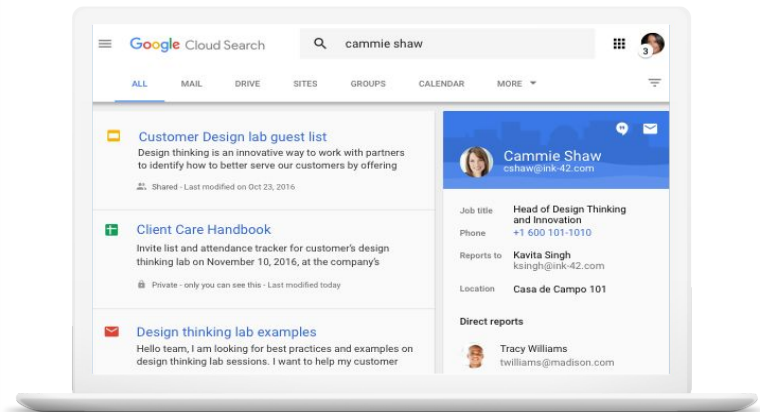
Create and manage classes at scale by syncing Classroom roster. Transform new and existing content into interactive assignments with Practice sets

Build custom apps with AppSheet Core – no coding required.

Get priority responses from a team of education specialists.

Storage: Receive an additional 20 GB for each paid license on top of the 100 TB of pooled cloud storage that's shared across your institution.

Cost: Contact realsmart for price per student per year – receive one staff license for every four student licenses purchased. Requires a whole school license.