Google for Education

Dear Families and Guardians,

We want to share with you training videos and resources made by Google for Education on the technologies your child is using in the classroom. This toolkit discusses the Google products we use, best practices for family engagement, and an FAQ with the most frequently asked tech questions to help your child best navigate the technologies being used.

The Tech Toolkit for Families and Guardians contains...

Google for Education Video Series

This YouTube playlist explains the technologies your child is using in their classroom and how it is relevant to Families and Guardians. In quick videos, Google Innovators, Trainers, and GEG Leaders dive into how students are using these products and features in the classroom, and what you need to know. This playlist covers G Suite for Education, Google Classroom, Google Meet, Chromebooks, Accessibility, and Security features. For more information, the Global GEG Leaders have also created a series with step by step guides on specific features within Google's products.

Google Terms Glossary

The Google Terms Glossary covers various Google products that teachers may use in their classroom. There are product names and descriptions of how the products are being used by students, such as Google Classroom, Google Meet, and more. We've made this glossary simple and easy to read, so that you can get a brief overview of the digital technologies your child could be using.

Best Practices for Family Engagement

Here you will find the best practices for Families and Guardians to stay engaged with their child's education, with input from teachers around the world. Learn more about healthy habits on checking with the teacher and staying updated on your child's progress.

Tech FAQ

This Tech FAQ answers the most frequently asked questions on the technologies kids are using in the classroom and issues you may run into at home. This FAQ provides quick answers, guides, and resources to help solve any tech problems you may be experiencing.

These tools are made to break down the technologies used to make learning at home easier and focused on your child's educational experience. For more information, you can also check out the Guardian's Guides which dive deeper into each product.

Digital well-being and online safety are both very important as your child uses digital technologies in school, and we want to make sure families and guardians are a part of the conversation. Here are some more resources to help your child practice being a good online citizen of the internet:

Family Link | Family Online Safety Institute | Connect Safely
Be Internet Awesome | Common Sense Media

Looking forward to a great year of learning!