



# The Parents' Guide to Google Classroom

# What is Google Classroom?

Think of Google Classroom (GC) as your child's digital link to learning.

Teachers use GC to share assignments, homework, newsletters, and much more with students AND parents!



# Getting Started



Your child was provided with a secure login and password that is unique to them.

Check with his/her teacher to obtain this private information OR ask them to add you as a parent via email!

# Getting Started



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Click on the Google Chrome browser icon.

\*Chromebooks run on the Chrome Operating system, on Macs or Windows you must click on the Chrome icon.

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2 Type [www.google.com](http://www.google.com) into your web address bar, if you are not using a Chromebook.

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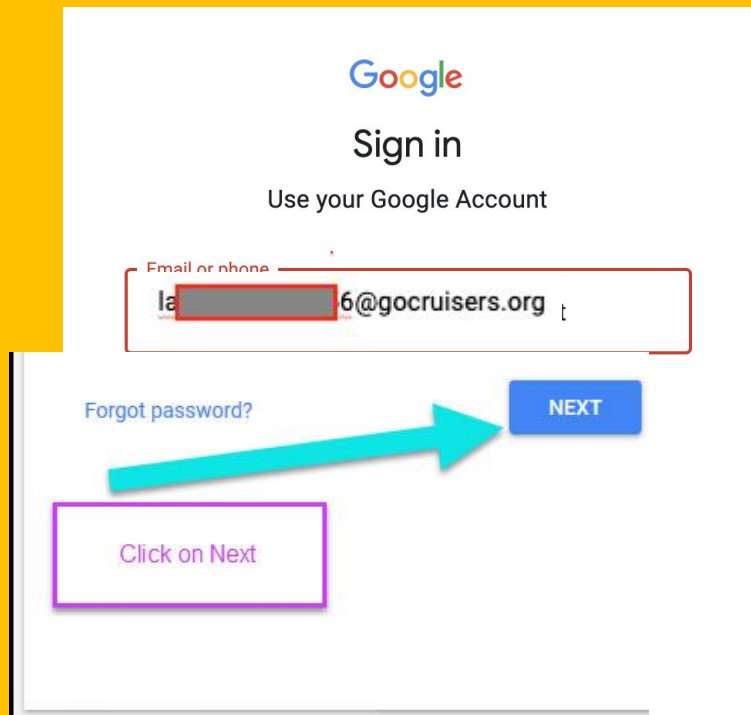
Click on **SIGN IN** in the upper right hand corner of the browser window.

# Getting Started

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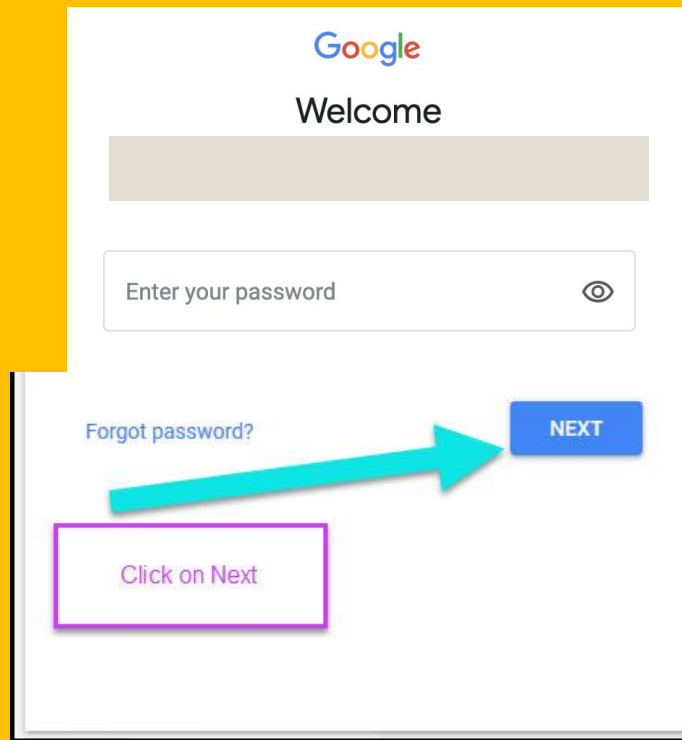
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Type in your child's  
**Google Email address**  
& click "next."



The screenshot shows the Google Sign in interface. At the top is the Google logo, followed by 'Sign in' and 'Use your Google Account'. Below this is a text input field labeled 'Email or phone' containing the text 'la[redacted]6@gocruisers.org'. To the left of the input field is a link for 'Forgot password?'. To the right is a blue button labeled 'NEXT'. A large cyan arrow points from the 'NEXT' button to a purple-bordered box at the bottom left containing the text 'Click on Next'.

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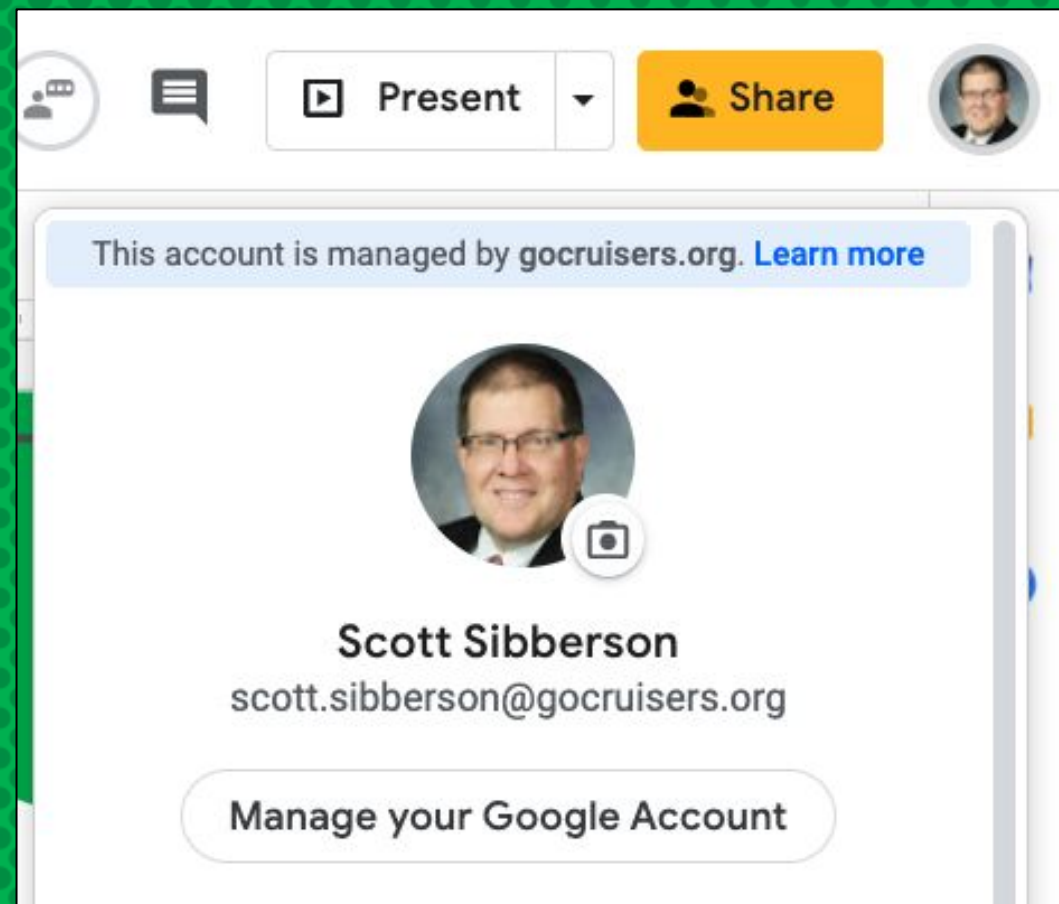


A screenshot of the Google login page. At the top is the Google logo and the word "Welcome". Below this is a grey rectangular box for the email address. Underneath is a password input field with the placeholder text "Enter your password" and an eye icon to toggle visibility. To the left of the password field is a link that says "Forgot password?". To the right of the password field is a blue button labeled "NEXT". A large cyan arrow points from a purple-bordered box containing the text "Click on Next" to the "NEXT" button.

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Type in your  
**PASSWORD**  
& click "**next.**"

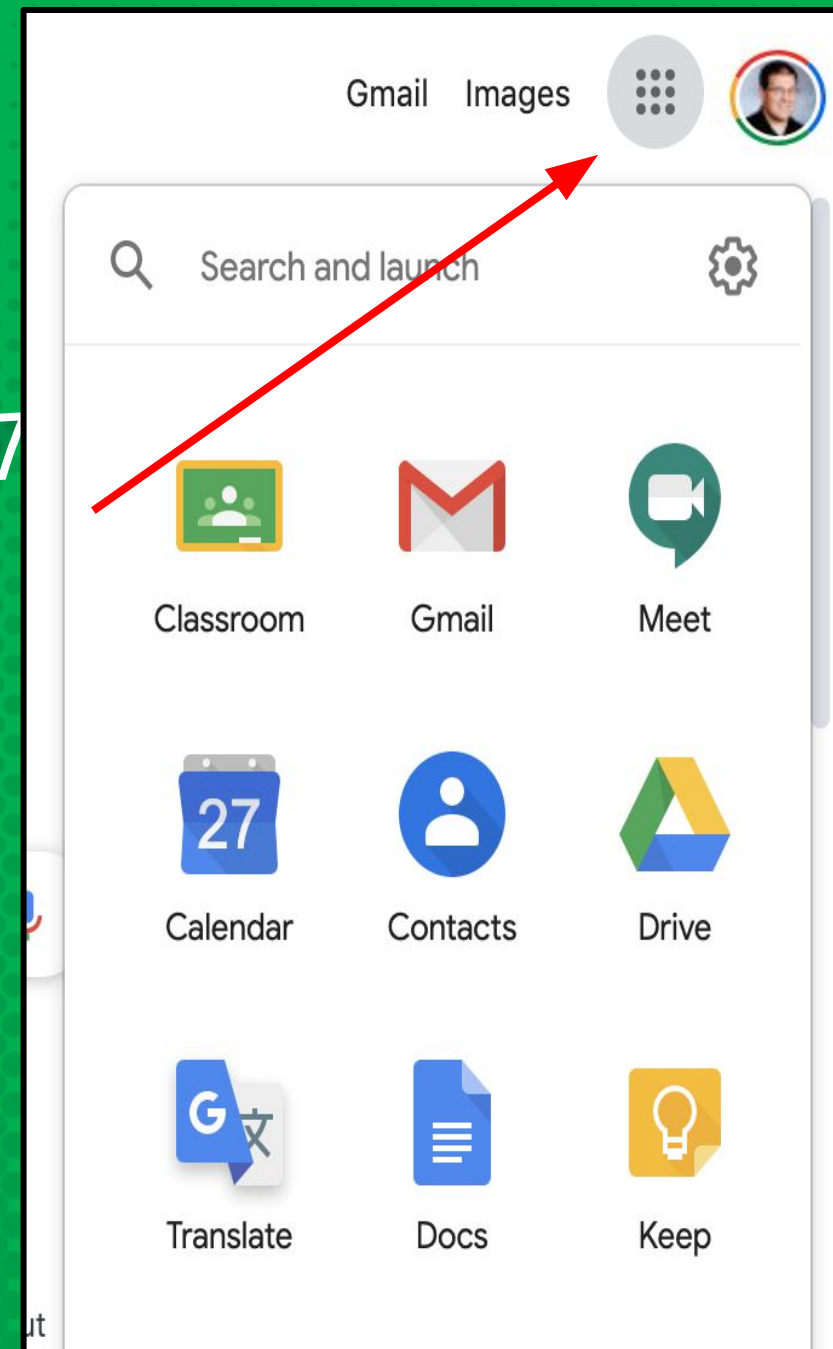




***NOW YOU'LL SEE***  
that you are signed in to  
your Google Apps for  
Education account!

# GOOGLE SUITE

Click on the 9 squares  
(Waffle/Rubik's Cube) icon in the  
top right hand corner to see  
the Google Suite of Products!



# GOOGLE ICONS TO RECOGNIZE:



CHROME



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DRIVE



SLIDES



SHEETS



FORMS



CALENDAR



GMAIL



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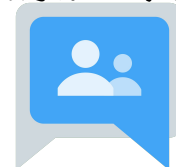
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VAULT



MY ACCOUNT



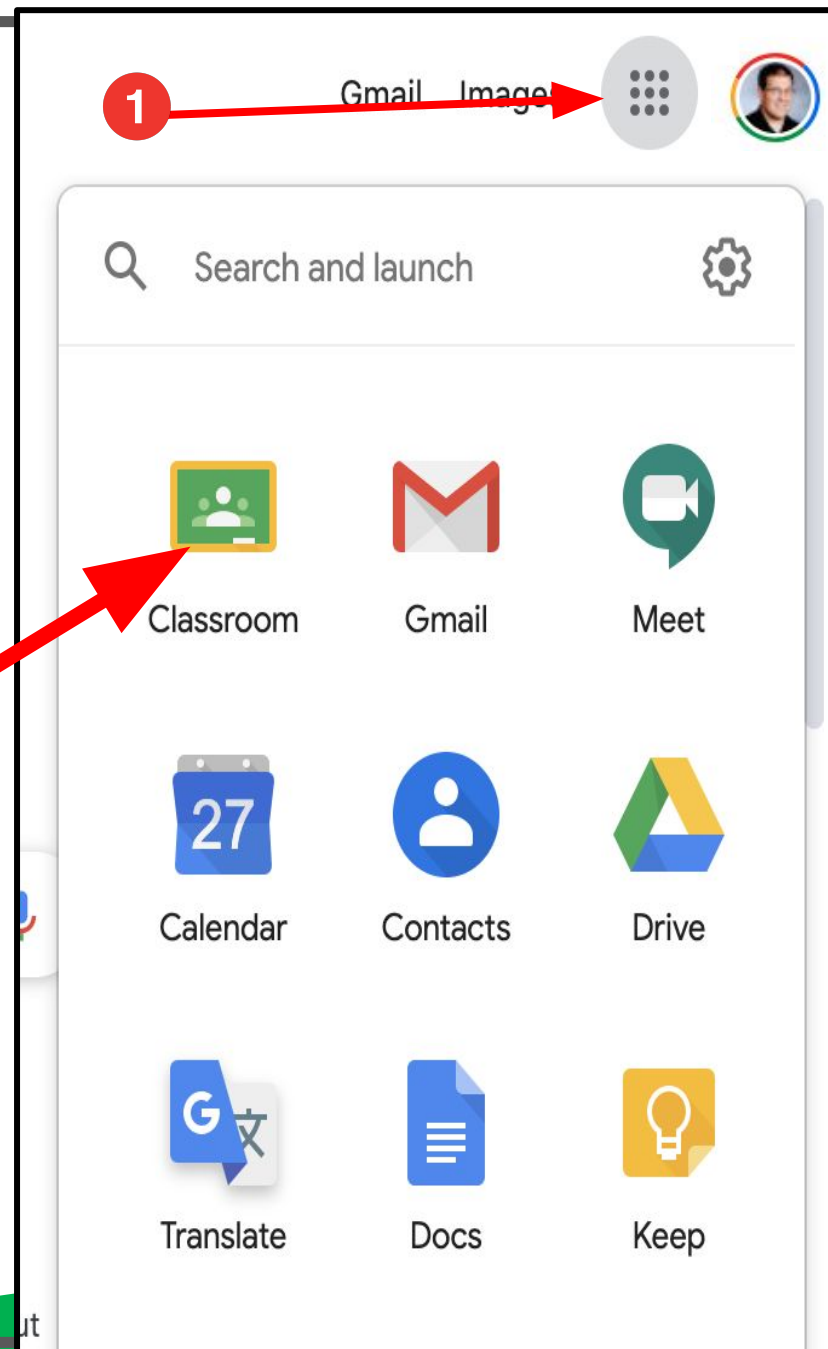
GROUPS

# Navigating Classroom

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Click on the waffle button and then the Google Classroom icon.

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# Navigating Classroom

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Click on the class you wish to view.

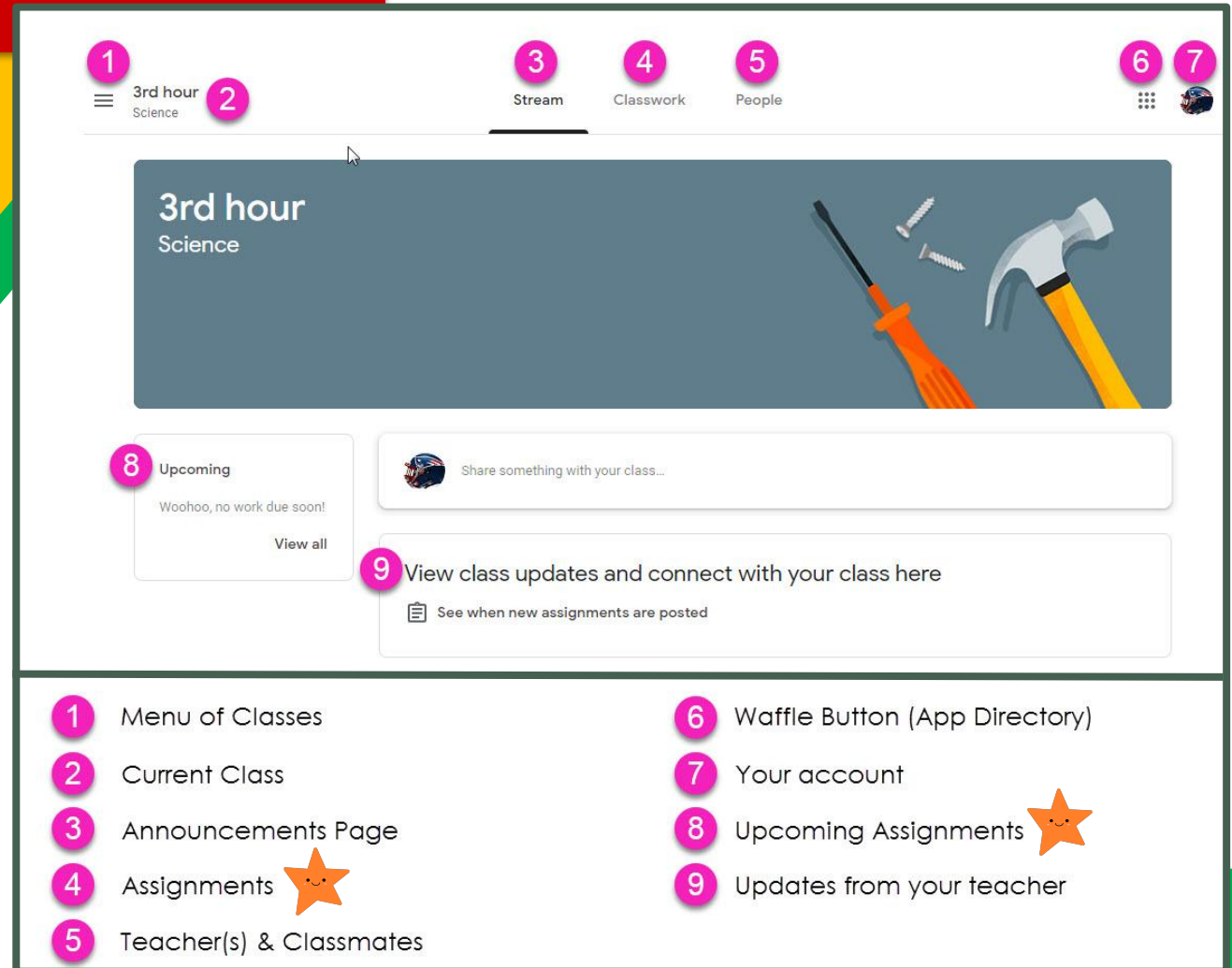


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 = High Interest for Parents

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Page tools  
(Left side)



The screenshot shows the Classroom app interface. At the top, there's a navigation bar with icons for Menu of Classes (1), Current Class (2), Stream (3), Classwork (4), People (5), Waffle Button (6), and Your account (7). Below this is a header for the '3rd hour Science' class. The main content area shows an 'Upcoming' section (8) with a message 'Woohoo, no work due soon!' and a 'View all' link. Below that is a section for 'View class updates and connect with your class here' (9) with a toggle for 'See when new assignments are posted'. A sharing box is also visible.

- 1 Menu of Classes
- 2 Current Class
- 3 Announcements Page
- 4 Assignments 
- 5 Teacher(s) & Classmates
- 6 Waffle Button (App Directory)
- 7 Your account
- 8 Upcoming Assignments 
- 9 Updates from your teacher



# Navigating Classroom

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Assignment  
details

The screenshot shows the Classroom interface with the following elements and callouts:

- 1** Classwork Tab
- 2** View your work
- 3** Google Calendar
- 4** Class Drive folder
- 5** All topics
- 6** Benchmark Tests
- 7** For the Week of September 2 - 6
- 8** Due Today
- 9** Assigned
- 10** Attached files/links
- 11** View Assignment

The interface displays the following content:

- Stream
- Classwork
- People
- View your work
- Google Calendar
- Class Drive folder
- All topics
- Benchmark Tests
- Daily Lesson Files
- Assessments
- Back to School
- Resources
- Benchmark Tests
- STAR Math Benchmark Test - BOY
- Due Sep 3
- Daily Lesson Files
- For the Week of September 2 - 6
- Due Today
- Assigned
- Posted Sep 3
- Monday - NO SCHOOL (Labor Day)
- Tuesday - Multistep Equations (Also STAR Math Benchmark)
- Wednesday - Variables on Both Sides
- Thursday - Infinite & No Solution Equations
- Friday - Algebraic Proportions
- Day 1 - Multistep Equatio... PDF
- Day 2 - Variables on Both... PDF
- Day 3 - Infinite & No Solu... PDF
- Day 4 - Algebraic Propo... PDF
- View Assignment

1 Classwork Tab

2 See your Grades

3 See Due Dates

4 View your files

5 Topics available

6 Topic Headings

7 Assignment Title

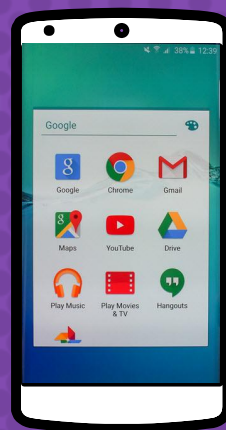
8 Assignment Due Date

9 Assignment Status

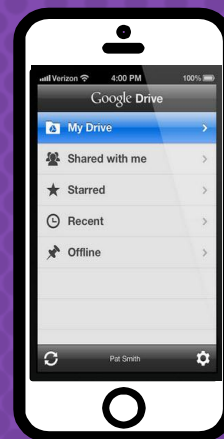
10 Attached files/links

11 Click to view assignment

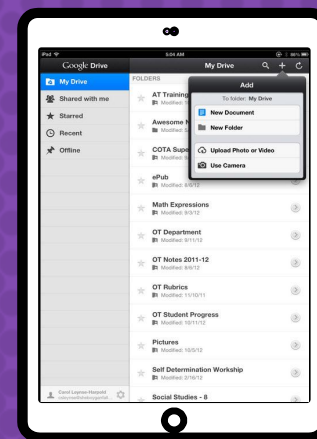
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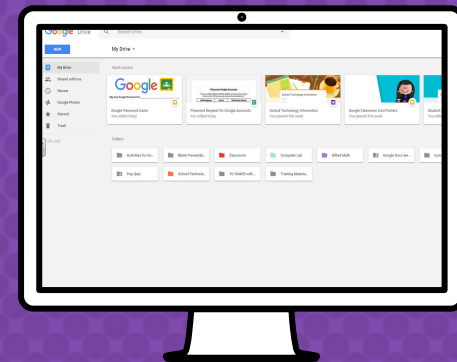
**ANDROID**



**IPHONE**



**TABLET**



**DESKTOP**





# GOOGLE APPS

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allow you to edit Google  
assignments from  
any device that is connected  
to the internet!



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# QUESTIONS?

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