



"Compared to other notebooks there is no software to install, there is no imaging that needs to be done. The less administrative overhead and burden you have to manage the computers, the more computers you can put out in the classroom and sustain and maintain over time."

 Matthew Peskay, director of Technology, KIPP Schools LA

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Chromebooks for Education

Chromebooks for Education give students, teachers, and administrators a simple solution for fast and easy-to-manage computing. Chromebooks provide students with access to the web's vast education and collaboration resources. For the administrators, Chromebooks offer centralized device management and a low total cost of ownership.

Using Chromebooks, teachers spend more time teaching and less time managing classroom technology.

Perfect for the classroom (and beyond)

Chromebooks improve teaching and learning by eliminating the distraction of technology challenges. They boot in less than 10 seconds and resume instantly – eliminating the typical downtime wasted while traditional computers start up and connect to a network. A battery life of over 6 hours means Chromebooks last an entire school day. And since it's easy to connect a Chromebook anytime and anywhere with built-in Wi-Fi or 3G, students can continue learning after school and at home. Applications, school work, and settings are stored on the web, so multiple students can use the same Chromebook and still have their own personalized experience when they sign in. Best of all, there is no special training required: if you know how to use a web browser, you know how to use a Chromebook.

Easy to manage

With just a few clicks, administrators can update settings for the entire fleet of Chromebooks – whatever the size – pushing or removing web applications and enforcing safe-browsing policies for all users. Automatic updates keep the operating system and applications fresh, with no need for tedious backups, security patches, data migration, or re-imaging. Chromebooks run Chrome OS, from Google, the first commercial operating system designed to protect against the ongoing threat of viruses and malware, which means computers, users, and networks are safer without any manual system maintenance.

With all the educational resources of the web

Chromebooks are built and optimized for the web. This means that Chromebooks seamlessly integrate with the Google Apps suite of tools (available free to schools), web apps in the Chrome Web Store, and of course content across the entire web. Chromebooks even run flash-based educational tools.

For a low price

Devices start at \$249 for Wi-Fi only. But Chromebooks for Education don't simply include the hardware and the operating system, which updates automatically. For an additional \$30 per device, Google will also provide the ability to remotely manage users, apps, and policies across your entire fleet of devices via a central web-based management console. The price also includes 24/7 support directly from Google and a limited warranty. This solution eliminates tedious, time-intensive maintenance tasks like imaging, installing patches, and data recovery. And because schools no longer need to purchase the same software licenses, servers, security solutions, and maintenance plans, the total cost of owning a Chromebook can be 70% lower than the ownership costs for a traditional computer.

