

Google Apps for Education

Parent Information

What is Google Apps for Education and why does my child have this?

Google Apps for Education is an online software program that provides students with access to Google Applications and storage space for their personal use in the public cloud.

Who can send or receive e-mail to or from the student's account?

Students: can only send and receive e-mail from other users within the GICSD Google Domain, to include Grand Island faculty, staff and students.

What can students store in their Google Drive?

Students have unlimited storage space in their Google Drive where they can keep documents. "All documents in electronic storage areas will be treated like school lockers. This means that such areas shall be considered to be School District property subject to control and inspection". (BOE Policy #7315)

How does my child access Google Apps for Education?

The accounts are tied to a valid Google Apps for Education login for students. The district will set up this login with parental permission.

How long can my child access this?

They have access until they graduate or stop attending the school district or until directed to stop by the parent/guardian.

What if my child needs assistance while they are using Google Apps for Education at home?

They can access the Google help info.