

Tips for Navigating Your Child's Online Learning

Switching to online learning has been a steep learning curve for everyone. Here are some links to videos, tutorials, and websites that will help you understand the technology and use it to help your kids.

Getting started: Likely your student has been using Google Classroom for a while but if you're looking for things like where new assignments, due dates, and the turn-it-in button are, this is helpful:

How to use Google Classroom: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7CSw-rZ1Bw>

If your student needs support listening to written online text, download the extension Read and Write for Google. Here is a tutorial on how to use it: <https://sites.google.com/edu.ecsd.net/ecsdreadandwrite/the-tool-bar> There are some ways it uses screen limiting for kids who have trouble paying attention and highlights texts to make it easier to follow along.

Another way kids have been creating text is by using Voice Typing. Here is a link: <https://www.howtogeek.com/399757/how-to-use-voice-typing-in-google-docs/>

As always, feel free to contact your child's teacher if you have any questions. Good luck and take care!