



Parent and Student Guide to Google Classroom

What is Google Classroom?

Google Classroom is a great resource to assist with at home learning. Teachers can use Google Classroom to send announcements to entire classes, share resources, course notes, diagrams, and homework. Students can use it to access work sent by the teacher. Parents can use some of the features of Google Classroom to help engage with and support their child in their home study. It is a free resource that can be accessed from any device connected to the internet - laptops, desktop computers, Chromebooks, tablets or mobile phones.

Accessing Google Classroom

Google Classroom is accessed using the mobile apps (Android and iOS), or via a web browser by visiting <http://classroom.google.com>

Students sign in using their @bromstoneprimary.co.uk address.

Once your child has logged in, they will see the class overview page. From here they can see all of their classes and assignments.

3 Stream shows a list of posts made to the classroom by teachers. This includes announcements, questions and homework/assignments.



1 Menu of Classes
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5 Teacher(s) & Classmates
6 Waffle Button (App Directory)
7 Your account
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1 Classwork Tab
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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

Classwork provides assignment details

Submitting homework online

Homework can be submitted directly within Google Classroom. To open homework assignments go to classroom.google.com.

- 1) Click a class, click **Classwork** and click **View assignment**.
- 2) To attach an item: Under Your work, click **Add** or **Create** and click Google Drive, Link, or File.
- 3) Click **Turn In** and **Confirm**. The status of the assignment changes to Turned in.

The screenshot shows the Google Classroom interface. At the top, the 'Classwork' tab is selected and highlighted with a pink box. Below the navigation bar, the assignment 'Mentoring and Teaching Venn Diagram' is displayed. The assignment details include the title, a due date of 'No due date', and the text: 'Read page 72 of the Mentoring and Coaching Notebook. What do you believe are the similarities and differences between being an effective teacher and an effective mentor? Please create a Venn Diagram using this Google Drawing found in the Google Classroom.' Below the text is a preview of a Google Drawing titled 'How are mentoring and t...' with a red arrow pointing to it. A pink circle with the number '1' is placed over the 'View assignment' link. On the right side, the 'Your work' section shows the assignment status as 'Assigned' and lists the user 'Bonnie Martinez' with a pink circle with the number '2' over the '+ Add or create' button. Below this is a 'Turn in' button with a pink circle with the number '3' over it. The 'Private comments' section is also visible at the bottom right.

Once the homework has been marked by the teacher, you can see the given score and any comments made by the teacher by opening the homework task as before.

You can find out more about Google Classroom at <https://support.google.com/edu/classroom/>