

Dear Parents and Guardians,

MCPS teachers may utilize a variety of supplemental online digital tools to reinforce the district’s instructional program. In the list below, you will find supplemental tools that may be used by teachers. These tools have been evaluated to be safe for student use and are consistent with federal laws on student data privacy.

ABC Mouse	Flipgrid	Playposit	Splash Math
ABCya	Freckle Math	Poll Everywhere	Splice
BookCreator	Goosechase	Powtoon	Storyboard That
Canva	HP Reveal	Prodigy	Thinglink
ClassDojo	Insta360 ONE X	Quizalize	Toontastic
Code.org	Kahoot	Quizizz	Typing Club
CoSpaces EDU	Khan Academy	Quizlet	Unity
Desmos	Menti/Mentimeter	Scratch	UnStuck
Doodle Buddy	Opinion	Scratch Jr.	Wixie
Edpuzzle	Padlet	Screencastify	XtraMath
Educreations	Pear Deck	Seesaw	
Epic!	Playground Physics	Socrative	

MCPS requests your consent to allow your student to use the supplemental tools listed above, as these tools may collect personally identifiable student information, such as first and last name, classroom teacher, or grade level. This information is typically collected by online digital tools to enable use of the tool and to track student progress.

Descriptions of the above supplemental tools are provided on the following pages. Links to each supplemental tool’s terms of service and privacy policy, as well as additional information on MCPS’ data privacy practices, are available on the [MCPS Data Privacy and Security website](#)¹.

If you choose not to provide consent for your student to use the above tools, alternative instructional activities will be provided.

Yes, I consent to my student’s use of the supplemental online digital tools listed above

No, I do not consent to my student’s use of the supplemental online digital tools listed above

Student Name:

Student ID Number:

Parent/Guardian Name:

Parent/Guardian Signature:

Date:

Tool

Description

¹ Data Privacy and Security website: <http://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/data-privacy-security/>



Helps kids learn to read through phonics, and teaches lessons in math, social studies, art, music, and more

[ABC Mouse](#)



Educational games for all content areas

[ABCya](#)



Ebook creator for iPads

[BookCreator](#)



Create logos, flyers, icons, presentations, and more

[Canva](#)



Teachers can connect with students and their parents/guardians to build classroom communities

[ClassDojo](#)



Online digital tool that enables a student to create and access VR content.

[CoSpaces EDU](#)



Encourages students to learn computer science through coding lessons

[Code.org](#)



Students can graph functions, plot data, evaluate equations, and explore mathematical transformations

[Desmos](#)



Students can use whiteboard, text, and drawing tools to create meaning from words and build sentences

[Doodle Buddy](#)



[Edpuzzle](#)

Teachers can use videos and questions to track student comprehension



[Educreations](#)

Students can create little movies to reflect on learning and use to improve communication skills



[Epic!](#)

Access to tens of thousands of books, learning videos, and quizzes



[Flipgrid](#)

Teachers can pose questions for which students post video responses and facilitate video discussions



[Freckle Math](#)

Adaptive tool to help students practice their math skills across different topics



[Goosechase](#)

Scavenger hunt creator



[HP Reveal](#)

Augmented Reality application that students and teachers can use to develop and access AR content



[Insta360 ONE X](#)

An editing room for student-created 360 video, supported for both iOS and Android devices



[Kahoot!](#)

Game-based learning platform where teachers and students can create and participate in live quizzes

[Khan Academy](#)

Personalized learning experience that supplements instruction with videos and practice exercises

[Menti/Mentimeter](#)

Online digital tool used for creating live formative assessments and checks for understanding

[Opinion](#)

Online digital tool used for introduction to podcasting and audio recording

[Padlet](#)

Application to create online bulletin board to display information for any topic

[Pear Deck](#)

Google Slides addon that adds in formative assessments and interactive questions for students

[Playground Physics](#)

Online digital tool that enables students to create videos of experiments and measure the results

[Playposit](#)

A web-based interactive video and assessment tool that lets teachers add interactive elements into streaming content

[Poll Everywhere](#)

Online digital tool used to create interactive formative assessments in real time with groups of students with devices

[Powtoon](#)

Interactive presentation tool used to actively engage students in individual and social learning



Game-based math tool

[Prodigy](#)



Online digital tool for creating live differentiated formative assessments with real-time team games

[Quizalize](#)



Teachers can conduct student-paced formative assessments

[Quizizz](#)



Website with learning tools for students, including flashcards, study and game modes

[Quizlet](#)



Block-based visual programming language that allows children to create interactive stories and games

[Scratch](#)



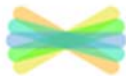
Platform to allow students to program their own interactive stories and games

[Scratch Jr.](#)



Screen recorder for Chrome that allows users to record annotated screen/webcam recordings

[Screencastify](#)



Platform of tools to allow students to take pictures, draw, record videos, and more to capture a learning portfolio

[Seesaw](#)



Formative assessment tool where teachers can create and build real-time formative assessments and simple checks for understanding

[Socrative](#)



[Splash Math](#)

Adaptive and personalized math practice program



[Splice](#)

Students can create video projects using this editing tool



[StoryboardThat](#)

Students and teachers can create storyboards using a drag and drop interface



[Thinglink](#)

Allows for photos to be made into content-rich web links for the purpose of education



[Toontastic](#)

Students can create narratives by building stories (characters, setting, etc.) and recording their own voices



[Typing Club](#)

Helps students learn how to touch type through the use of gaming and interactive videos



[UnStuck](#)

Online digital tool for helping a student to reflect on conflict and develop social and emotional learning skills



[Unity](#)

Real-time development platform to create 3D, 2D VR, and AR visualizations for games, animation, architecture, engineering, and film



[Wixie](#)

Teachers can manage assignments, track student progress towards curriculum goals, and assess student work using customizable rubrics



[XtraMath](https://www.xtramath.com/)

Teaches addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division facts.
