

Last updated 3/12/20 at 7:32 PM CST

Free Tools for Schools Dealing with Corona

The following companies have announced services enhanced or made free to schools as they deal with closures due to COVID 19.

(Scroll down for discounted internet options for low-income families in US)

Please make sure to check your school policies for tool selection, vetting, student privacy, etc.

[Tools with Free Offers](#)

[Tools that are always free:](#)

[No official links yet:](#)

[Reduced pricing:](#)

[Similar Lists](#)

[Budget home internet access options](#)

Tools with Free Offers

- [100mentors](#) - Free mobile app: You set the topic, students ask questions, and experts answer in 100-second, personalized videos. Keeping students connected to the real world in a time of disconnect. Ideal for business management & economics teachers. See <http://meet.100mentors.com/our-commitment-in-crisis> for more.
- Book Creator app - See [Support for schools affected by Coronavirus](#)
- Boomwriter - BoomWriter is a free website writing app for teachers to motivate students to write. Teachers can create multiple assignments for free in any subject. Please visit boomwriter.com for more info. It is totally free! Many teachers are already using it!
- Brainpop - See [Free BrainPOP Access for Schools Closed Due to the Coronavirus](#)
- Buncee - Per <https://twitter.com/Buncee/status/1236018239173529603> email info@buncee.com
- Chem101 - See <https://www.101edu.co/covid>

- Classroom Secrets - Was in beta, extending so access will be free for all - See <https://kids.classroomsecrets.co.uk/?fbclid=IwAR3Clf6vHe5GfkmVO8F1gxaxcK-UdBATtmHuTgJLycCbgrsJ8Z5upv9uqNw>
- Classwork Zoom - Free access for closed schools <https://schoolclosed.classworkzoom.com/>
- Discovery Education - See [Comprehensive Response to the Worldwide Coronavirus Outbreak](#) for details about how to request access.
- EdPuzzle - See https://support.edpuzzle.com/hc/en-us/articles/360039805612?fbclid=IwAR3H6iB89jMPTIP0CZ6uxltDGMiKTKQAGZM_eXaaM8SGF9atHrpMQRvTB4Q
- Education Perfect - See <https://epforlearning.lpages.co/complimentary-access/?fbclid=IwAR2O0dZBbXlnIKP0mq3nRJNNTKPFIII28wNtzppsZDS-eTM8NvjiPpbD4E>
- eSpark “is offering free teacher accounts that can be used from now through the remainder of the school year. We appreciate you adding us to the list of companies with free offers as schools deal with upcoming closures. eSpark differentiates K-5 reading and math with activities kids love. Here is our website: www.esparklearning.com “
- Frog Education - See https://inspire.frogeducation.com/news/coronavirus?utm_campaign=CORONAVIRUS&utm_source=twitter&utm_medium=social&utm_content=coronavirus#trial
- [Google Hangouts Meet Premium](#) - Free for GSuite schools through July 1, 2020, includes:
 - Larger meetings, for up to 250 participants per call
 - Live streaming for up to 100,000 viewers within a domain
 - The ability to record meetings and save them to Google Drive
- [Kahoot](#) - See [Free access to Kahoot! premium features | Distance learning capabilities](#) to activate.
- Kami - See [Remote Learning with Free School-wide Access to Kami Education](#)
- Listenwise - See [Listenwise Support for Schools Affected by the Coronavirus](#)
- [Matific](#) - Online K-6 math curriculum/resources. Contact Brooke@matific.com with requests.
- MobyMax - See <http://press.mobymax.com/mobymax-to-provide-all-k-8-schools-and-school-districts-closed-by-covid-19-with-free-internet-learning-software>

- [Parlay Ideas](#) - See [School Closure Support](#). Free through April 20, 2020.
- PearDeck - See https://www.peardeck.com/stay-connected?fbclid=IwAR0DdV2mi_4USUjbGxUchS8tZZUwy0EV1NxT7LKjnKyS99HWNI4z171-Fmg
- Pronto - See [Form](#) - Intended as tool for higher ed
- [Rigour Maths](#) - If you would like 1 months free access simply complete the following registration form; https://www.sentrylogin.com/sentry/member_signup.asp...
- Scholastico - [Free Ecoballot Elections](#) (Secure online voting for things like student elections and school activities)
- Showbie and Socrative - See [COVID-19: Complimentary Showbie Pro & Socrative Pro for Schools Moving to Distance Learning](#)
- [Splashlearn](#) - [SplashLearn stands with schools/districts affected with closure due to COVID-19 \(Corona Virus\) outbreak](#) curriculum-aligned learning program that covers Kindergarten to grade 5 math skills through engaging games. It's available on iOS, Android and web. By signing up for a SplashLearn **Free-for-life teacher account**, you can ensure your students continue learning even when they are not in class. Any practice assignment or assessment you assign to your students can be accessed at home for free through laptops, iPads or smartphones.
- STMath - www.stmath.com/home-access - ST Math is an award-winning visual instructional program for grades K through 8.
- [Sutori](#) - See <https://twitter.com/sutori/status/1234498912209297412?s=20>
Teachers We are providing educators across the globe impacted by emergency closures with Sutori Unlimited access. Please email us at help@sutori.com so we can get you and your students set up
- [Test&Track.io](#) - available for extended free trial periods. Self-marking tests, integrated resources and trackable. For computer science, ICT and programming. Early years through to KS3, GCSE and A level.
- [Twinkl](#) - See <https://www.twinkl.co.uk//1cs6dq> for details
- Tynker - See <https://mailchi.mp/tynker/in-support-of-schools-facing-health-related-closure>
- WeVideo - See [WeVideo offering support to schools affected by COVID-19](#)

- Zoom - Apply to have the 40 minute limit lifted from free accounts here: <https://zoom.us/docs/ent/school-verification.html>

Tools that are always free:

- [200 Free Kids Educational Resources: Video Lessons, Apps, Books, Websites & More](#)
“This collection provides a list of free educational resources for K-12 students (kindergarten through high school students) and their parents and teachers. It features free video lessons/tutorials; free mobile apps; free audiobooks, ebooks and textbooks; quality YouTube channels; free foreign language lessons; test prep materials; and free web resources in academic subjects like literature, history, science and computing. This newly-released list is a work in progress. Please tell us if we're missing something good.” - Open Culture
- Edhelper Math Worksheets [Math Worksheets - Free Math Printables you will WANT to Print!](#)
- [Judy Newman at Scholastic blog](#) - All the free print-outs [here](#) are geared toward kids in PreK through 6th grade
- KialoEDU - can help educators move discussions online: <https://www.kialo-edu.com> For teacher feedback/reviews please have a look at <https://www.twitter.com/kialoedu>. Our main tweet, with loads of back and forth: [Kialo Edu on Twitter: "Welcome to Kialo Edu, the tool used by educators world-wide to teach critical thinking and facilitate thoughtful classroom debate. Kialo Edu is a free version of Kialo, the world's most popular argument mapping site, customized for classroom use. Try it! https://t.co/c2U5ZEYcz7"](#)
- [Otus](#): Learning Management, Assessment Management, and Data Management all in one platform. Always FREE for teachers. Subscriptions are available for admins and districts.

No official links yet:

-

Reduced pricing:

- [Skoolbo](#) - “We are able to provide schools with a [24/7 subscription at both school and home for all of their students through to 31 July 2020 at the heavily discounted price of \\$200.](#)” (from email 3/8/20)

Similar Lists

See [EdTech companies offering FREE support and/or access to schools affected by COVID19 closures](#), for growing list from [Joli Boucher](#) as well as [Resources For Teaching Online Due To School Closures](#) , [What to do when schools close for coronavirus](#), and [Education Companies Offering Free Subscriptions due to School Closings](#).

Budget home internet access options

- Comcast - Xfinity [Get To Know Internet Essentials from Comcast](#)
- CenturyLink - [Lifeline](#) Program
- <https://www.everyoneon.org/> - Find low-cost options in your area
- TMobile Lifeline - <https://www.t-mobile.com/offers/lifeline-program>
- See listing: [Are There Programs Available to Help Make Internet Service More Affordable?](#)

Let me know if you have more to add. [@brasst](#) or tbrass@spa.edu