Mansfield Public Schools
GOOGLE APPS FOR EDUCATION

Mansfield Public Schools is in the process of implementing Google Apps for Education (GAFE) for students, teachers and staff! Google Apps for Education is designed especially for schools with productivity and safety in mind.

Some of the key benefits of Google Apps for Education are:

1) Increased communication and collaboration between students and teachers.
2) Improved planning through the use of Google Calendar which can remind students of tests, assignments, projects and other important dates.
3) Accessibility to files that are on the internet and available from school, home or while on vacation.
4) No need to purchase software, students will be able to work on projects from home just as they would at school through the use of Google Docs, Sheets, Slides and more! All that is required is a computer with access to the internet.
5) Less paper consumption as many documents will be shared through Google Drive instead of printed off.
6) It’s free to families, students and the District with no advertisements.

As the parent of a student in the Mansfield Public Schools, you are entitled to access your child’s account at any time by going to [www.google.com/a/mansfieldschools.com](http://www.google.com/a/mansfieldschools.com) and entering your child’s username and password.

Google Apps for Education accounts will remain the property of the Mansfield Public Schools. Students should have no expectation of privacy regarding the information kept in their accounts. Only authorized District staff will have access to student accounts. Communication to and from students will be limited to accounts within the mansfieldschools.com domain. Students will be unable to communicate via email with accounts outside of the School District.

More information regarding Google Apps for Education in Mansfield can be found on our website at [www.mansfieldschools.com/parents/Google_Apps_For_Education](http://www.mansfieldschools.com/parents/Google_Apps_For_Education)

As a new student, please allow 48 hours for your students GAFE account to be created. They can obtain their GAFE username and password by the Guidance Office or Main Office at your school.