

## Callander Primary Guide to Seesaw and Google Classroom

As a school we are currently using the Seesaw app as a way for teachers and parents to share tasks and completed activities for children in Primary 1 and Primary 2.

This app is a great way to upload photos of your child's learning as well as allowing you to directly communicate with your child's class teacher regarding their learning.



The app is available from the Apple App store or the Google Play Store. We require consent forms to be completed before you can gain access to your child's class. If you haven't yet accessed this app then please contact Mrs Starkey or Mrs Harvey or your child's class teacher for more information.



From Primary 3 up to Primary 7 we are using Google Classroom.

Google Classroom is a platform where children can directly interact with the different tasks their teacher sets. To access your child's Google Classroom they will need to sign in with the username and password they have been provided with.

This platform is used across all schools in Stirling and is the platform used by all High Schools when the children make the transition to S1.

Currently Stirling Council and the Scottish Government are providing funding for all children in Primary 5 up to Primary 7 to have access to their own Chrome Book. This initiative is to support the children's learning as well as help them develop the confidence to access Google Classroom before they move to high school. The Chromebooks are currently being rolled out across all primary schools.

Class teachers will be showing children how to use Google Classroom when in school. When your child is accessing Google Classroom at home there is a very useful video link below which you may find helpful. The video shows the basic features of accessing homework, creating documents, and submitting completed tasks for your child's teacher to assess.

Google Classroom for Students & Parents (Google Classroom Tutorial 2020) - Bing video

If you have any questions or queries regarding Google Classroom then please do not hesitate to get in touch with Mrs Starkey, Mrs Harvey or your child's class teacher.