

# Google Apps + itslearning = ❤️

Pair your favorite Google Apps and the power of an LMS with this recipe for a simplified digital classroom.

## Ingredients

1 ROBUST LEARNING MANAGEMENT SYSTEM • SEAMLESS INTEGRATION • SEVERAL OF YOUR FAVORITE GOOGLE APPS  
1 LOGIN FOR ALL YOUR CLASSROOM NEEDS

## Directions

- 1. Start with a Learning Management System (LMS)** that blends well with other tools. A flexible, user-friendly LMS should [seamlessly integrate](#) with the top tools and apps used in the K-12 classroom, including Google Apps, Office365, and leading SIS providers.
- 2. Don't start from scratch!** When you adopt an LMS with centralized content management, you're able to import all the Google App content you've already created into one, organized library. Tag content by standards, grade, subject and more to make searching a cinch.
- 3. Incorporate collaborative assignments.** Leverage Google's collaborative features by having students comment on docs or contribute to a shared slide deck. You can also provide feedback right within those documents without ever having to leave your LMS.
- 4. Extend the shelf life of your resources.** With over [2-million Open Educational Resources](#) (OER) at your fingertips, you're able to remix your existing Google content with new content pieces to keep lessons fresh all year round.
- 5. Bake learning objectives right into assignments.** Using an LMS with holistic tools for grading and assessments, you can automatically tie your content and assignments to standards and [check for understanding](#) no matter what tool the student uses to submit.
- 6. Measure successes, growth and areas for improvement.** By incorporating G-Suite content and an LMS with advanced reporting functionality, teachers can look beyond the gradebook and track progress or detect performance issues over time.
- 7. Take it on the go.** Access all your classroom tools and materials anytime, anywhere with an LMS that offers [full mobile functionality](#). No matter what device you or your students use, you can connect with your digital tools even after the bell rings.

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