

# **Purpose of the document**

The purpose of the document is to provide teachers with clear and concise instructions on how to use the Google classroom mobile application's features and functionalities. It cover topics such as creating and managing classes, assignments, communication with students, and customizing app settings and preferences. It also include visual aids and be well organized for ease of use.

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# **Google Classroom**

Google Classroom is an online platform, you can streamlines classroom management, assignments, and communication, making it easier for your to organize, distribute, and grade assignments while facilitating effective student engagement and feedback.

## **Getting started**

You can install Google Classroom to stay organized and engaged with your classes, and access assignments, announcements, and student submissions from anywhere.

- Tap Play Store
- Search Google Classroom application
- Tap the **Install** button **Google Classroom** application will be installed

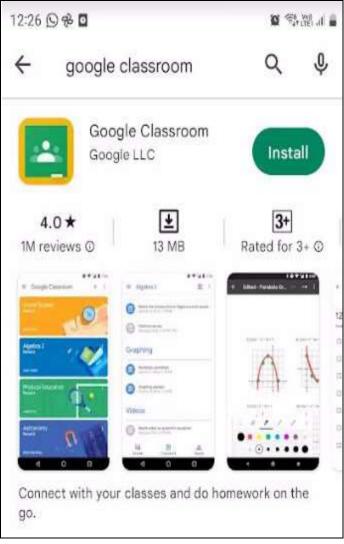


Figure 1

# Sign in

You can sign in to access and utilize the platform's features, ensuring a personalized and effective teaching experience.

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Get Started
- Tap Add account, and tap the OK button
- Enter email address in **Email or phone** box, and tap **Next**
- Enter password in **Password** box, and tap **Next**
- Tap Accept for welcome message
- Review Terms of Service and Privacy Policy, and tap I agree
- Tap I'm A Teacher

You will be signed in to your Google account

Tip: Users with personal Google accounts won't see this option.

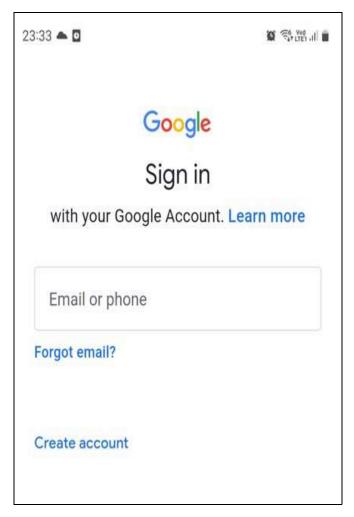


Figure 2

## Classes

You can tap class card to streamlines classroom management and facilitates efficient assignment distribution and communication.

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Class card
- Tap Menu =, and then Classes



Figure 3

## Classroom

You can create and manage assignments, communicate with your students, and track their progress all in one place

## Create a class

You can create a class to invite students, conduct sessions, create assignments, and communicate with them

- Tap Classroom
- Tap + add icon, and Create class
- Enter class name in Class name box
- Enter Section, Room, and Subject in required box
- Tap the **Create** button

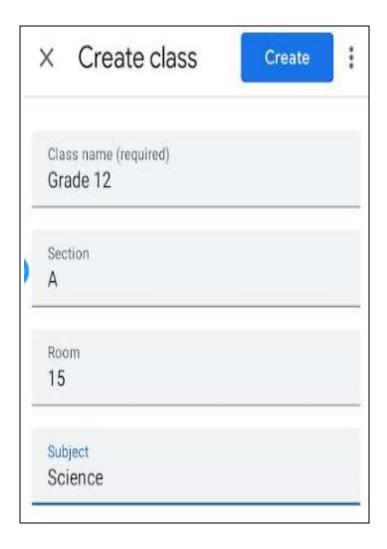


Figure 4

## Stream

You can use the stream to communicate with your students in real-time, share class materials, and create assignments.

## Create a post

You can create a post to share announcements, instructions, resources, and engage in discussions with students

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Class
- Tap Share with your class
- Enter message in Share with your class
- Tap Add attachment , and choose an option to attach the file You can't post an attachment without a message
- Tap Post

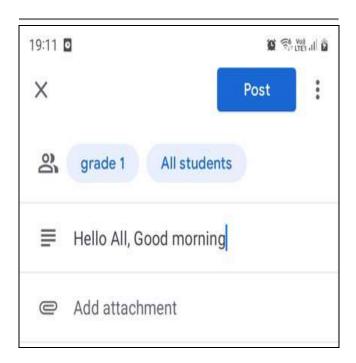


Figure 5

## Delete a post

You can delete posts to remove outdated or incorrect information, correct errors, or revoke access to certain content for students.

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Class
- Tap More on post, and select **Delete**
- Tap **Delete** to confirm

  You can only delete your own posts

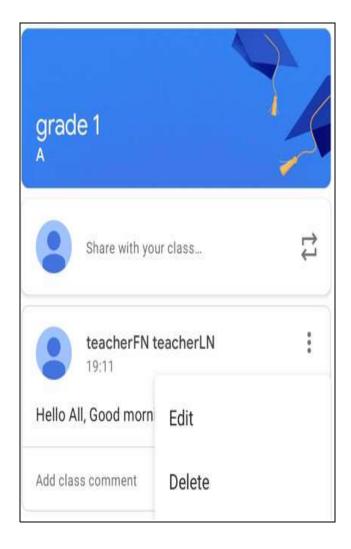


Figure 6

## Add a comment

You can add a comment to provide feedback, answer questions, and engage in discussions with students on assignments and class materials.

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Class
- Tap Add class comment, and tap Add class comment
- Enter comment in Class comments box, and tap Post

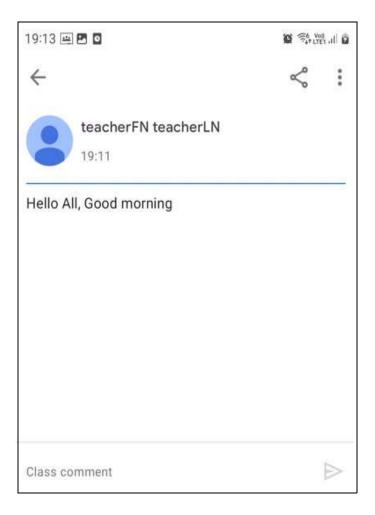


Figure 7

### **Delete a comment**

You can delete comments to maintain a positive learning environment for your students and ensure that all comments are appropriate for the classroom setting.

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Class
  Find post with your comment
- Tap Class comments
- Tap More , and tap Delete
- Tap **Delete** to confirm

  You can only delete your own comments

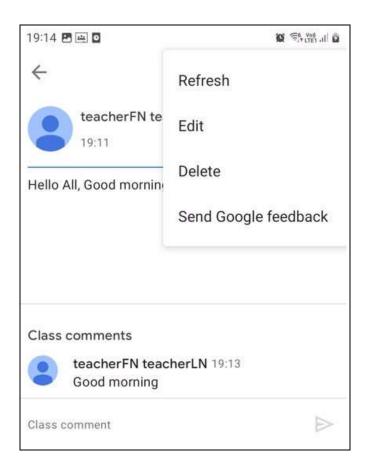


Figure 8

## Reply

You can reply to a comment that mentions the person who made the comment This feature is only available in the computer version of Classroom

## Classwork

You can add a topic and add class material for the topic. This feature simplifies the learning process and helps students stay organized and on track.

## **Add topics**

You can add topic to categorise and organise course content, making it easier for students to find and access materials.

- Tap Classroom , and tap Class
- Tap Classwork
- Tap + add icon, and then **Topic**
- Enter topic name in **Topic** box
- Tap the **Create** button

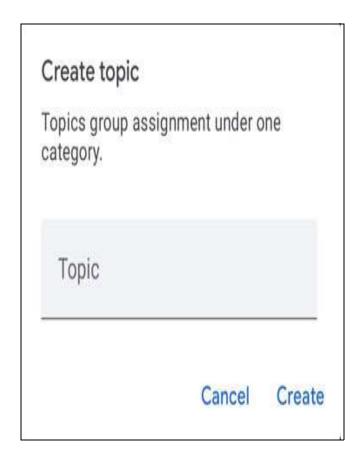


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### Add materials

You can use add material feature to upload and share course content with students.

- Tap Classroom , and tap Class card
- Tap Classwork ≡, tap + add icon, and tap material
- Enter description in **Description** field
- Tap Add attachment =, and then choose an option to attach the file
- Tap Topic

Choose an option:

To create a topic, tap New topic, then enter a topic name To select a topic in the list, tap the topic name

- Tap **Done** to confirm
- Tap the **Post** button

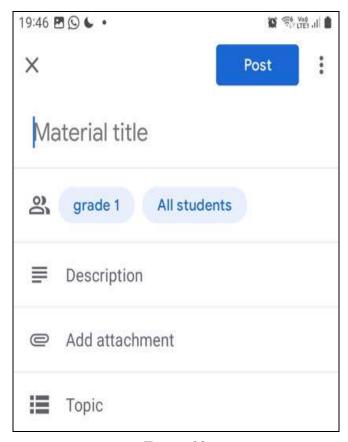


Figure 10

## Create an assignment

You can create an assignments to access student learning.

- Tap Classroom , and Class
- Tap Classwork , and + add icon
- Tap Assignment
- Enter Assignment title, and Description in required field
- Tap Add attachment =, and choose an option to attach file
- Set points
- Select **Due date**
- Select Topic
- Click the **Done** button
- Click the **Assign** button

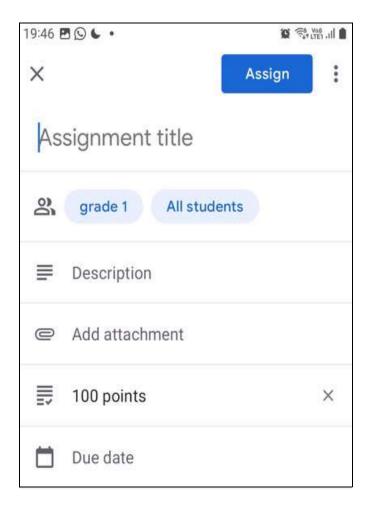


Figure 11

## Return an assignment

You can use the return feature to provide personalised feedback and grades to students.

- Tap Classroom 🔼, and Class
- Tap Classwork , and tap Assignment
- Tap box next to each student whose assignment you want to return
- Click the **Return** button
- Tap **Return** to confirm

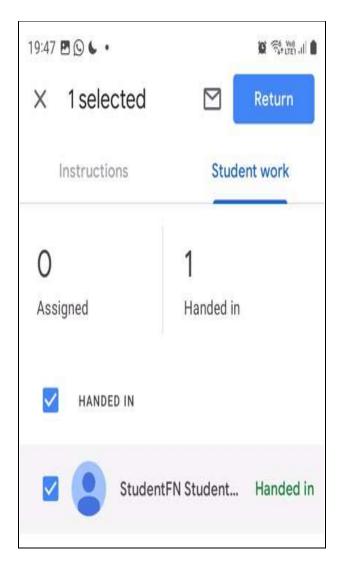


Figure 12

## **People**

Using the People feature, you can manage the class roster, communicate with students, and collaborate with other teachers

### **Invite a students**

You can invite a student to ensure seamless enrollment, efficient communication, and assignment distribution.

- Tap Classroom , and Class
- Tap People
- Tap Add student \*\*
- Enter Name or email address in box
- Tap Add recipient
- Tap the **Invite** button

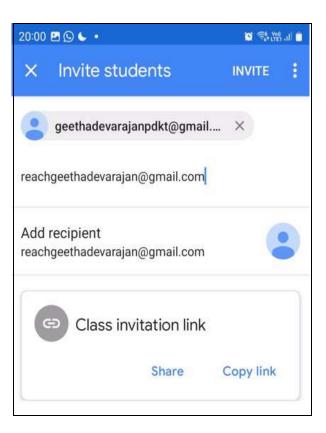


Figure 13

### Remove a student

You can remove a student to maintain a focused learning environment and address any disciplinary or administrative needs.

- Tap Classroom , and Class
- Tap People People
- Select student, and tap More
- Select Remove
- Tap **Remove** to confirm



Figure 14

#### Mute a student

You can mute students to temporarily suspend a students ability to post or comment on the class stream.

- Tap Classroom , and Class
- Tap People
- Select student, and tap **More**
- Select Mute
- Tap **Mute** to confirm

# **Teaching**

Teaching provides you with quick access to essential teaching features such as class management, assignment creation, communication with students, and access to course materials, ensuring convenient and efficient teaching on the go.

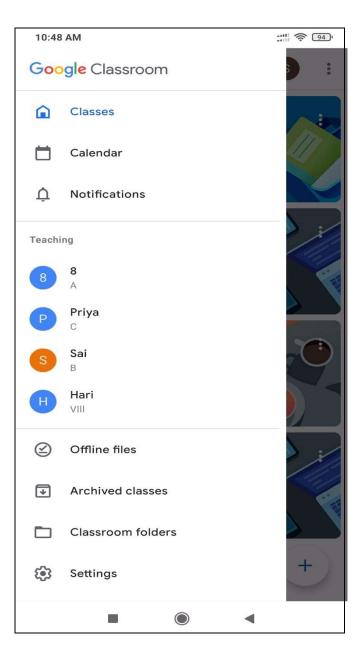


Figure 15

## Calendar

Calendar allows you to track class schedules and important events, facilitating effective planning, organization, and timely management of your teaching responsibilities.

### Add Classes in calendar

By adding classes in the calendar, you can sync and display your class schedules, assignments, and important dates within your personal calendar, ensuring efficient organization and timely planning for your teaching responsibilities.

- Tap Classroom , and tap Menu =
- Tap Calendar 🛅
- · Select date
- Tap + add icon
- Enter Title, Location, Notes, and Invitees in required box
- Tap the Save button



Figure 16

## Schedule / View assignment due dates

You can schedule due dates for assignments and assessments, and these deadlines will automatically appear on the classroom calendar

- Tap Classroom , and tap Menu =
- Tap Calendar 🛅

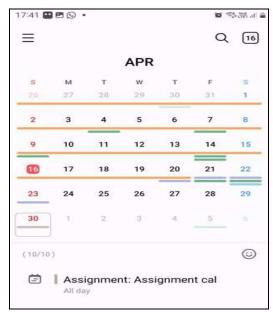


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- · Select date
- View assignments with due dates

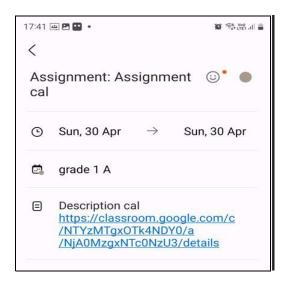


Figure 18

## **Notifications**

Notification enables you to receive timely updates and alerts on student submissions, comments, and class announcements.

## Turn On/Off notifications

The Turn On/Off Notifications feature allows you to control and customize your notification settings, ensuring that you receive relevant alerts and updates based on your preferences.

- Tap Classroom , and tap Menu =
- Tap Settings
- Tap Notifications, and tap Email
- Tap Allow email notifications to switch off or on

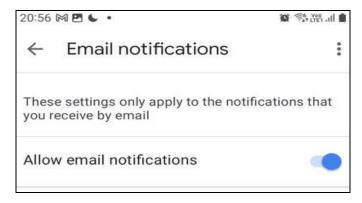


Figure 19

### **Read notifications**

You can quickly check your notifications to stay updated on new announcement, student submissions, and class activities.

- Tap Classroom , and tap Menu =
- Tap Notifications

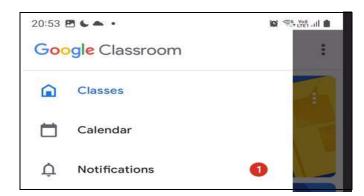


Figure 20

## **Customize notifications**

You can customise your notofication settings to receive updates on activities and events that matters to you

- Tap Classroom , and tap Menu =
- Tap Settings
- Tap Notifications, and tap On this device
- Turn on Allow notifications
- Tap Notification categories

#### Table 1:

Notifications	Description
Comments on your posts	Someone comments on your post
Private comments on work	A student sends you a private comment
Comments that mention you	Someone mentions you in a post or comment
Late submissions of student work	A student submits work after the due date
Resubmissions of student work	A student resubmits work
Invitations to co-teach classes	A teacher invites you to teach a course as a co-teacher
Scheduled post published or failed	A scheduled post published or failed to post

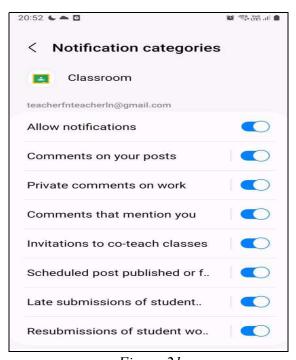


Figure 21

## **Offline files**

You can access to educational resources, promote inclusivity, and maximize learning outcomes without an Internet connection

- Review class announcements and assignments
- View and edit downloaded assignment attachments
- Manage and remove offline files

To view and edit offline file

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Menu ≡, and Settings
- Turn on Sync over cellular data

Important: To save your files, you must be connected to the Internet and have enough available space on your device

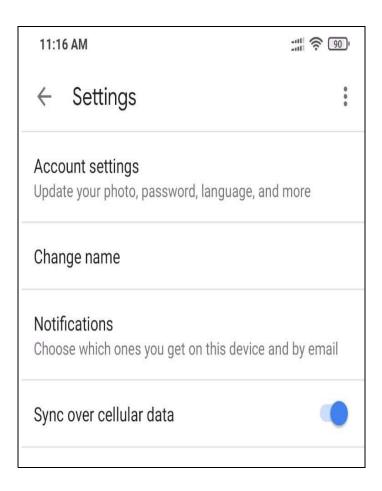


Figure 22

### **Download files**

You can download a copy of your class data, including posts, assignments, and student work, for offline use or as a backup. This allows you to access your class content even when you don't have internet access.

- Tap Classroom , and Class card
- Open material that you have attached
- Tap Save all file offline

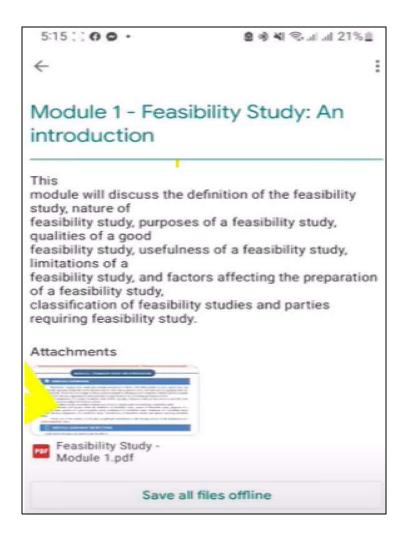


Figure 23

## **Archived classes**

You can archived classes to organize your interface, declutter your active classes, and maintain a clear distinction between current and completed courses.

- Tap Classroom 📮
- Tap More in Class Card, and Archive
- Tap Archive to confirm

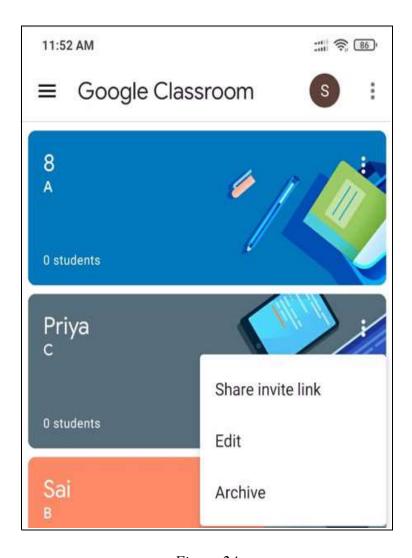


Figure 24

## View archived class

You can view archived classes to review past course materials, access student assignments and grades, or extract information for record-keeping or assessment purposes

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Menu =, and tap Archived classes

  Note: If you haven't archived any classes, there wont be any classes inside this folder
- Tap class card, and then view class

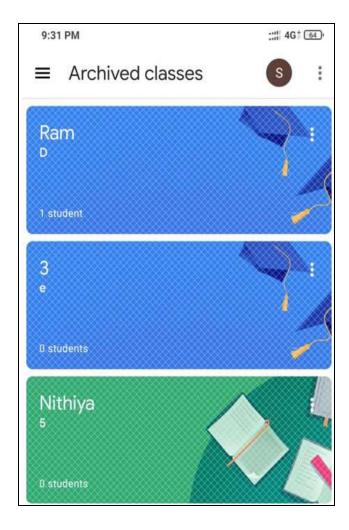


Figure 25

## Restore archived class

You can restore an archived class to retrieve important course content, revisit past student work, or reactivate a class for future reference or continuation.

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Menu =, and Archived classes
- Tap More, and Restore
- Tap **Restore** to confirm

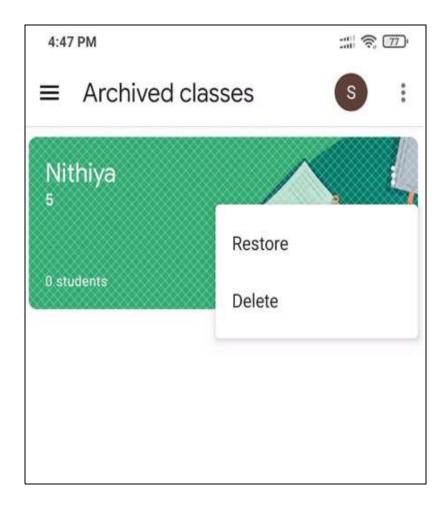


Figure 26

## **Delete archived class**

You can permanently remove a class from your account to declutter your interface, maintain organization, and prioritize active and current classes.

**Warning**: There's no way to undo deleting a class. If you tap Delete, you no longer have access to any class posts or comments. However, you and your students can still access your class files in the class Drive folder.

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Menu  $\equiv$ , and Archived classes
- Tap More, and Delete
- Tap **Delete** to confirm

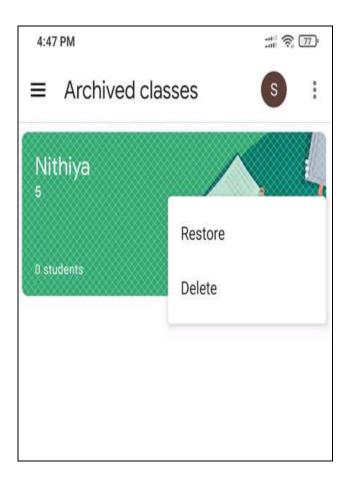


Figure 27

## **Classroom folders**

You can organise your course materials with classroom folders. You can create and manage folders to store and categorize your class resources, making it easy for students to find and access the materials they need.

## **Open folder**

You can easily open your class Drive on mobile versions of Classroom to access class materials

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Menu ≡, and Classroom Folders
- Tap Folder for a specific class You can Share, Send, Make, Move, Remove copy from folder
- Tap Back to go back to the folders for all your class

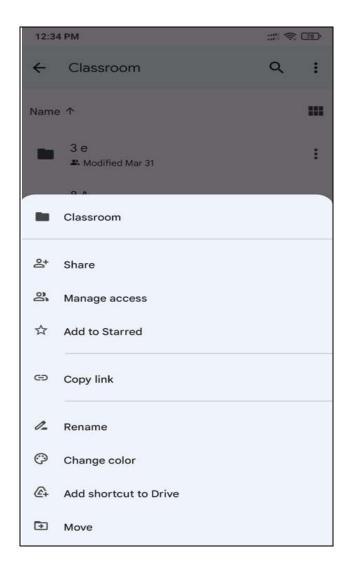


Figure 28

## **Settings**

You can access the settings options to customize your class settings. With settings, you can modify class information, set permissions for students, control notifications, and more.

### Class details

You can view student information, edit class settings, and copy class details to replicate successful class structures. It helps you to manage your classroom, track student progress, and support learning.

#### View/Edit Class details

You can view and edit class details such as the class name, subject, room, and section from the class settings. It allows you to keep your class information up to date and relevent to your students

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Class
- Tap Stream , and tap Settings
- Enter your changes, and tap the Save button

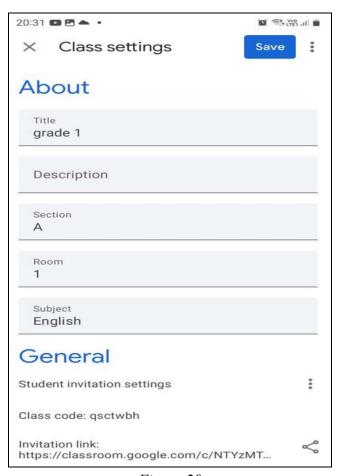


Figure 29

### View/Copy Class code

You can manage your class code with ease. Edit and view your unique class code to share with students quickly and easily.

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Class
- Tap Stream 🖳 and tap Settings 🔯
- Click Class code to copy

## View/Copy link

You can view and edit link to your class. To customise class link, you can make it easier for students to access your class.

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Class
- Tap Stream 🖳 and tap Settings 🐼
- Click Invitation link to copy

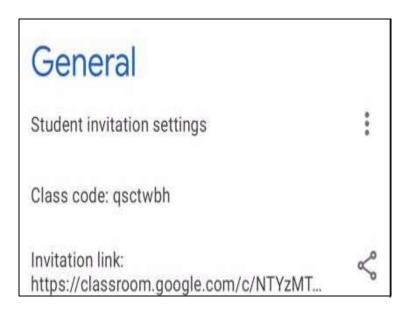


Figure 30

## Page details

You can show or hide notifications to stay informed while minimizing distractions, and set permissions for page details to control student access to course materials and resources.

### **Show/hide notifications**

You can show or hide notifications depending on your preferences. It allows you to stay informed about your class activity or reduce distractions when necessary.

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Class
- Tap Stream 🖳 and tap Settings 🔯
- Tap Classwork on the stream, and choose an option

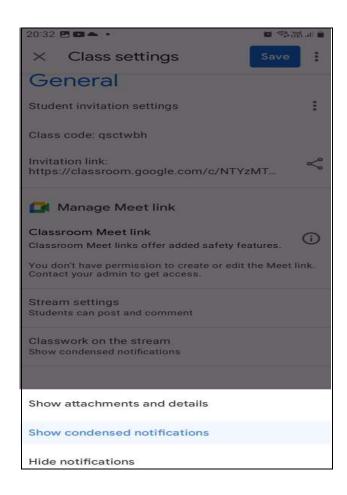


Figure 31

Show attachments and details—Students see an expanded view of notifications.

Show condensed notifications—Students see notifications without attachments and details.

Hide notifications—No Classwork notifications show on the Stream page

• Tap the Save button

### **Set permissions**

You can set permissions for various activities. Permissions can be set for posting and commenting in the stream, creating assignments, making announcements, and more.

- Tap Classroom
- Tap Class
- Tap Stream 🖳 and tap Settings 🔯
- Tap Stream settings and choose an option

**Students can post and comment**—(Default) Students can create a post on the Stream page and comment on any item.

**Students can only comment**—Students can comment on an existing post, but not create a post. **Only teachers can post or comment**—Students can't comment on or create posts on the Stream page. This setting is the same as muting all students

• Tap the **Save** button

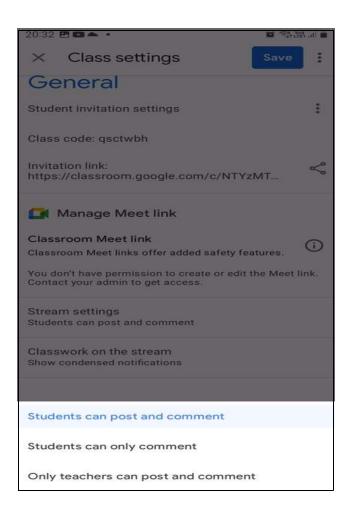


Figure 32

# Sign out

You can sign out Google Classroom accounts to protect sensitive information and prevent unauthorized access.

- Tap Account image or Profile picture
- Tap Manage accounts on this device
- · Choose your account
- Tap the **Remove account** button You will be signed out from your Google account

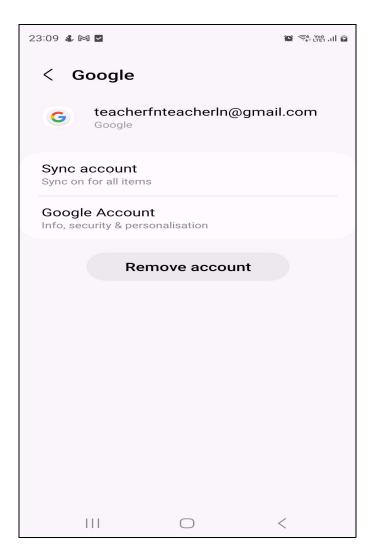


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