

Introduction – Traditional education in a digital environment

Education always has to evolve to meet the needs of society and the future economy. A modern workplace will often combine traditional working methods, such as practical design and creation, encompassed with technology.

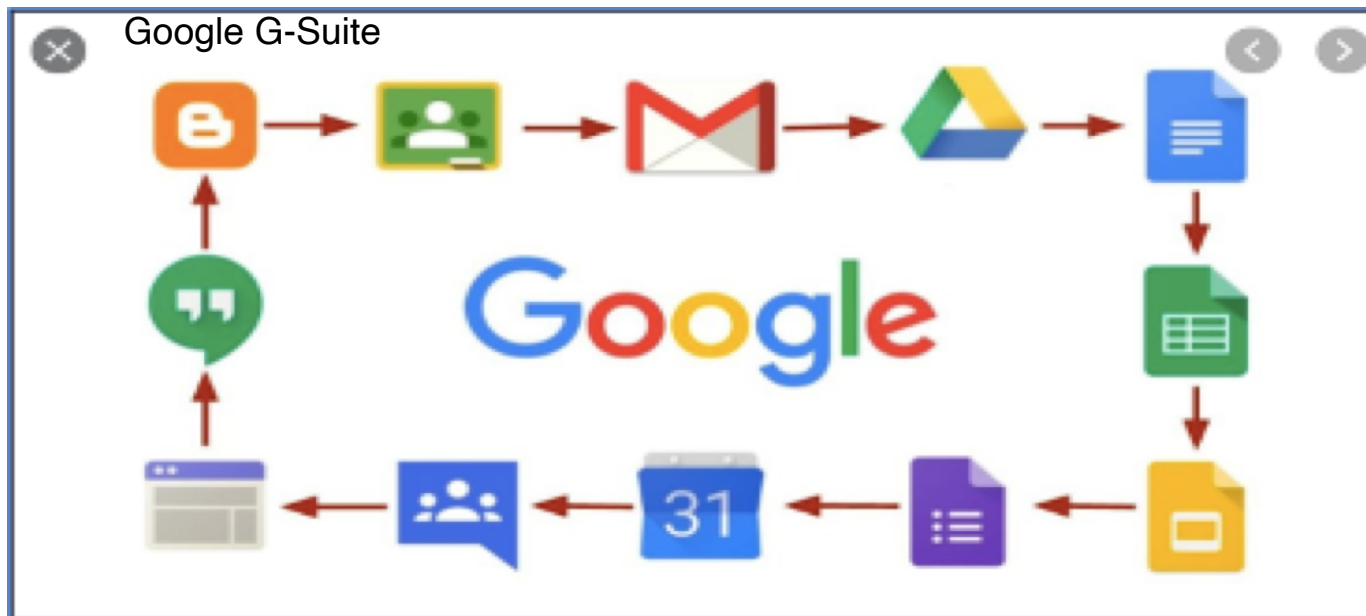
At Coberley, we envisage a classroom to meet this requirement. We aim to combine the traditional skills of reading and writing enhanced with technology to enable adapted work, an ever-ready source of knowledge, collaborative learning and the scope to learn in a digital environment. We try and emulate how most adults work at home and at workplaces – but without the coffee!

Our Trivium ideology works seamlessly with this philosophy. The Trivium method is to learn knowledge, have the time and skills to explore it through discussion, reasoning and re-drafting (dialectic) before presenting in a variety of ways such as art, music, drama, writing, video and oral presentation (rhetoric).

We believe that this approach creates thinkers, and independent learners, whilst allowing teachers to fully differentiate to ensure children become confident in their ability and to fully prepare children for the next stage of their journey.

The Coberley.org domain

All children, staff and governors have a Coberley.org account, which is essentially a google



account. The domain is securely locked down to ensure that all communication is only permitted within the domain. i.e. children can't email to other email addresses and outsiders cannot view work and assignments on Google Classroom.

G-Suite APPS

G-Suite APPS work seamlessly within the Google Domain and can be downloaded as APPS or used via the Chrome browser. They are all free.

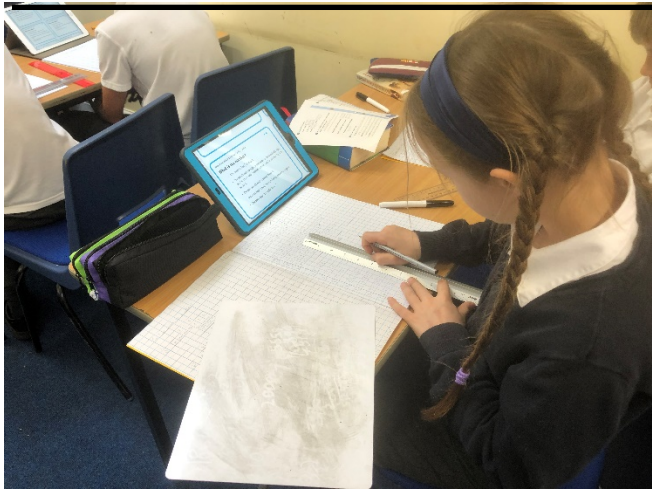
The APPS range from a word processor, survey creator, spreadsheet and slide presenter to on-line collaborative white boards, file storage and Google Classroom. The children learn to use all these APPS in their time at Coberley

Google Classroom

Google Classroom is the spine to announce, deliver and collect work. It is an innovative tool which we began to use at Coberley 3 months before lockdown to save paper.

(Class 1): In its most basic form, it is an on-line notice board where invited children (in the Coberley domain) can post images, videos, links and notices. Work can be posted here in the event of on-line learning.

(Class 2) The next level is to use Google Classroom as a platform to provide work throughout the day (like an on-line personal text book), provide a safe place to share photographs and homework tasks. The tablets can also be used for simple adaptive APPS, such as



Doodle Maths. In the event of online learning Google Classroom is a quick a convenient place for live lessons as a place to send completed work.

(Class 3) In its most advanced stage we use Google Classroom to highlight daily tasks, including web links, attachments and assignments to complete.

Google Classroom can send specific assignments (which can be designed for word processors, spreadsheets, slide shows or even a quiz) to a child or groups of children. Children can complete these assignments on-line either independently or collaboratively and return work to be marked. Marked work can then be re-sent to children for correction. All work can be stored on Google Drive as a portfolio. Teachers' can see children work on assignments in real time so can add annotations and request video calls to help.

All children have access to a Google Classroom (s).
Please ask if you need to be reminded of login

details and have a look what the children are doing!

Please be assured that Internet education and safety is paramount to our Digital Curriculum

Example of Class 3's daily programme

Tuesday 14.3.23
Morning Work: LBQ (Area of a triangle)
Guided Reading:: What do you need to be warm - poem by Neil Gaiman
Maths: Area of a parallelogram (See White Rose sheets)
Writing: Class 3 GC



Available Tasks
<https://www.lbq.org/task?pin=xfc>

YouTube

Coberley also has a YouTube Channel which is used to create teaching videos and to record productions and children's creative projects. These videos are all unlisted but can be viewed securely by selecting links posted on Google Classroom, all within our Coberley domain.



The Digital Classroom

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Every Child, Every Chance, Every Day