

Dear RUSD Families!

Did you know that ALL RUSD students have a school gmail account? You can access this account by:

1. Go online to google.mail.com
2. Enter your email address and password:
Student emails consist of their rusdstudentusername@rusdstudents.net
Student passwords are what they use to login into any programs/email at school.
Upper grade students grades 3-12 should know their email account numbers.
Primary students may know their ID, but will need help to add @rusdstudents.net for their email account. For K-2 students, that would be their 6 or 7 digit ID number with @rusdstudents.net
3. The RUSD Gmail account is a closed account and will not allow student to receive emails from anyone outside of RUSD.

RUSD offers several digital learning applications that students may access at school and at home. The District has created an easy platform for students to access—from one page-- the majority of the digital learning applications that we offer.

Below you will find login information as well as a short explanation of each of the programs currently available. Several of these programs are new and your child may not have been introduced to them yet. However, they have access to go in and explore and practice. These programs will continue to be available throughout the school year as well.

Follow these steps to have your child access these applications throughout the school year:

1. Click here: <https://clever.com/in/ramonausd>.
2. Click “Log in with Google.”
3. Students enter their rusdstudents credentials (email and password)
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K-2 Example:

Username: 1234567@rusdstudents.net

Password: (same as what they use for Reading Counts, and other programs used at school)

*You may need to “Agree” and/ or “Accept” Terms of Service if this is the first login to the program for your child.

Students can also access this platform by the following method:

1. Go to your school site website
2. Click “Students” on the upper right hand side of the page
3. Click “Student Logins” in the left menu bar
4. Click “Clever”
5. Click “Log in with Google.”
6. Students enter their rusdstudents credentials (email and password)
Student emails consist of their username@rusdstudents.net
Student passwords are what they use to login into any programs/email at school

The following programs are currently available through the Clever Platform:

Core 5 (School subscription required so not all schools may use this program)

Lexia Reading Core5 provides differentiated literacy instruction for students of all abilities in grades pre-K-5.

Desmos Graphing Calculator (7-12)

This is an online graphing calculator that is free to use. It supports hundreds of simultaneous equations and supports interactive exploration via sliders.

Digital Passport (K-6)

This program introduces students K-5 to a suite of engaging games that address key issues facing students in today's digital world. The program teaches critical skills related to digital safety, respect and community.

DOGO Books (3-8)

DOGObooks is where students discover, review and rate books. The program provides a fun, safe and interactive environment for students to share their reactions, thoughts and opinions about books.

DOGO News (3-8)

DOGOnews offers students news articles to support learning in English Language Arts, science and social studies. The articles contain comprehension and critical thinking questions.

Dreambox Math (K-6)

Highest quality, research-based K-8 math lessons empower students to master key math concepts. With the power to deliver millions of individualized learning paths, DreamBox individually tailors every math lesson and ensures that students work in their optimal learning zone. A standards-based math learning curriculum that connects to coming assessments, it effectively builds conceptual understanding, procedural fluency, and college and career readiness.

Educreations (students under 13 will need a class code from their teacher)

Educreations is a unique interactive whiteboard and screencasting tool that's simple, powerful, and fun to use. Annotate, animate, and narrate nearly any type of content as you explain any concept. Teachers can create short instructional videos and share them instantly with students, or ask students to show what they know and help friends learn something new.

Khan Academy (1st time login will require students to enter parent email or skip this step)

Khan Academy offers practice exercises, instructional videos, and a personalized learning dashboard that empower learners to study at their own pace in and outside of the classroom. It tackles math, science, computer programming, history, art history, economics, and more. The math missions guide learners from kindergarten to calculus using state-of-the-art, adaptive technology that identifies strengths

Imagine Learning

Imagine Learning is an award-winning language and literacy software program that features interactive activities, videos, and games. It's research-based, instructionally differentiated, and incredibly fun to use. Because every child has unique learning needs, Imagine Learning offers personalized, systematic instruction that adapts to each student. Along with this systematic instruction, students receive feedback that helps them answer questions, such as applying a strategy they have been taught or re-reading a section of a book to look for an answer.

Newsela (3-12)

Newsela publishes daily news articles at 5 reading levels from grades 3-12 to drive gains in literacy. Explore a library of high-quality, engaging non-fiction. Newsela is constantly expanding its collection to help students develop a love of reading while they expand their understanding of the world.

Other Digital Programs

While many of our programs are able to fall onto the Clever Platform, we still have several that have their own login portal or use Google Single Sign On. Students may also access links to a RUSD Digital Program (not on Clever) through the following method:

1. School website
2. Click “Students”
3. Click “Student Logins”
4. Click “Name of Program”
5. Click “Sign in”
6. Students enter their rusdstudents credentials (username and password) as outlined above

The following programs are currently available through the RUSD website:

- Clever
- Defined Stem
- Destiny Library Systems
- Discovery Education
- Edgenuity (E2020) Student Login
- Family Connection/Naviance (college planning)
- PowerSchool
- Raz-Kids
- Reading Counts Student Login
- Reading Counts Book Search Tool
- Think Central