



## What is Seesaw for Schools?

Seesaw is a digital learning platform that we use extensively at St George's. It allows pupils, teachers, and parents or guardians to complete and share classroom work.

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Using the Seesaw app, students can show what they know using various media, from photos and videos to drawings, text, links, and PDFs. This is all on the Seesaw platform, meaning it can be seen and appraised by teachers and shared with parents and guardians.

The student portfolio grows over time, allowing users to carry it through their academic career. This is a great way for other teachers to see how the student has progressed over time – even showing how they worked to get the final result.

When your child starts at St George's in September, we will send home a Family Invite for you to create a parent account (if you don't have one already) and to add your child's portfolio to that account. This means that you will be able to view their work, and add your own comments to support their learning. Class teachers also use Seesaw to send messages to parents about what is happening in school. You will also receive a code for the child's own account, which can be used to upload work to their portfolio, when appropriate.

## How do Parents and Students use Seesaw?

You can access Seesaw online using this link <https://app.seesaw.me/#/login> or you can download and use the Seesaw App

**New Seesaw users:** If you're **new** to Seesaw, [install Seesaw on iOS or Android devices](#) and sign in as a student, or family member.

***If you are a current user, Seesaw recently replaced their separate Class and Family Apps, into a single Seesaw App***

**Current Seesaw Class app users:** If you **already have** the Seesaw Class app, no need to get another app! You will be updated to the new Seesaw app automatically.

**Seesaw Family app users:** if you have the Seesaw Family app (before 8.0.0) you will need to download the new Seesaw app to take advantage of the new experience. Once you using the new app, you can delete the Seesaw Family app.

***Full details are available on the link below if needed.***

<https://help.seesaw.me/hc/en-us/articles/7602988781453-One-Seesaw-App>.