



Quick Start Guide for Teachers

Welcome! Your school district uses **Edmodo**, a free social learning platform that provides a safe way for teachers to connect and communicate with students, parents, and other teachers. On Edmodo, teachers are at the center of a powerful network that connects them with the people and resources they need to teach more.



Step 1: Login and Personalize Your Edmodo Account

Personalize your account to introduce yourself to your classes, and connect with other teachers in your school, your district, or worldwide.

- 1. Go to your Clever portal and click on Edmodo.** You will be automatically added to your school community so that you can instantly connect with colleagues.
- 2. Fill out your teacher profile.** Upload a photo, add office hours, and share a little about yourself with your students, parents, and colleagues.



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Computer Technology
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Step 2: Engage with Your Classes

Classes on Edmodo are a great way to get your classroom connected and increase sharing, participation, and self-expression—all in a private, closed setting.

- 1. Your Classes have been automatically created for you.** You can add more Classes or change the information for each Class, if desired.
- 2. Post a friendly welcome Note to your Classes.** Students will see the Note when they view a Class.
- 3. Create a warm up Assignment for your Classes.** You can pose a question like "What is one thing you want to learn?"

Classes

Language Arts

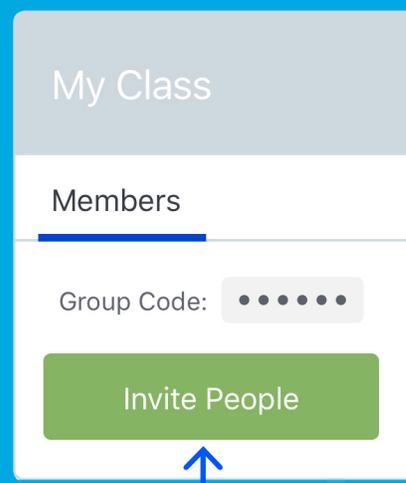
Algebra

Physical Science

Step 3: Invite Parents to Join Your Classes

When parents join your Classes, everyone becomes more engaged.

- 1. Your Students have been automatically enrolled in your Classes.**
- 2. Click *Invite People* within a Class to see the invite code, and share it with parents.** If you are meeting parents in person, such as at Back to School Night, you can download a handout with the invite code and instructions. Parents can follow class activities and reinforce your teaching at home.
- 3. Repeat for all your Classes.** The more parents who join, the more your students will learn!



Step 4: Explore Other Ways to Teach More with Edmodo

Edmodo has many powerful tools for personalizing student learning and fueling your professional growth.

- 1. Assess student learning:** Create Assignments, Quizzes, Polls, and Snapshots in your Classes to track students' progress.
- 2. Personalize learning experiences:** Create Small Groups within Classes to foster student collaboration and discussion.
- 3. Find lesson plans and resources:** Use Spotlight on Edmodo to find new learning resources.
- 4. Build your Professional Learning Community (PLC):** Follow topics you're interested in, and create a PLC with teachers in your school or from around the world.



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