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### Google Meet



#### **Overview**

Pacelli Catholic Schools uses Google Meet for video conferencing between staff, students, and families. Meet allows for virtual face-to-face meetings and instruction. All PCS students have access to Meet through their G Suite for Education dashboard. To join a Google

Meet, students will use either a link or meeting code provided to them by their teacher.

## Joining a Google Meet (K-8 iPad)

Students will be notified from their teacher how to join a scheduled Google Meet. This could be done through an email invitation, a meeting code, or a link provided to them. A Meeting Code will consist of either 10-characters or a nickname provided by the teacher. A link will look like this: meet.google.com/qrs.tuv.wxyz.

#### **Google Meet App**

The Google Meet app is installed on every K-8 student iPad. Open up the App to see scheduled Google Meets for that day or join using a Meeting Code.

#### Using the Safari Browser

You can type in meet.google.com to navigate to Google Meet. Once there, you will see scheduled Google Meets for the day or you may join using a Meeting Code.

## Joining a Google Meet (9-12 Chromebooks)

Students will be notified from their teacher how to join a scheduled Google Meet. In most cases this will be a link provided to them either via email or Google Classroom.

#### Using the Chrome Browser

You can type in meet.google.com to navigate to Google Meet. Once there, you will see scheduled Google Meets for the day or you may join using a Meeting Code.

#### From the Google App Center

Meet

When logged in to their Google Account, click on the control icon to display connected apps. Click on to open up Google Meet.





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## **Video Conferencing Etiquette**

Always keep in mind that Google Meet video conferencing using your school account and devices is for educational purposes only.

#### **Before the Meet**

Find a comfortable, quiet, spot to sit. It is best to keep your
device on a steady surface if possible. Make sure your
background is school friendly and that you're dressed as if you
were at school. A blank wall or background is recommended.



- Be on time for the Meet, 1-2 minutes early.
- Let your teacher enter the Meet before you do.

#### When the Meet Starts

- It is best practice to Mute your microphone upon entering the Meet.
- Unless instructed otherwise, be sure your camera is on, so your teacher can see you.

#### **During the Meet**

- Be patient, this is a learning experience for everyone.
- Use headphones with a microphone when possible.
- Be engaged. Pay attention to when others are speaking.
- Unmute your microphone when your teacher asks you to talk. Mute your device again when you
  are done speaking. Be sure to speak clearly.
- Use the chat feature on the right to ask questions and share resources.
- Even when you are not in your school building, our school rules, values, and expectations still apply.

