

Chromebook Accessibility Preferences

ChromeOS has a wide range of accessibility preferences for vision, hearing, and mobility. To change the accessibility preferences, select the Clock > Settings (Gear Icon) > Advanced > Accessibility

Some Accessibility Settings Disabled

Please note that some accessibility settings have been disabled by the administrator because they were not being used as intended. Contact the technology department if you need to use the disabled accessibility settings.

Enable Always Show Accessibility

Go to accessibility settings and toggle the "Always show accessibility options in the system menu". Now the settings are available from the system menu when you select the clock.

Text-to-Speech

Go to Accessibility Settings > Text-to-Speech > Enable select-to-speak and toggle setting. Once enabled, you can select text from any website and then press the search key and S to read aloud. (The search key is on the side where you normally find the caps lock key.)

Enable and Use Dictation

Go to Accessibility Settings > Keyboard and Text Input > Enable Dictation (Speak to type). Now wherever you type, i.e., Google Doc, search prompt, email, etc., you can press the search key and d to read aloud. (The search key is on the side where you normally find the caps lock key.)