

Greater Kruger Hotel School Transitions to Google Workspace

CloudEDU supported the school through the entire Google Workspace adoption process. This included a technical deployment, Workspace administrator training, and world-class, task-based, hands-on training to prepare staff for hybrid teaching.

The challenge

During COVID, Google Classroom helped us to leave no student behind with its remote learning possibilities. But running Google Classroom on a personal gmail account was not compliant with local data protection and privacy laws. The school required a learning management system, but most alternatives were expensive and required a full-time IT staff member. We needed Google for Education.

The solution

Because the school's students are placed in remote wildlife reserves for their industry experience, Google Classroom's digital and virtual training platform keeps teachers in contact with students and enables them to continue to support learning. The adoption of Google Calendar and Drive has meant the school could move away from printed schedules and material that is quickly outdated.

The results

With guidance and support from CloudEDU's systematic training approach, the school has made giant strides in going paperless. They have turned to Google Sites to create program prospectuses for marketing, using QR codes to publicise the school's offerings on websites and posters. Student portfolios are created on Google Sites evidence of learning is stored in their Google Drive.

“ After Covid, we needed more collaborative tools. Google won hands-down: our students are much more comfortable with the Google interface. And the adoption of Google Workspace has transformed the way we work together. We have much better workflows, greater collaboration, collecting data has been easier, and knowing all our data is secure gives us peace of mind as we work so remotely. ”

Alanka Craffert, Executive Director, Greater Kruger Hotel School and Training Center



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About Greater Kruger Hotel School

The Greater Kruger Hotel School (GKHS) is a three year old school whose mission is to make culinary and hospitality skills development more accessible to heart of South Africa's safari county, in a sustainable way, whilst creating awareness of the important role this industry plays in conservation of our natural resources.

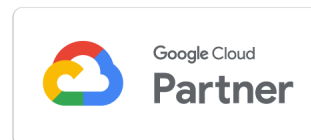
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