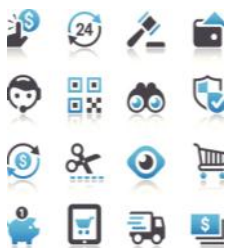




TOP APPS GUIDE — iPad, iPhone, Ipad and Android Devices



Apps can help us to connect with our children's learning outside of the classroom

Apps (short for Applications) are downloadable programs that allow us to access certain features and benefits.

Apps can be free or 'paid' (meaning there is an initial upfront cost to purchase access to the desired app).

At Goodna State School, we utilise both free and paid apps in our classroom, and during today's session you will be introduced to some of the apps that we feel will

best assist you in connecting with your child through technology in the home.

We have tried to put forward as many free apps as possible, although some modestly priced, great value paid apps have been included for your consideration.

Android and Apple have some apps that are available through both platforms, although these examples are limited. Consequently, similar apps have been identified to cater for the various devices that you may have in your home.

****Please note — Although some apps may be free to download, the use of any app requires the use of 'data' (data is best described as a means of measuring technological time and energy and applying a dollar value to it). Please consider your data allowances through your telecommunication/ internet provider when utilising apps as excess data charges can be costly****

Apple iPad



Explain Everything (\$2.99)

Import pictures, record sound and use as an interactive whiteboard



Pic Collage (Free)

Import and capture images and create unique 'scrapbook' style art



iMotion HD (Free)

Create animated movies from still frames and camera roll photos



Collins Big Cat (Free)

Harper Collins reading books— read to self, read to me, create your own stories



Magnabet (\$0.99)

Spelling activities are simple with this clever update of an old favourite!



Montessori Crossword (\$2.99)

Amazing resource for helping children to match sound with letters while recognising sight words

Apple iPhone 4, 4s and 5



Starfall Learn to Read (\$2.99) (Also on Ipad)

Excellent reading resource dedicated to teaching children sounds and word families. Interactive and entertaining for kids.



Preschool EduKidsRoom (Also on Ipad)

Excellent content games for logic, reasoning, spatial patterning, colours, organising time, matching and colour recognition.

Apple iPod Touch 4th and 5th Generation



