ST Math Activation

Information and Instructions for School-Owned Devices

Overview

This document provides background information and instructions to successfully activate school-owned devices used by students to access ST Math. These instructions are applicable for most situations; if you have unique circumstances please contact your MIND Implementation Project Manager. Only those individuals responsible for maintaining your school's devices should use these instructions. Please do not publicly post the school's activation information.

Key Activation Facts

- All student devices must be activated prior to using ST Math.
- Computers used exclusively by teachers do not need to be activated.
- We use your school's public IP address(es) to simplify device activation, accurately capture student progress, and eliminate the need to touch each student computer for activation.
- Activation validates your license and ensures accuracy of student data.

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The latest Technical Requirements for devices and software (e.g., Flash) can be found on our website: **mindresearch.org/stmath/tech/**

If you have Bring Your Own Devices (BYOD) at your school or if students take their school iPads home with them, please discuss optional Settings configurations with your MIND Implementation Project Manager.



Homework

Separate instructions for ST Math homework access can be sent home with your students. More information on homework can be found on our Teacher Resource Site: <u>Accessing Homework</u>

Need Assistance?

Contact your MIND Implementation Project Manager. Refer to your Welcome Email for his/her contact details.

Or, if you aren't working with an Implementation Project Manager, please contact MIND Support at support@mindresearch.org or (888)-491-6603.

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Follow the steps below to get ST Math up and running at your school!

COMPUTERS

School-owned Windows, Mac and Chromebook devices connect to ST Math through an Internet browser.

1 Deploy Your School-Specific ST Math URL

Students access ST Math through the school-specific URL included in your welcome email. Deploy the URL to a familiar location for students, one that is easily clicked.

OR

School Webpage (recommended)

Student Desktop

Have the Webmaster post the schoolspecific URL on the school's website.

Deploy the school-specific URL as a desktop shortcut on student computers.



Download an icon of JiJi the penguin for use with hyperlinks.

2 Provide Your School's Public IP Addresses

Send the list or range of public IP addresses used by your computers to access the Internet to your MIND Implementation Project Manager. Please specify if these IP addresses are (1) unique to your school, or (2) shared across the district.

3 Test Activation

Launch ST Math from the school-specific URL while logged into a student's device.



If you do not see "Welcome SCHOOL NAME," please refresh the browser.

4 Confirm Success

Notify your MIND Implementation Project Manager of the posted location of your school-specific URL and confirm that all computers are ready for student access to ST Math.



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TABLETS

School-owned iPads, Kindle, and Android devices connect to ST Math through an app.



1 Get the App



Search for "JiJi" on your device's app store (iTunes Store, Google Play, or Amazon App Store) and download "ST Math: School Version."

2 Activate the App using the Activation Code from your Welcome Email



Confirm Success

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Notify your MIND Implementation Project Manager that all tablets are ready for student access to ST Math.



Optional: Set up your other iPads

When setting up multiple iPads for a class or school, we recommend using Apple Configurator (a free download from Apple). The fastest way to deploy ST Math is to image a single iPad and deploy that image to other iPads. You will need a computer running Apple Configurator and a source iPad that has ST Math installed and activated.

- Install and activate ST Math on the source iPad.
- If the computer running Apple Configurator doesn't already have the ST Math app in the iTunes library, download ST Math: School Version from the iTunes Store.
- Use Apple Configurator to add ST Math to the list of automatically installed apps.
- Use Apple Configurator to back up (image) the source iPad, and then restore that image to other iPads (up to 30 at a time).

If it is impractical in your setup to image iPads using the previous steps, you can still use Apple Configurator to copy the ST Math app to a group of iPads. However, you will need to activate ST Math and adjust homework settings on each iPad manually.