

FOSS and Google Classroom FAQ

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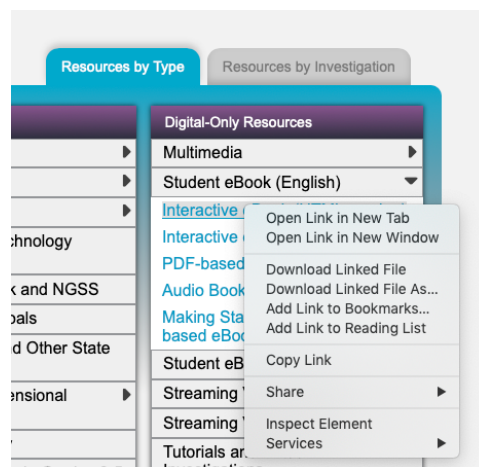
How do I set up Google Classroom?

If you've never used Google Classroom before, visit the [Google for Education Teacher Center](#) for tutorials, teacher tips, Q&A, and much more.

How do I link to FOSSweb on Google Classroom?

You can place direct links to FOSSweb resources (including the eBook or multimedia activities) into assignments and other content in your Google Classroom or GoogleDocs. Keep in mind that:

- Students need to log in to FOSSweb before clicking on the link so they will not get an “unauthorized” message.
- The course you are teaching needs to be associated with the class the student is in. Visit My Class Pages on FOSSweb to check and change these settings.
- Students will only have access to resources that their student FOSSweb account gives them access to. Student FOSSweb accounts can access these resources:
 - Multimedia
 - eBook
 - Home/School Connections (family versions of PDFs)
- If you provide a *direct FOSSweb link* to notebook sheets or teacher masters, the students can access them, but they are otherwise unavailable to students via the student resources page. Please read below to learn about FOSS Google Docs Notebook Sheets (brand new for school year 2020-21).
- You have two options for providing links to the eBook.
 - The PDF-based flipping book will allow you to provide a link to **one SRB page** in the SRB if you want to direct students to a specific article. For example, page 4 in Animals Two by Two looks like this:
[https://www.fossweb.com/delegate/ssi-wdf-ucm-webContent/Contribution%20Folders/FOSS/ebooks NG/NG Animals Two by Two SRB FB/HTML/index.html#4](https://www.fossweb.com/delegate/ssi-wdf-ucm-webContent/Contribution%20Folders/FOSS/ebooks%20NG/NG%20Animals%20Two%20by%20Two%20SRB%20FB/HTML/index.html#4)
 - In order to provide a direct link to the Interactive eBook, right-click on the link **when you are still on the Module Detail Page** and select “Copy Link” from the menu. Do not click on the link and copy the address in the address bar as this link will not open the book.



How can students answer FOSS notebook sheets within my Google Classroom?

In school year 2020-21, FOSS is developing Google Docs versions of notebook sheets for all courses grades 3-8. [Visit this page](#) to learn more about how to access them and when they will be available for each course.