



# Your Remote Learning Plan Essentials with Showbie



As learning environments continue to move between in-class and at home, schools must remain nimble and prepared for remote learning. While building a successful remote learning strategy has its challenges, it can be done in a way that enables your staff, students, and broader school community to better manage teaching and learning continuity.

Having a clear and consistent plan is imperative for any successful remote learning strategy. Delivering and executing a remote learning plan that takes a 'whole school approach' can be made easier for all stakeholders when it includes flexible teaching and learning options paired with simple, accessible technology that your entire school community understands. That's where Showbie can help support you in your remote (or hybrid) learning journey.

## Continuity of Learning

Showbie works alongside the cloud storage your school is already using, such as Google or Microsoft, and is compatible with Microsoft Office 365 and Google single sign on (SSO).

## Quality of Learning

Showbie gives educators the opportunity to utilise a variety of traditional and innovative resources, helping them deliver engaging learning experiences to students.

## Connectivity

Showbie has built-in tools such as secure messaging and video, that facilitate connections and communication between students, teachers and families—both individually or in groups.

## Equity for Students

Students can access Showbie on any device, even smartphones, and QR code logins make it easy for students to access their account from shared devices. Showbie supports multi-modal learning by allowing educators and students to interact with digital or paper based resources.

## Teacher Wellbeing

Showbie improves marking efficiency, and contains tools to help track student progress in real-time. Receive support from local teachers who have experience working with schools across Australia to support your staff with implementation.

## Student Engagement and Wellbeing

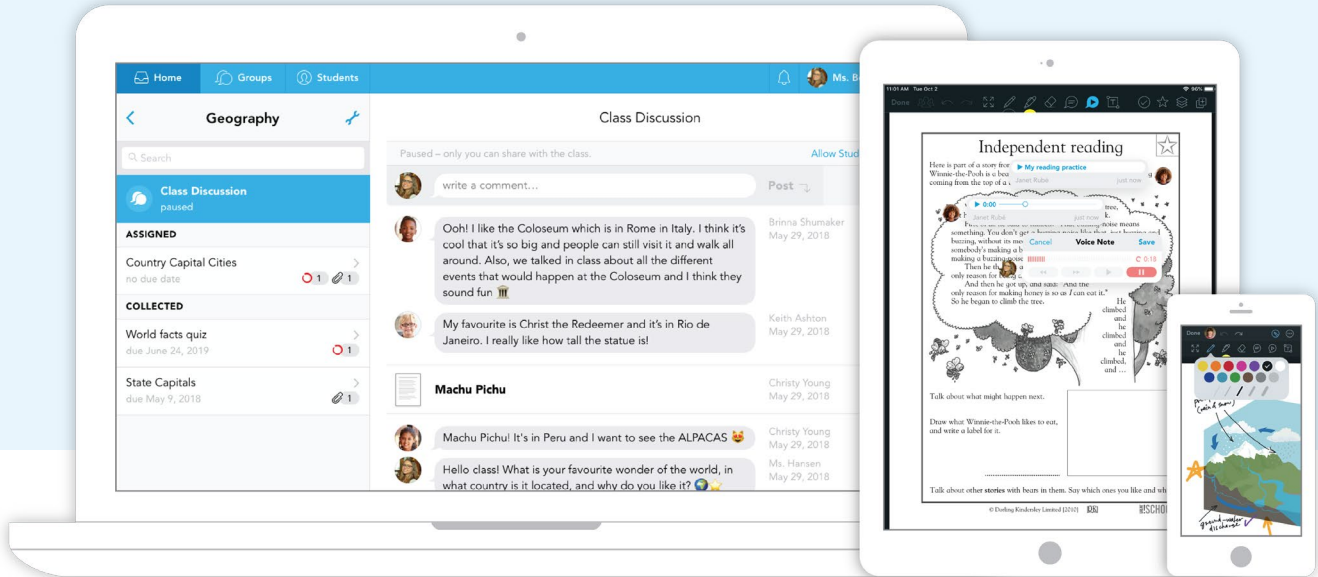
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## Collaboration and Reciprocity

Showbie improves transparency with shared class access and group discussion between teachers and leaders, facilitating collaboration and professional learning.

On the following pages, we'll share a closer look at how Showbie supports a remote learning plan with impactful teaching and learning at the heart.

# Developing a Remote Learning Plan



## Simple Solutions with Showbie

Showbie is the hybrid learning platform that combines all of the essential tools for both in-class and remote learning.

Quickly and easily manage classroom workflow and deliver personalised feedback to students of all learning abilities, on any device. With a variety of built-in annotation tools, perfect for teaching and learning, you can create an interactive classroom from anywhere.

No matter the size of your organisation, or the device type being used, Showbie can ensure a smooth roll out of your remote learning plan. Our team has experience implementing Showbie to support remote learning in both single schools, as well as large clusters of schools that manage more than 50,000 devices.

"Showbie is an integral part of our educational infrastructure. Working alongside the Google ecosystem, it has allowed students and teachers to connect and learn through the use of high-quality resources, both traditional and online. The use of innovative features such as voice notes have improved the quality of communication between students and teachers, whilst enabling workload reduction.

The platform has proven to be invaluable in our hybrid learning environment, allowing for continuity of learning, improving parental engagement, and facilitating collaborative approaches to delivering pedagogy.

It has allowed our senior leaders to quality assure teaching and learning remotely, and supported our established culture of sharing best practice by providing a platform that accommodates engaging explainer videos and tutorials. Showbie is instrumental in allowing us to build and share these rich resources through the school community, allowing us to achieve our goal of 'reaching every student, in every classroom, every day.'

Fazeel Arain, Principal, Al-Siraat College, Australia

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## Considerations When Developing a Remote Learning Plan

### Continuity of Learning

Showbie is designed for the way teachers work, so you can seamlessly transition a lesson from the face-to-face classroom experience to teaching remotely and back again, with ease.

Continue using Google or Microsoft for cloud storage and email, then incorporate Showbie for distributing assignments, personalised feedback,



and communication with students. Showbie is also compatible with Microsoft Office 365 and Google single sign-on (SSO)—making it quick and easy for teachers or students to access their Showbie account.

Showbie is flexible and can be used in a combination of

learning environments. These may include a fully remote environment where all students are at home or a hybrid learning environment where some students are in class whilst others may be at home.

*“To say that everyone was wowed by Showbie is putting it mildly, our teachers had never seen anything that was so intuitive, so pupil-friendly, so teacher-friendly and so parent-friendly.”*

*—System Leader*

### Quality of Learning

Showbie allows educators to utilise various traditional and innovative resources, helping them deliver engaging learning experiences to students.

Showbie is designed to work harmoniously with Microsoft, Google, and Apple file types, allowing teachers to select and use the best possible resources for their chosen activity.

It's easy to access and share curriculum resources with Showbie. Teachers can upload any file type from their favourite applications, Google Drive, OneDrive or other cloud services, regardless of whether they are Microsoft, Apple or Google based. You can even upload innovative file types, such as ePub or augmented reality files. Students can upload files in their original format, ensuring work is saved and can be accessed later, to be worked on again as needed.

Showbie then adds a layer of innovation by allowing teachers and students to interact with the resources in powerful ways, including voice notes, annotations and more.

**“It took our school community four days for everyone: staff, students and parents to get onboard with Showbie.”**

**Digital Learning Coordinator**

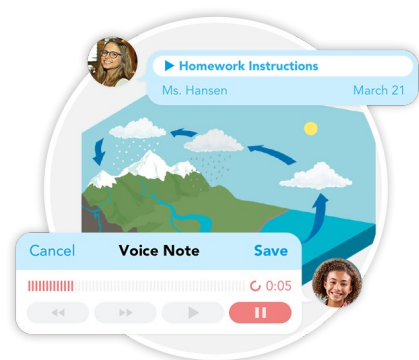
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With various annotation tools, including handwriting, text, emojis, or detailed voice notes, students can demonstrate and reflect on their learning in the way that suits them best. Using the same annotation tools, teachers can provide rich, personalised feedback.

## Equity for Students

We recognise that during a shutdown, shared device use will be at a premium in family homes. QR code logins enable students to shift effortlessly between their Showbie accounts on any device, even smartphones and shared devices.



QR codes also make it easy for younger students to access Showbie independently and easily—it works on any device, even smartphones, with a dedicated iPhone app and web access on other platforms.

Showbie supports multi-modal learning by allowing educators and students

to interact with digital or paper-based resources. Students can scan and upload handwritten documents, which teachers can overlay with digitised feedback that is timely and responsive.

## Teacher Wellbeing

We understand the challenges of implementing remote learning and seek to reduce teacher workload through time-saving features such as voice notes and quick marking.

Teachers can quickly swipe from one student-submitted assignment to another, all within the same screen.

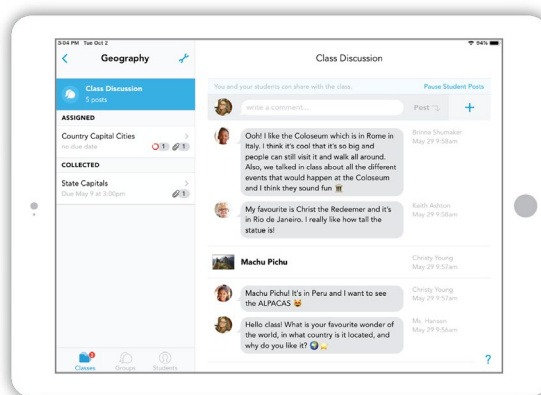
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## Student Engagement and Wellbeing

Showbie assignments can be focused to facilitate daily check-ins between teacher and student.

The class discussion feature allows students to connect and share experiences, while video chat provides a visual connection.

The multi-modal nature of Showbie assignments enables teachers to create engaging activities that students are keen to complete using images, video, audio, drawing and text.



Showbie facilitates connections and daily check-ins between teachers and students and provides school leaders insights into student engagement across classes.

**“Even when I missed out and I was working from home, I felt like I was still learning everything because the teachers just kept posting the lessons on Showbie and I was able to keep doing the work and not fall behind.”**

**Student**



## Collaboration and Reciprocity

Showbie improves transparency with shared class access and group discussion between teachers and leaders, facilitating collaboration and professional learning.

In Showbie, a class can be co-taught by several teachers, and Showbie groups can become a virtual staffroom, where teachers share ideas and support one another.

Showbie also allows teachers within a school or across multiple schools to share best practices and resources in a safe and secure environment. Teachers can share practical pedagogical approaches through video, voice, and screen recordings and host video chats for all teachers in a Showbie group. Teachers of specific subjects, grades and leadership teams can also have virtual meetings, creating opportunities for collaboration and reducing isolation.

## Try Showbie Today!

Prioritise student support and success with Showbie, the easy-to-use, hybrid learning platform for learning any way, anywhere.

We're proud to have a local [Australian team](#) to support our schools. Professional learning support is available and delivered by qualified teachers who have previous experience working with schools across Australia.

To find out more about how Showbie can assist you with your plan for remote learning, contact our Sydney-based Partnership Executive, Eric Luna, at [ericluna@showbie.com](mailto:ericluna@showbie.com)