



# 35 Affordable, Free, and Effective Tech Tools to Knock It Out of the PARCC



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## Apps & Sites

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### Chrome Apps

| NAME                    | WHAT?                          |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>Socrative</b>        | Virtual response system        |
| <b>Wolfram Alpha</b>    | Problem generator              |
| <b>AIR Secure Test</b>  | Similar to MIST                |
| <b>Nitro Type</b>       | Practice typing in small boxes |
| <b>Typing Lesson</b>    | Teaches touch typing           |
| <b>Keyboard</b>         | Online whiteboard program      |
| <b>Netsupport Tutor</b> | Manage Chromebooks             |

| NAME                               | WHAT?                                    | WWW  |
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| <b>Next Gen Assessments</b>        | Excellent PARCC resources                | nextgen.apps.sparcc.org                                      |
| <b>Quizlet</b>                     | Flash card creator                       | quizlet.com  |
| <b>NC Unpacking Standards</b>      | In-depth standard info                   | ncpublicschools.org/acre/standards/common-core-tools/        |
| <b>PARCC for Parents</b>           | Educator and Parent Resources            | parcconline.org  |
| <b>Georgia Performance Tasks</b>   | Lessons, integration, and inspiration    | georgiastandards.org   |
| <b>ShowMe</b>                      | Interactive Learning Community           | showme.com/App store   |
| <b>TNCore</b>                      | Tennessee's info on CC                   | tncore.org   |
| <b>Math247</b>                     | Dozens of "Mathcasts"                    | mathcasts.org  |
| <b>Twitter</b>                     | Tweets are powerful!                     | twitter.com  |
| <b>McGraw Hill Math Apps</b>       | Lots of task specific apps               | iTunes App store   |
| <b>Mathemagics</b>                 | Learn some great math tips and tricks    | iTunes App store   |
| <b>MathTaskBank</b>                | Math performance task bank               | rda.aps.edu/mathtaskbank/fi_html/k2tasks.htm                 |
| <b>K-5 Math Teaching Resources</b> | Lots of lessons, printables and links    | k-5mathteachingresources.com/                                |
| <b>DragonBox Algebra</b>           | Secretly teaches algebra                 | iTunes App store   |
| <b>PARCC learning games</b>        | Tons of fun!                             | parccgames.com   |
| <b>PARCC Sample Tests</b>          | Sample test questions                    | practice.parcc.testnav.com/#                                 |
| <b>Comma Chameleon</b>             | Multiple questions multiple answers      | sheppardssoftware.com/grammar/punctuation.htm                |
| <b>Fruit Shoot Decimal</b>         | Multiple levels and speeds for students  | sheppardssoftware.com/mathgames/decimals/CompareDecimals.htm |
| <b>XP Math</b>                     | Multiple levels                          | xpmath.com   |
| <b>IXL Math &amp; ELA</b>          | PreK to Algebra II ELA 2nd-5th grades    | ixl.com  |
| <b>NearPod</b>                     | Synchronized teacher/student content     | iTunes App store   |
| <b>AlternativeTo</b>               | List of alternative apps for any program | alternativeto.net  |
| <b>MyScript Calculator</b>         | Hands-on calculator                      | iTunes App store   |
| <b>MathPad</b>                     | Advanced hands-on calculator             | iTunes App store   |
| <b>Flocabulary</b>                 | Educational hip-hop fun                  | flocabulary.com  |
| <b>Readworks</b>                   | Reading comprehension assistant          | readworks.org  |
| <b>MakeBeliefsComix</b>            | Create your own comic strip              | makebeliefscomix.com or iTunes App store                     |
| <b>StoryWheel</b>                  | Story creation tool                      | iTunes App store   |

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