

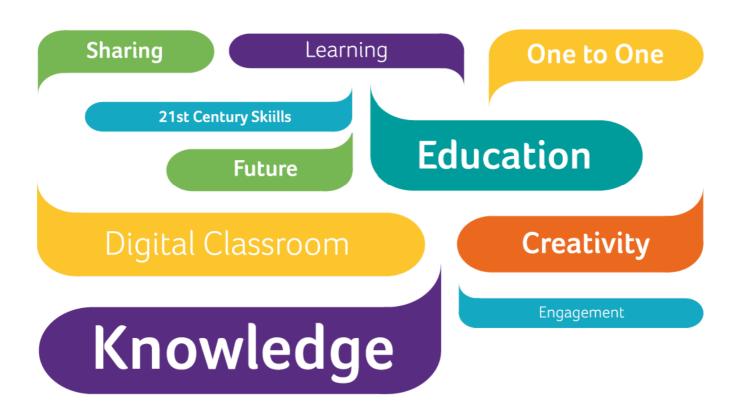


#### **Acer for Education**

# Explore. Learn. Share.



Society is evolving rapidly and technology is pervading all aspects of our lives. To keep up with these changes, education must become flexible, creative and challenging. In this panorama, technology serves as an enabler: a tool that helps open up new possibilities to create engaging learning opportunities.



As an organization that breaks down barriers between people and technology, Acer is partner well-suited to meet the needs of modern educational institutions. At Acer, we believe that the most valuable part of computing lies in the power to spread knowledge, and we see it as our responsibility to equip today's generation with the knowledge needed to succeed in tomorrow's world. The goal of the "Acer for Education" organization is to develop new kinds of interactions between teachers and students, providing reliable and easy-to-use solutions you can trust. By creating innovative technology for the classroom, Acer helps students explore beyond limits by providing access to new paths of communication and interaction. Empowering educators to keep pace with today's high-tech world, Acer's trusted solutions are easy-to-use for teachers and students alike.





# Why Acer for Education?

With over **30 years of experience**, Acer is dedicated to serving the needs of the education market and to empowering knowledge through technology.

Acer's **full line of products** supports the learning process at every step, enabling the exploration of all subjects, in any situation and beyond classroom walls. Acer products are intuitive and engineered to make learning fun and engaging.

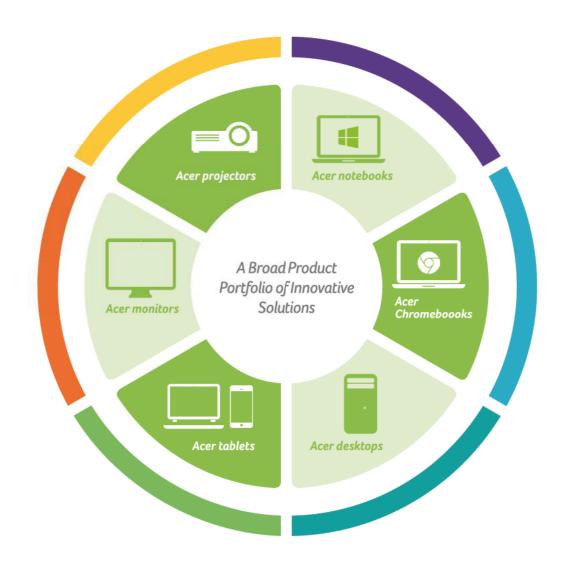
We believe exploration through technology is a right, not a privilege. This is why we make affordable products that are **reliable** and **robust**, thus resulting in **lower Total Cost of Ownership**.

Acer's 100% indirect channel model allows us to work with experts in the education market – Acer Education Reseller Partners. Effective channel programs enable great cooperation to deliver solutions that perfectly fit market needs.

Acer guarantees reliable **customer service and support**. This is crucial for education institutions, where the learning process should not be interrupted because of technical issues.

Acer invests in the future of Education together with its **Ecosystem Partners** to provide a better tomorrow for the next generation.

# A DYNAMIC LEARNING ENVIRONMENT



Acer offers innovative solutions that include tablets, notebooks, ultrabooks, chromebooks, desktops, monitors, and projectors. Acer's broad product portfolio supports dynamic, interactive and always connected learning environments.



Our solutions address the needs of education at any level, from intuitive tablets that inspire primary school students' thirst for knowledge, to light and productive notebooks for secondary school, and all the way up to high performing PCs that help college and university students win their challenges. For the classroom, our solutions include reliable desktops, whiteboards and projectors that help schools develop new and engaging approaches to learning.

Acer is focused on developing new technologies that ignite curiosity in students and enable them to explore new worlds and ideas. All our products are reliable and easy to use and manage. They allow students and teachers to easily access and share content and information, making the learning process more collaborative and fun.



# For Students | Primary School

### Having fun while learning

With game-like activities, learning is more fun. Tablets are becoming pivotal in creating new learning landscapes. In fact, tablets can be used both in the classroom and beyond, motivating and encouraging formal and informal learning. Intuitive and easy to use, even for younger learners, they are thin and light in design, and small enough to fit perfectly in their hands. They provide easy connectivity and offer access to an array of apps, resources and content for every level and learning approach. Acer's range of tablets for primary school guarantee a long battery life and the sturdiness needed to withstand the wear and tear of everyday use.



#### Acer recommends Windows.



#### Iconia One 8

- Android
- 8" HD display with IPS Technology
- · Anti-fingerprint coating
- Use a standard pencil as a stylus
- Up to 7.5 hours of battery life
- · Powered by Intel processor



#### Iconia Tab 10

Android

- 10.1" HD or FHD display with IPS technology
  - · Dolby Digital Plus sound
  - Up to 7 hours of battery life
    - Wireless display
    - · Gorilla® Glass 4 screen







#### Iconia Tab 8W

- Windows 8.1
- 8" display with IPS technology
- 370g only
- · Optional keyboard
- Up to 8 hours of battery life
- 3G option available





# For Students | Secondary School

### Learning companions for the classroom and on the go

Easy to grab and use both in and out of classroom, Acer notebooks for secondary school are dependable learning companions. Multiple connectivity options provide easy access to the Web and a world of apps and content designed to help students learn in a more interactive and creative way. They keep students connected to their social networks, helping them collaborate and share ideas and projects. These notebooks are powerful enough to handle heavy workloads, allowing students to complete sophisticated tasks like data analysis, graph creation and the organization and presentation of complex projects.



#### Acer recommends Windows.



#### Aspire Switch 10 E

- 10.1" HD screen with IPS technology
- Easy Click 2-in-1 device
- Dual camera
- · Optimal data protection
- Up to 11 hours of battery life
- · Powered by Intel processor
- · Various colour options

#### TravelMate B115

- 11.6" HD display
- Fast storage thanks to optional SSD
  - · Silent work with no fan noise
    - · Up to 7 hours battery life
- · Optional multi-touch functionality
  - · Powered by Intel processors





#### TravelMate P2 series

- · Available in 13.3", 14", 15.6" and 17"
- Smart performance
- · Carefree security with Acer Proshield
- · Reliable and eco-friendly
- Full day battery life
- Powered by Intel processors

# Chromebook for Education

## Ready, Steady, Go!

Chromebook starts within 7 seconds. Just a blink and you are ready to study or play.

#### SPEED THROUGH YOUR TASKS

with the latest processor technology

#### **EXTREME BATTERY**

Work or sit back and relax for as long as you like. You won't need to recharge for more than 8 hours.

#### **AUTO OS AND APP UPDATES**

Another thing you don't have to worry about.



#### INTEGRATED SECURITY

features protect against any threats. No more dithering about anti-virus software!

#### **DIVE INTO ANY ACTIVITY**

with a great set of Google apps. Plus, you can find throusands more on the web and you can work offline, too.

#### TOP MANAGEABILITY

with Google Management Console







#### Chromebook C720P

- 11.6" HD non-glare display
- Touch screen
- SSD storage 16 or 32 GB
- · Boots in 7 seconds
- Up to 7.5 hours of battery life
- Intel® Celeron® Processor 2957U

#### Chromebook C730

- 11.6" HD non-glare display
  - · Spill resistant keyboard
- Up to 8.5 hours of battery life
- The faster 802.11ac wireless
- Intel® Celeron® Processor N2930

or Intel® Celeron® Processor N2830





#### Chromebook C740

- 11.6" HD non-glare display
- SSD storage 16 or 32 GB
- · Boots in 7 seconds
- Up to 9 hours of battery life
- Ultra fast MIMO 2x2 802.11ac wireless connection
- Intel® Core™ i3-5005U Processor or Intel® Celeron® Processor 3205U

#### Chromebook C810

- 13.3" HD or Full HD anti-glare display
- · Fan-less design for quiet computing
  - Up to 13 hours of battery life
- Ultra fast MIMO 2x2 802.11ac wireless connection
  - NVIDIA Tegra K1 processor



15"



#### Chromebook C910

- 15.6" HD or Full HD anti-glare display
- · IPS technology for wide viewing angle
- SSD storage 16 or 32 GB
- · 2 upward facing stereo speakers
- · Up to 8 hours of battery life
- Intel® Core™ i3-5005U Processor or Intel® Celeron® Processor 3205U





# For Students | University

## Productivity and multi-tasking wherever you are

University students need their notebooks for basic activities like writing essays, taking notes, and conducting research. In some cases, they might even have more complex tasks to handle like animations, mathematic modeling, econometric simulations, graphic design, or video editing. They are also keen on extracurricular activities like social networking, watching movies, listening to music, posting photos, gaming, and video-chatting- wanting to do all of this whenever, and wherever they are. Versatile and easy-to-carry around, Acer notebooks provide the power and productivity to work and have fun.



#### Acer recommends Windows.



#### Aspire Switch 12

- 12.5" FHD display with IPS technology
- Gorilla® Glass 3 screen
- 5-in-1 notebook with wireless keyboard
- Quiet fan-less performance
- Up to 8 hours battery life
- Powered by Intel® Core™ M Processor



#### **Aspire** V13/14/15

- 13.3", 14" or 15.6" HD or FHD display
- Reliable performance
- Dolby Digital Plus Home Theater
- Up to 7 hours of battery life
- Optional multi-touch functionality
- Powered by Intel processors

# Acer Switch for Education

Explore, Type, Watch, Share



Aspire Switch gives you the freedom to learn the way you want.



#### IT LETS YOU SHARE.

Turn the screen towards your classmates to work in a group. Zero Air Gap screen technology guarantees sharper, reflection-free images.

#### IT'S A DISPLAY.



Flip it over and set it tent-like to watch a podcast lesson with your schoolmates. Thanks to IPS technology images are vivid and bright from every angle.



#### IT'S A LAPTOP.

Need to write an essay, create project slides or a chart for the maths assignment? Just clip it to the keyboard. Innovative Snap Hinge technology proides and wobble-free experience.

#### IT'S A TABLET.



Hold it in your hands and do a research for a school project, read a textbook or watch a video on the Big Bang. It's thin and light, plus, tough enough for daily use.







# For Teachers

## Productivity and multi-tasking wherever you are

Teachers require easy-to-use devices that allow them to focus on the creation of compelling lessons rather than how to use, operate and fix technology. It is for this reason that Acer's notebooks are thoroughly tested and extremely reliable. They afford advanced connectivity and the flexibility to adapt to different teaching scenarios. 21st century education is about offering students a more personalized learning experience, to meet this need Acer notebooks are equipped with Acer Classroom Manager. Either pre-installed or free to download, Acer Classroom Manager helps teachers interact with their students individually and check their progress.



#### Aspire S7

- 13.3" touch screen with IPS technology
- · Premium slim and light design
- · Top performance
- Auto-light-sensing keyboard
- Up to 8.5 hours of battery life
- Powered by Intel processors

#### TravelMate P645

- · 14" Full HD display
- · Rock-solid performance
- Great extendibility through Acer ProDock
- · Top security with TPM and Acer Proshield
  - · Up to 8 hours of battery life
  - · Powered by Intel processors



## For Classrooms

## Solid performance in a space-saving design

The perfect solution for school libraries or computer labs, Acer desktops and monitors are designed for deployment in any education environment where the workload requires better performance. Acer's solutions for the classroom are reliable and easy to manage, and are equipped with the security features that schools and educational institutions need. These PCs can handle everything you would expect of a large PC, yet come in space-saving designs that fit perfectly into space conscious environments. The Veriton Z series provides a smart All-in-One solution, while both the Veriton L and Veriton N are extremely compact and versatile. B6 and V6 series monitors come in a broad range of formats that fit any setting. They deliver vibrant visuals and comfortable viewing in addition to high quality IPS and VA wide viewing angle panels that facilitate an improved sharing of content on the screen.



#### **Monitors**



#### Monitor B6 and V6 series

- · High resolution and contract radio
- · Low power consumption
- · Full digital connectivity
- · Wall mountable
- · IPS & VA wide viewing angle panel options

#### Desktops



#### Veriton N series

- · Remarkable performance
- · Can be attached to the back of a monitor
- · Advanced manageability
- · Energy saving performance
- · 1 litre design
- · Powered by Intel processors

#### Veriton L series

- · Ultra small form factor
- · Space-saving and versatility with the Acer Ergo-Stand
  - · Powerful manageability
  - · Eco-friendly perspective
    - · 3 litre design
  - · Powered by Intel processors





#### Veriton Z series

- · Simplified design
- · Smart performance
- Valuable security
- Green technology
- · Touch functionality
- · Powered by Intel processors

#### Chromebox CXI

- · Easy to manage and scale deployment
  - · Always up to date with Chrome OS
    - · Boots up in 8 seconds
    - · Professional security with TPM
      - Fast wireless Internet access
      - · Powered by Intel processors







#### Projector U5320W

- Ultra short-through projection
- WXGA resolution
- · Wireless projection
- Hidden wireless adapter
- Up to 6000 hours of lamp life



## A new way of teaching and learning

A digital learning environment would not be complete without projectors. Offering the possibility to explore new ways of teaching and learning, projectors help improve student performance and encourage greater classroom participation through collaborative lessons.

Acer projectors perfectly combine the most important features for school like 3D function, LAN control and flexible connectivity to help create compelling lessons.

#### Projector S1383WHne

- · Short-throw projection
- · WXGA resolution
- · Vast connectivity options
- 3D Content Display Ready
- Up to 8000 hours of lamp life

# Acer Classroom Manager



#### Managing the digital classroom with ease

Combining multimedia teaching and learning with classroom PC management and monitoring, Acer Classroom Manager comes with an intuitive and easy to use interface. It allows teachers to focus on teaching, rather than managing the various technological devices in the classroom. Rich in features, this software takes into account the individual needs of teachers, students and technical staff. Teachers can easily control and interact with individual students, groups of students, or with the entire class. They can switch on and log on to all the computers in the classroom, efficiently launch applications or websites simultaneously on all student desktops, keep a record of attendance and a history of student activities, and see what students are doing; checking their progress, and testing their comprehension and understanding.

#### Acer Classroom Manager helps teachers by allowing them to:





Acer Classroom Manager is free of charge for use on Acer Windows-based products. It can be preinstalled on the device or downloaded from the official Acer website, acer.com.

# Intel® Education Solution



Acer and Intel work together in the field of education to provide innovative and affordable solutions to the global education community.

Acer devices can come with Intel Education Software preloaded.

Intel Education Software is a collection of applications designed to help students acquire 21st century skills, such as communication, collaboration, problem solving, critical thinking, and digital literacy. It empowers educators to change the learning experience and efficiently manage their classrooms. It supports IT in promoting safe and secure computing practices.



#### KNO TEXTBOOKS\*

Designed for education, Kno Textbooks is an interactive e-Reader that provides students with navigation, search and annotation tools, course management, and reference capabilities.



#### INTEL® EDUCATION LAB CAMERA

Lab Camera is a science exploration application with six tools that help students carry out scientific observations and measurements using the device's built-incamera..



#### ARTRAGE\*

ArtRage is a painting and drawing tool that simulates real-world materials to enable students to create sophisticated digital artwork



#### INTEL® EDUCATION MEDIA CAMERA

Media Camera lets students easily capture and edit pictures or video, and make annotations to create their own multi-media outcome for project-based learning.



#### MCAFEE® ANTIVIRUS PLUS

McAfee AntiVirus Plus enforces safe and secure computing practices by proactively protecting student and educator devices from exposure to malware or risks of identity theft. IES includes a 5 year McAfee license.



#### ACER CLASSROOM MANAGER

Acer Classroom Manager helps teachers to manage the digital classroom with ease. Thanks to an intuitive and easy to use interface, teachers can easily control and interact with their students either individually, in groups, or with the entire class.



#### FOXIT READER

A PDF viewer that allows students to open, view, and print. Students can add annotations, fill out forms, and add text to PDFs.



#### SPARKVUE"

A data analysis app that uses internal and external device sensors. It allows students to study science and math concepts by collecting, evaluating and analyzing data.

# An Ecosystem of Partners

Acer works with a range of international partners in the education field to provide innovative and complete solutions to the global education community.



Acer has been cooperating with European Schoolnet (EUN) since 2009 to promote innovative ways of teaching and learning through the use of technology. The European Schoolnet is a network of 31 European Ministries of Education. It provides both Ministries and schools with information and services relating to the innovative use of educational technology; outreach campaigns on specific educational topics such as math, science and technology; and research activities. Acer is a sponsor of the Future Classroom Lab, which is one of EUN's key initiatives. The Future Classroom Lab helps visualize how conventional classrooms and other learning spaces can be easily reorganized to support changing styles of teaching and learning.



Intel's mission is to create and extend Computing Technology to enrich the lives of every student on earth this decade. Intel works with academic groups and institutions to promote excellence and innovation in education, with incentives such as STEM competitions, research grants, and more. Intel provides resources that help teachers teach, students learn, and universities around the world to break today's digital boundaries. Acer partners with Intel to deliver 21st century school solutions, enriching selected platforms through Intel Education Software (IES).



Acer works closely with Microsoft in the education area. Microsoft's mission in education is to help every student and educator around the world realize their full potential. Microsoft is deeply committed to working with governments, communities, schools, and educators to use the power of IT to deliver technology, services, and programs that provide anytime, anywhere learning for all. Microsoft works with schools to help them envision how their school can be innovative and integrate technology to ensure students are prepared for college and the workforce. Together with Microsoft, Acer helps provide innovative tools to modern schools, implementing digital classrooms and sharing new approaches for teaching and learning.



Acer values its partnership with Google. Our common purpose is to create leading-edge technologies that help equip future generations with the skills they need to thrive in the workforce. Chromebooks provide vast education resources to students with access to the web. Using Chromebooks, teachers can spend more time teaching and less time managing classroom technology. To the administrators, Chromebooks offer centralized device management and low total costs of ownership. The web-based Google Management Console makes it easy to deploy and control users, devices and apps across a fleet of Chromebooks.

## **Acer Success Stories**



#### Chromebook Research & Professional Development Programme

The Chromebook Research & Professional Development Programme has been launched by Acer and Google in March 2015 in collaboration with European Schoolnet. Teachers from the UK, from the Netherlands and from Spain are participating in this 1 year project to create and to test innovative pedagogical scenarios using Acer Chromebooks and Google Apps for Education. The teachers selected for the Programme have been trained on Google Apps and on the Future Classroom Toolkit, a valuable resource developed by European Schoolnet to ensure that classroom technologies can support new ways of teaching rather than strengthening traditional teaching methods. Workshops and Hangouts sessions will enable teachers to develop their own pathway of innovation for classroom teaching practices with Acer Chromebooks and Google Apps.



Sponsored by Acer for Education

#### Orlando Pirates Learning Centre supported by Acer for Education

The Orlando Pirates Learning Centre (Soweto, South Africa) supported by Acer for Education has been assisting and improving the numeracy and literacy skills of children living in and around the Orlando area since October 2012. The Orlando Pirates Learning Centre was fully equipped with products from the current Acer product portfolio along with fully interactive whiteboards and internet access, thus offering invaluable training on various technology hardware and software. The Learning Centre has engaged with 14 schools in the community and this will extend to more schools over the course of the coming year. The facility is available to teachers and adults to enable them improve their IT skills too. Acer's solutions offer the flexibility of an open architecture so educators can choose the peripherals, software, instructional content, and infrastructure they need, making it easy to integrate into the classroom now and in the future.



#### Acer Chromebooks for Education: Perfect for interactive learning

Tellegen Primary School in Wijhe in the Netherlands has been using Acer Chromebooks since the start of the 2013/2014 school year. The school is renowned for being progressive. The choice fell on Acer Chromebooks as they meet all their needs, including a good screen size, a battery that would last an entire day at school, a convenient keyboard, and good educational apps available aimed at 11 and 12 year olds. The Chromebooks take advantage of the school's Wi-Fi network: you can take any Chromebook, log into your Google accounts and continue where you left off. Teachers can easily log onto the Chromebook of a student through the management console and check their progress.



#### The new teaching-learning process: Liceo Ginnasio Melchiorre Gioia of Piacenza

The 1E school classroom of Liceo Ginnasio Melchiorre Gioia of Piacenza, Italy has revolutionized the teaching-learning process. Thanks to the support of C2 Group, the class has been completely equipped with Acer notebooks and tablets. 1400 students of the Piacenza school have the Acer TravelMate B1 notebook that can be used at school or home for homework. All the devices are equipped with Acer Classroom Manager software, allowing teachers' interaction with students through remote control, as well as audio and visual monitoring. To encourage collaboration, brainstorming and research, new desks with an innovative wave shape have been adopted. They can be moved around easily and rearranged depending on what students are doing. The teacher's desk has been replaced with a chair and the traditional lecturing method has been revised: teachers create podcasts of lessons in advance, so students can listen to them at home and discuss any issue arising from the topic in class with the teacher.

## **Acer Education Partner**

As part of the Acer Synergy Partner program, a specific channel certification – **Acer Education Partner** – is offered that is aimed at building a network of dealers capable of satisfying the demands of the education market. Acer Education Partners act as a link between Acer and the world of schools and universities by helping them meet their technological needs and providing full IT solutions that fit their specific setting. Acer partners capable of providing a high level of expertise, delivering in-depth knowledge of Acer products and having a training center onsite, receive a special certification – **Acer Education Partner** – **Solution Centre**.







# Service and Warranty

#### Acer's customer service and support always offers the highest standards

Acer Service is well organized to complete repairs efficiently and quickly, while Acer call centres are capable of providing users all of the information they need. Specialized technicians perform repairs with the best tools on the market. Moreover, each Acer Repair Centre has a quality control team that tests repaired products and replaced parts including the chassis to ensure the machine was correctly assembled. All Acer products come with a standard Warranty\*. On top of that, Acer offers on the whole product range the Acer Care warranty extension program that can be purchased and grants a priority repair service. Notebook and tablets can even be covered by the Accidental Damage Insurance, which takes care of any accidental and unforeseen damage to the product.







