



Using Android Apps with Project Reconnect Chromebooks

Goal: Add Google Play Store on a Project Reconnect Chromebook in “Add Person” mode. To use Android apps in this mode, the user must sign in with a personal Google Account,.

Android apps are now also available on the Project Reconnect Chromebooks (Medion S2015). This documentation details the requirements, settings, and steps needed for a user to install and use Android Apps on the Project Reconnect Chromebooks when logged in with a personal Google account.

Requirements:

- Chrome OS Version 61.0.3163.123
- Sign in with a personal Google Account via "Add person"



For information on updating Chromebooks, go to the Project Reconnect documentation "Updating Chromebook Operating System" at goo.gl/mGVkgW.



Android apps are only available in the “Add Person” mode, which requires a sign-in with a personal Google Account.

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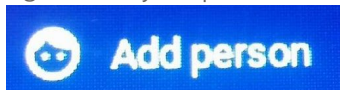
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Chromebook users

1. Install Google Play Store

1. Sign in with your personal Google Account via "Add Person"



in the bottom left corner of the sign-in screen .

2. If your Chromebook does not have Chrome OS version 61. * or later, please upgrade your Chromebook. For more information, go to the "Update Chromebook Operating System" documentation.
3. Click on the Google Play Store icon in the taskbar to install it.



4. Review the Google Play Terms of Service for Android Apps and accept by clicking on "Agree".

Google Play Terms of Service

Use Google Play to install Android apps

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1. Introduction

Applicable Terms. Thanks for using Google Play. Google Play is a service provided by Google LLC ("Google", "we" or "us"), located at 1600 Amphitheatre Parkway, Mountain View, California 94043, USA. Your

[Google privacy policy](#)

The owner may choose to send diagnostic and usage data for this device to Google. You may view this [setting here](#). [Learn More](#)

☒ Automatically back up and restore Play app data to Google Drive. [Learn More](#)

☒ Let Google's location service help apps find your location quickly and accurately, which can reduce battery consumption. Anonymous location data will be sent to Google, even when no apps are running. [Learn More](#)

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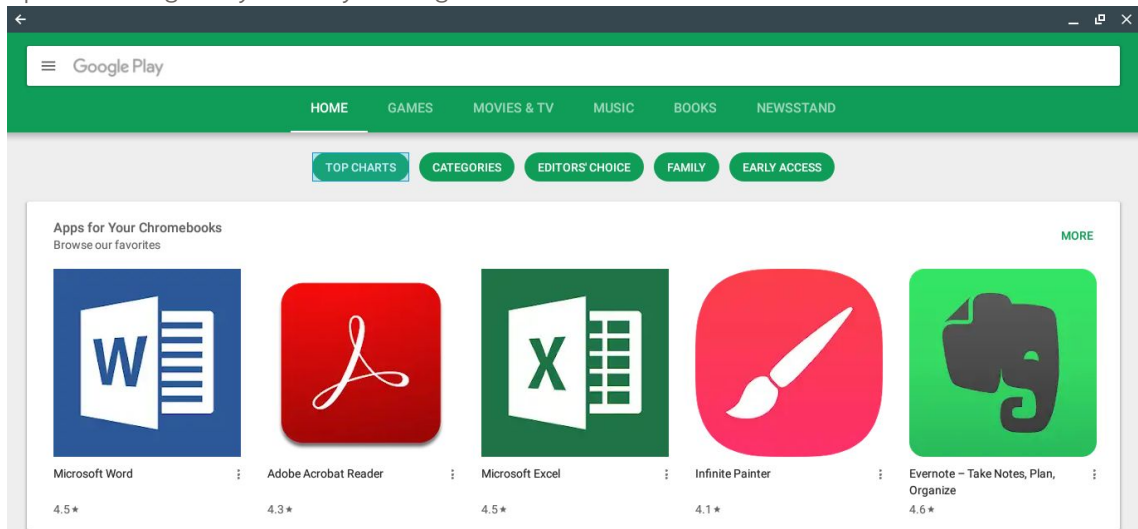
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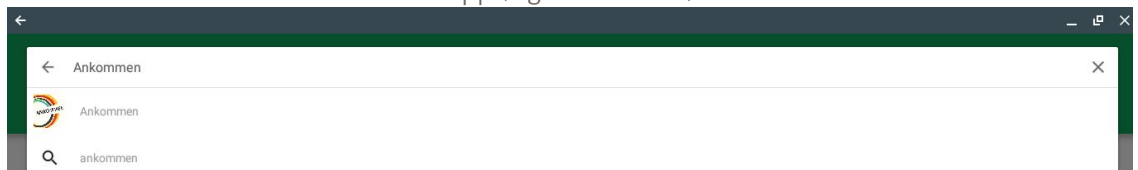
2. Install Android Apps



1. Open the Google Play Store by clicking the icon.



2. Enter the name of the desired Android app (e.g. Ankommen) in the search bar.



3. Select one of the suggested apps or press the "Enter" key on the keyboard to see more suggestions.
4. Click on the app recommendation that fits your interest (e.g. Ankommen). An overview with information about the app appears. Select "Read more" to read all information.




5. Select "Install"  to install the App on the Chromebook. The App is now installed.


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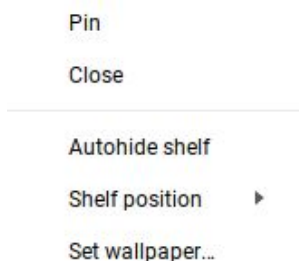
6. Click on "Open"  to start the app. The App will open automatically.



The newly installed app can now be reached by clicking on the overview button  at the bottom of the screen on the left of the taskbar.

3. Add Android Apps to the taskbar

1. Open the App after installation or open the App via the overview  in the lower left corner of the taskbar. The icon of the App appears in the taskbar.
2. Move the cursor over the symbol. Now touch the touchpad with 2 fingers at the same time. A small menu window opens. Select "Pin" to add the app to the taskbar.

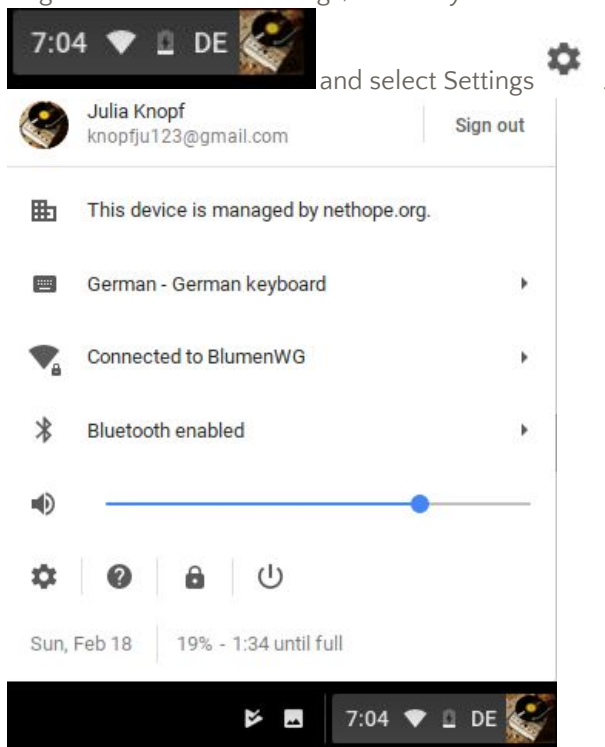


3. The App remains visible at the taskbar, even if the App is closed.

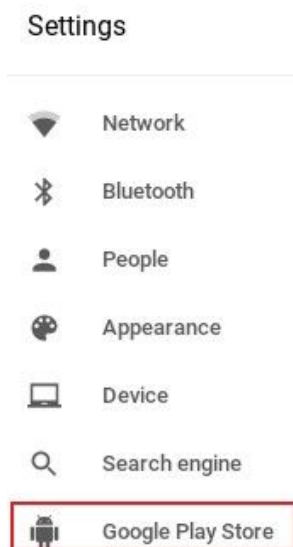
4. Managing Android Settings

You can use the Google Play Store Settings to manage your Android Settings, like

- **device settings** (e.g. sound & notification)
 - **user settings** (e.g. location, accounts)
 - **system settings** (e.g. accessibility)
1. To get to the Android settings, click on your account symbol in the lower right corner

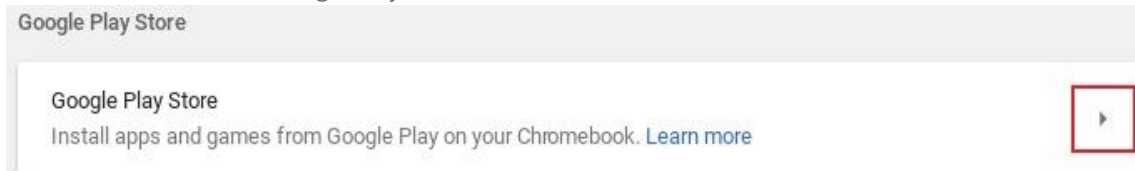


2. Click on the 3 dashes in the upper left corner to open the main menu.
3. Choose "Google Play Store".





- Click the arrow under "Google Play Store".



- Click on the icon  at "Manage Android preferences".



- An overview opens with the Android Settings where you can configure e.g. your location or sound & notification settings.

