

Check Out a Virtual Computer from Chippewa Valley Schools!

Students and staff can now “borrow” a virtual computer from Chippewa Valley Schools and use it at home or on campus using Virtual Desktop Infrastructure (VDI).

The virtual school computer will be the same Windows XP computer used at school with Microsoft Office 2007 and access to user home directories. But a Windows computer isn’t needed! This virtual computer can be operated using any of the following Internet-connected devices:

- Windows computers
- Macintosh computers
- iOS devices such as iPads and iPhones
- Linux computers
- Android tablets and smartphones
- Kindle Fire devices
- Windows RT tablets such as Surface
- *Currently, CVS VDI is not supported on Chromebook.*

After some quick setup, your home computer or tablet will connect to Chippewa Valley’s VDI and create a school computer right before your eyes.

Get Started!

1. Visit <https://mydesktop.cvs.k12.mi.us/>.
2. Install the **VMware Horizon View Client** for your specific device from the link on that page. You might also [find them here](http://bit.ly/1c3Cic3) (<http://bit.ly/1c3Cic3>).
3. Launch **VMware Horizon View Client** on your device.
4. Enter **mydesktop.cvs.k12.mi.us** when prompted for a server.
5. When prompted to login, use your usual school username and password. The domain is **Chippewa**.
6. Be sure to save your work and logout when done.

Later...

Just launch **VMware Horizon View** and login!



Now, all CVS students need is Internet access and one of the many supported devices to...

- Get on the school network.
- Get access to their home directory.
- Do schoolwork using Microsoft Office Word, Excel, PowerPoint, and more.

No flash drives needed, no need to lug documents back and forth! Using VDI, CVS students without an expensive Windows computer at home can still use a virtual Windows computer on almost any Internet-enabled device.