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Challenges & Solutions to Testing and Instruction Delivery in Correctional Facilities

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What we're working on and exploring for Corrections

Situation – transitioning to the new normal

- Cohorts or smaller groupings causing scheduling, availability of testing seats, and volume disruptions on both the prep and testing side
- Staffing shortages and/or upskilling challenges within DOC IT departments
- Two VUE updates within the past year

Exploring, Developing, Solutioning:

- GED Ready Offline –updated test forms
- Chromebook test delivery (specific models) – testing is in progress and pilot is expected to begin later this year
- Atlo partnership – completed
- Client Proctored – in research phase
- Cloud-based test delivery solution - completed



How GED Ready Offline Works

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- To register the testing computers
- To allocate tests to the testing computers through a Control Center/internet-based computer
- To launch GED Ready on testing computers



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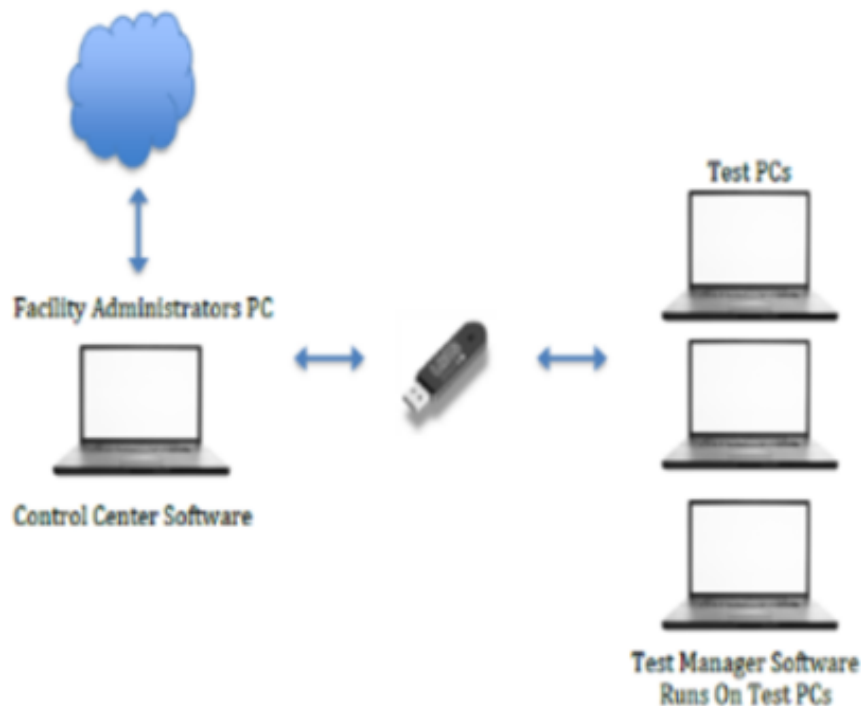
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improvement.

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Chromebooks

Exploring the possibility of using Chromebooks for test delivery in the correctional setting:

- We are looking at specific models
- Research and testing is taking place
- Hoping to pilot soon

CCT for DOC

Overview Cloud Control Technology



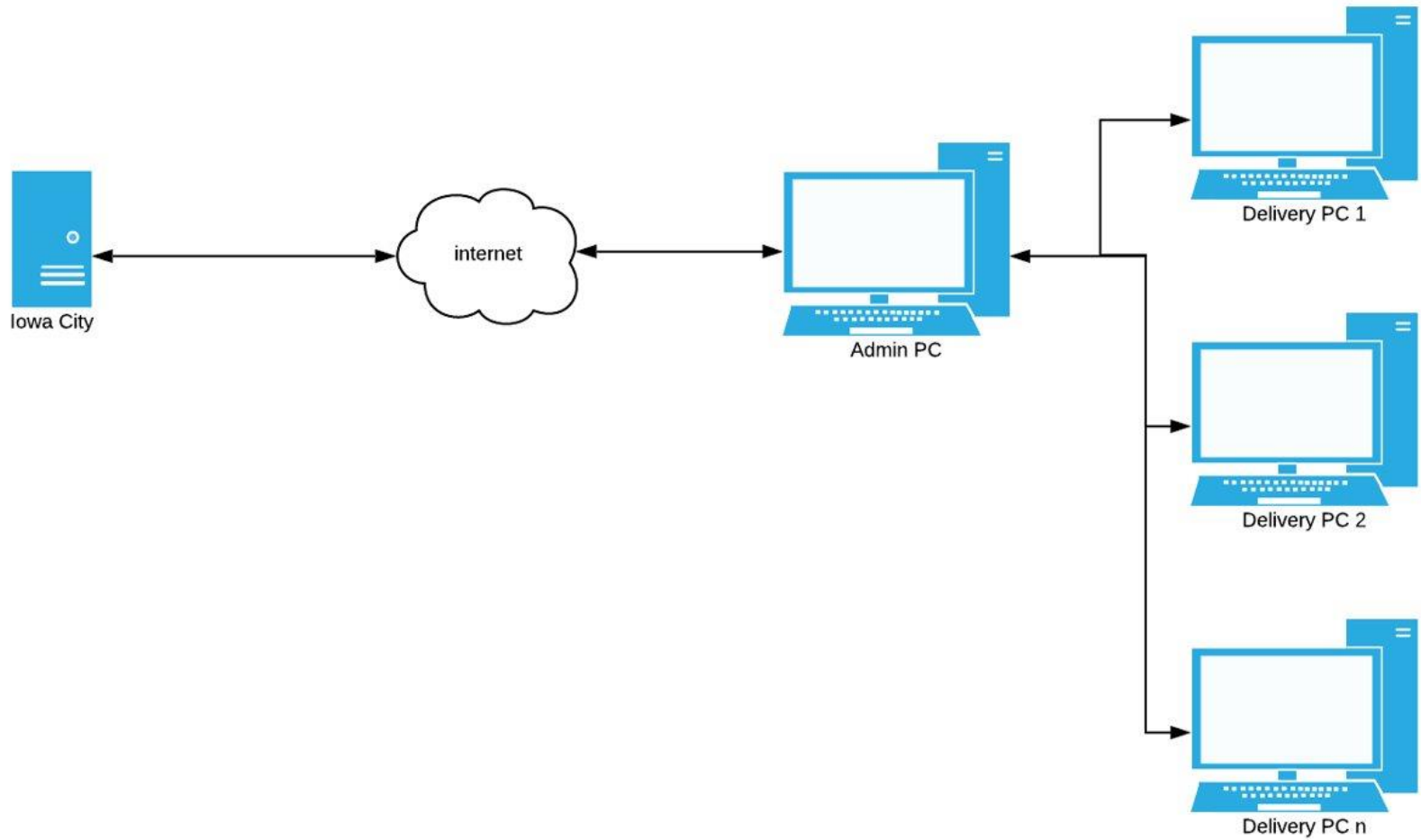


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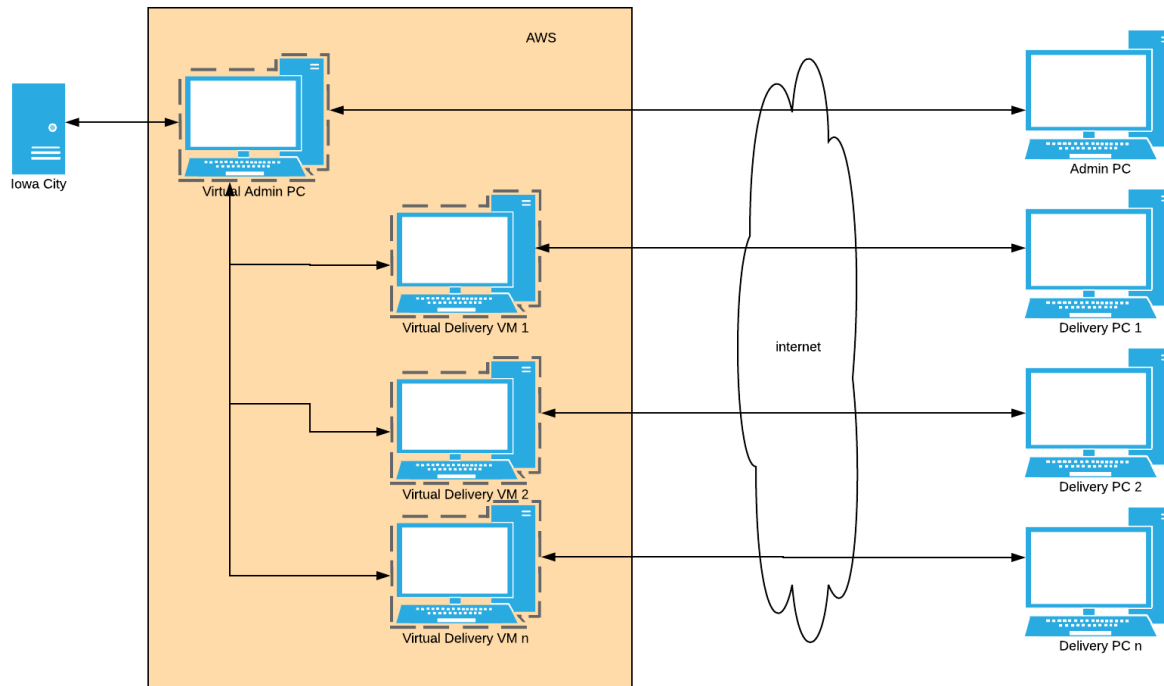
Cloud Control Technology

Typical Test Center





Virtualized VTS software



What: in a nutshell

- Virtualization of a VTS site in a controlled environment
- Client (I.e. DOC IT) replaces VTS software setup with a simpler-to-manage client

Benefits

Managed VTS service (Current/Traditional Setup)

- Will always be on a recent, working version of VTS
- Pearson now handles VTS upgrades as well as patching underlying OS. Typically, the VTS upgrades are a pain point
- VTS software stack replaced by much easier to manage client with significantly reduced maintenance requirements
- Any VTS upgrade issues are handled by Pearson, including rollbacks

Reduced hardware requirements

- VTS replaced by simpler CCT client
- Smaller memory footprint, lower storage requirement. If using a virtualized environment the storage requirements will be reduced

Introducing “Client Proctored” Testing

Also known as “Proctored Anywhere”

Allows for flexible test center setup

Reduces frequency of software updates

Client Proctored Requirements

Wired Internet preferred (wireless is possible, but not preferred)

Windows 10 OS or above

Latest versions of Edge, Chrome, Firefox or Safari,
plus 2 versions back

Broadband internet 40Mbps down/up

Not Supported by the Client Proctored Solution

Touchscreen laptops, tablets, smartphones, chromebooks

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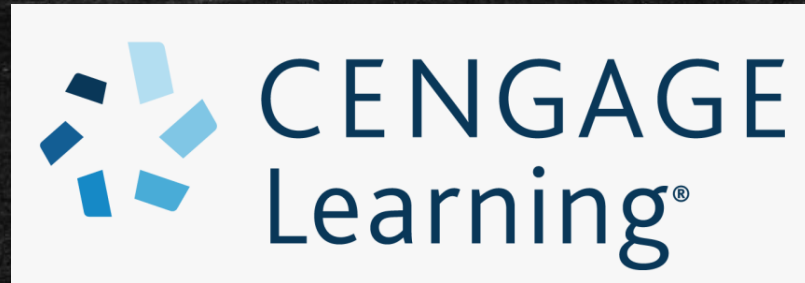
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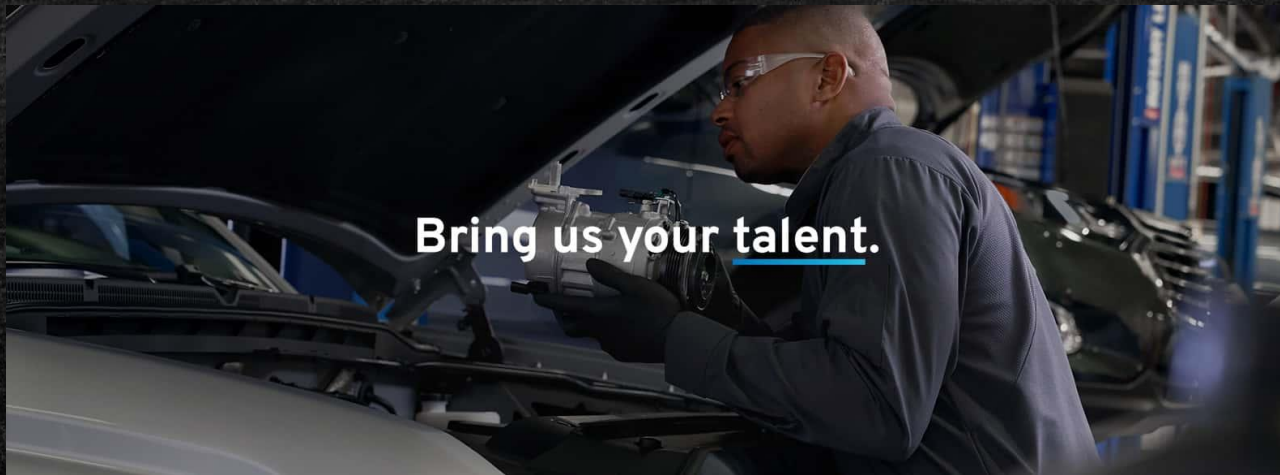


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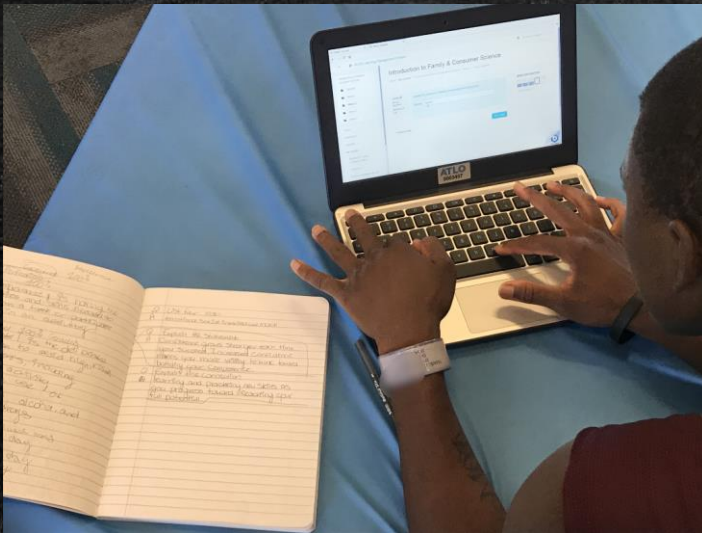
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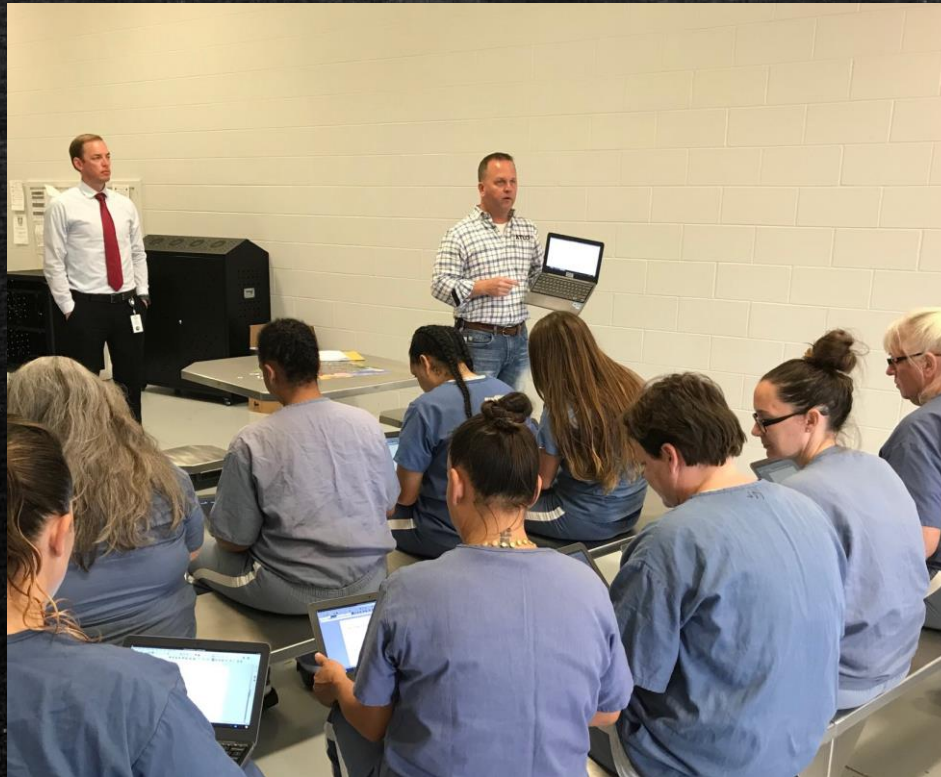
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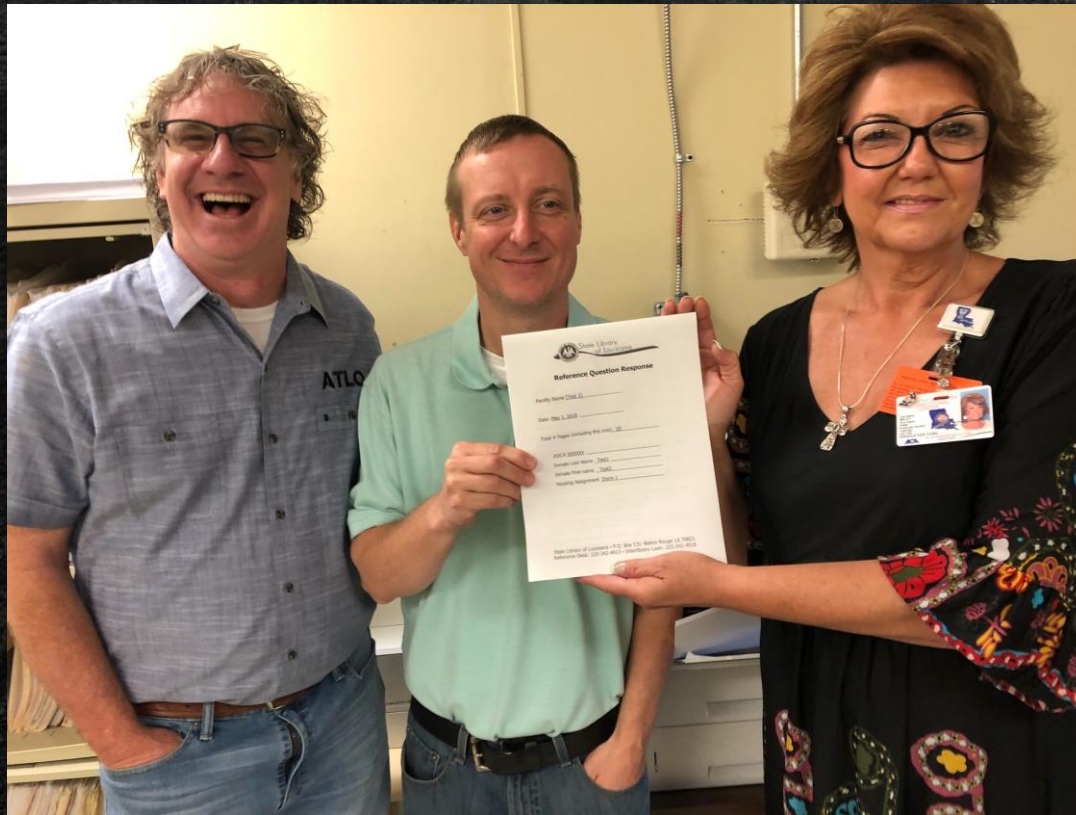
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The ATLO logo consists of a white icon of a building with a steeple, followed by the letters 'ATLO' in a bold, white, sans-serif font.

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ATLO Learning Management System Secure Single Sign On Feature

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MORE TO COME...

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Success Story – November, 2016

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Success Story – David Wilson, General Motors Technician

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Success Story – David Wilson, Engineer

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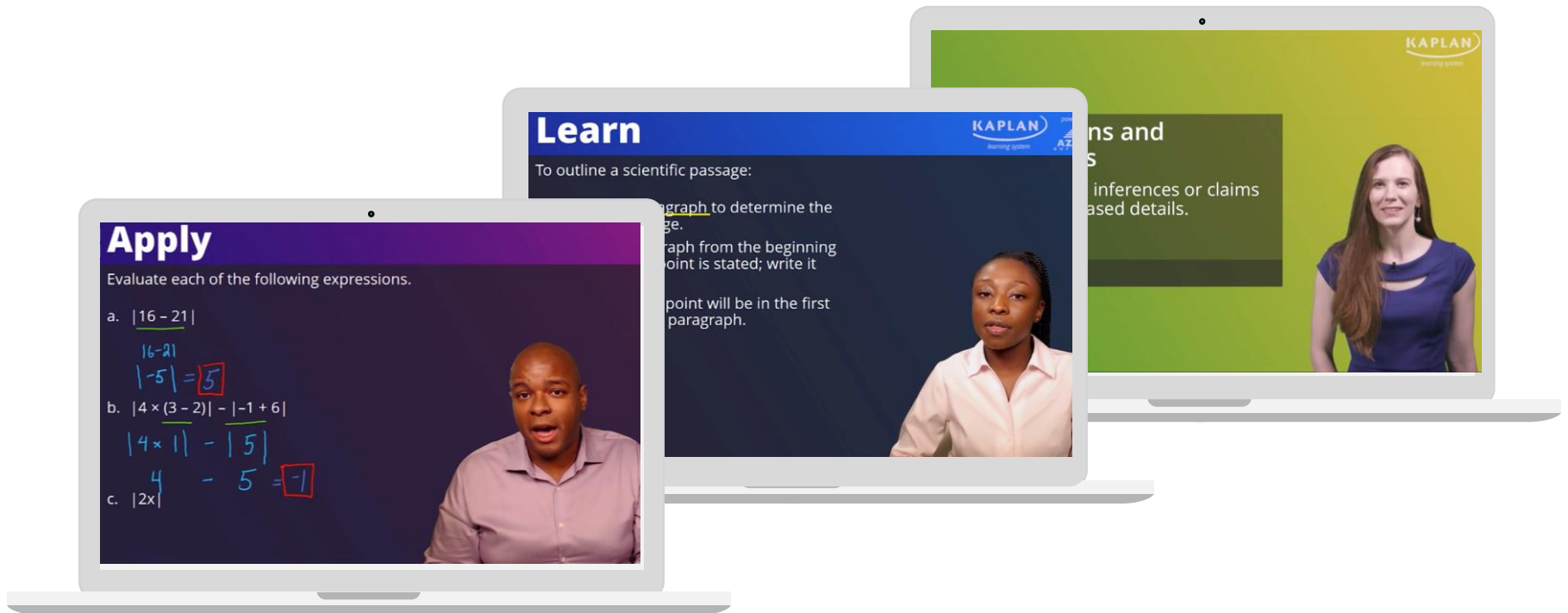
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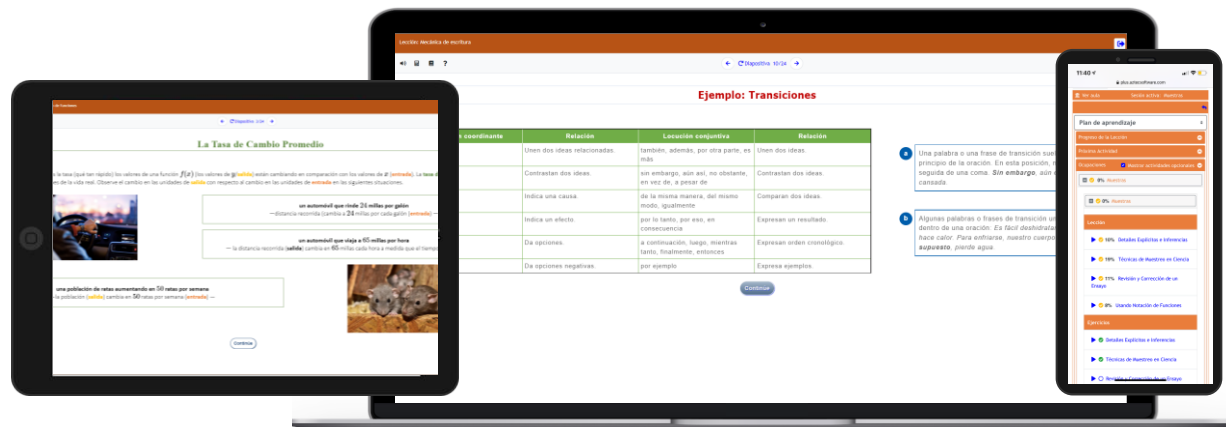
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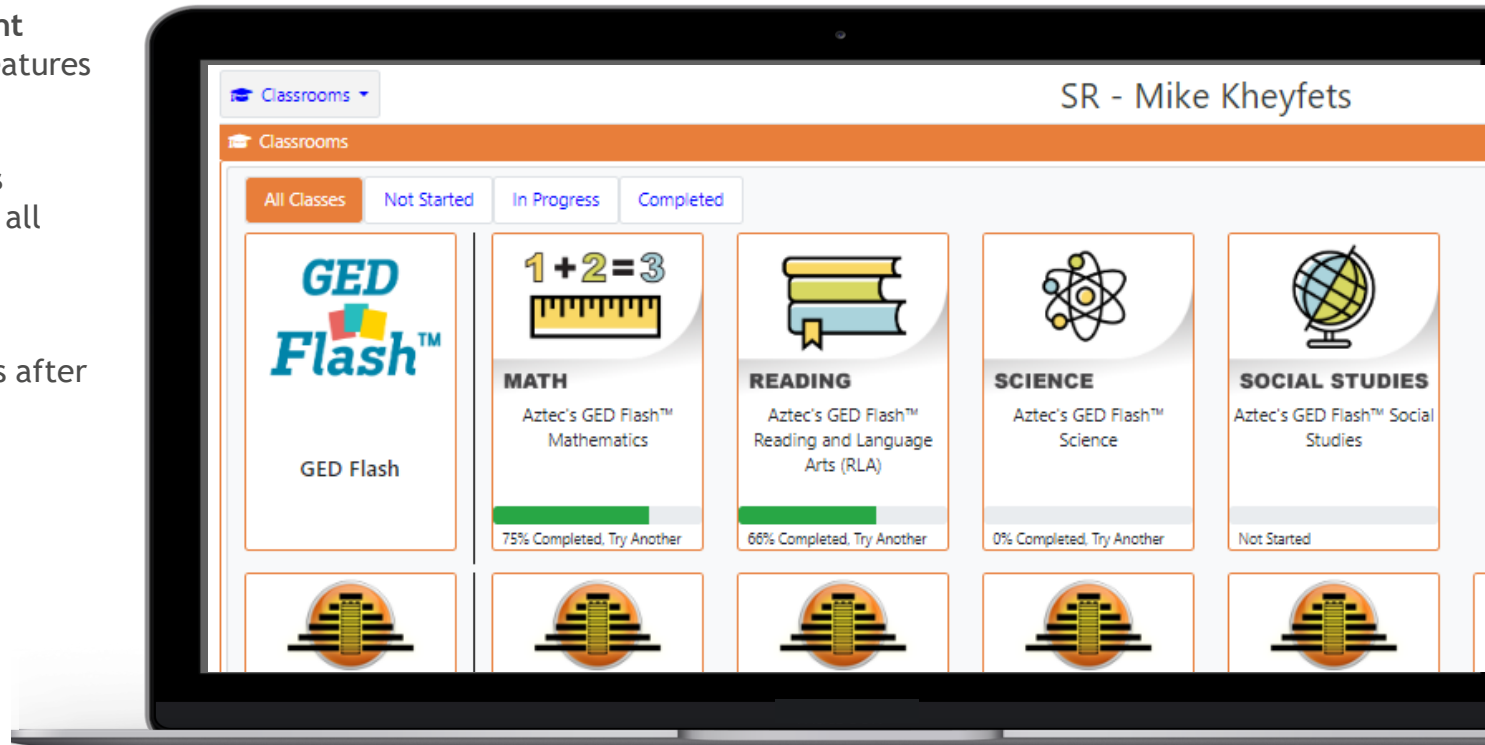


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