

Computers Plus

The Best of Google



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Google develops applications that are free and in most part supported by ad revenue. Most are Web based but a few are loaded on the client. Currently there are over 60 Google applications.

What we will Cover

- Gmail Email
- iGoogle Web Portal
- Chrome Web Browser
- Doc's Word processor/Spreadsheet
- Maps Travel and more
- Picasa Photo editing
- Health Health record and more
- Earth Pure fun

gmail

- Open a Google Account
- Web Based Email
- Over 7GB of Storage
- Virus and Spam filtering
- Built-in chat: text, voice, or video
- Search your mail instantly
- Labels, filters, and stars
- Consolidate your mail accounts

Gmail

- Features and Tutorial
 - <http://mail.google.com/mail/help/about.html>
- Video Tutorial
 - <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fn3-vXzICuA&feature=related>

iGoogle

- Web Portal not tied to any browser or ISP
- Fully customizable Home Page
- Hundreds of Plugins/Gadgets
- Available anywhere you access the internet

Google Chrome

- Googles new Web Browser
- Light and Fast
- Tab Base paging
- Incognito Mode
- More Info
 - <http://www.butterscotch.com/tutorial/Going-Chrome-Incognito>

Google Docs

- Replaces Microsoft Office for most of your needs
- Word Processor
- Spreadsheet
- Presentation
- Learn More
 - http://reviews.cnet.com/online-software-services/google-docs-spreadsheets/4505-9239_7-32115919.html

Google Maps

- Maps.Google.com
- Plan a trip
- Get Directions and Traffic conditions
- Street Views and photos
- Maps on Android
- Learn More
 - <http://www.google.com/help/maps/tour/>

Picasa 3

- Great Photo editing program
- Does what you want in under 20 seconds
- Edit, Print, Collage
- Movie, Blog, Email
- Order Prints online
- Learn More
 - <http://picasa.google.com/support/bin/answer.py?hl=en&answer=93183>

Google Health

- Save and share your medical records online
- Records only accessible to people you specify
- Check your prescriptions
- Check drug interactions
- Learn More
 - <http://www.google.com/intl/en-US/health/tour/index.html>

Google Earth

- On Land, Under the Sea and in the Heavens
- Pictures, Videos and History
- Take scenic tours
- Waste hours on end
- Learn More
 - <http://earth.google.com/tour.html#v=1>

What's Next

- Google OS
- Linux Based
- Opens in a browser
- Targeted at Netbooks
- And it's free
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