

## **Help: System Requirements**

GOLD® online works on any PC (Windows 7 or later) or Mac (OS X 10.9 or later) with a high-speed Internet connection (see *Bandwidth Requirements* below for details). The system works with the following web browsers:

- Apple Safari 9 or newer
- Google Chrome 56.0 or newer
- Microsoft Edge
- Microsoft Internet Explorer 11 or newer
- Mozilla Firefox 51.0 or newer

## IMPORTANT:

- You must set your browser to accept cookies in order to use our system.
- If you are using Internet Explorer, make sure Tools > Options > Security is set to Medium or Medium-high; if this option is set to High, you may experience problems using  $GOLD^{\otimes}$ .
- You will also need Adobe Reader (free from adobe.com) to read and print optional versions of reports.
- We strongly encourage EVERY user to be registered with a valid e-mail address and update their contact information regularly.
- Please note that the *GOLD*® Documentation app is not currently compatible with Microsoft tablets.
- If your organization uses e-mail filtering or security software, you must configure your policy to accept mail from the following servers:

o Name: tsiweb2.teachingstrategies.com

o Address: 208.112.1.2

o Name: mail2.teachingstrategies.com

o Address: 208.112.1.28

• If you can filter by domain, please allow:

\*@teachingstrategies.com



## **Firewall Ports**

Use of  $GOLD^{@}$  requires that the following TCP ports are open on any firewall, proxy server, or other packet filtering device that sits between the end user's computer and the Internet:

- 80 (http)
- 443 (https)

## **Bandwidth Requirements**

A minimum upload and download speed of 300 kbps (kilobits per second) is required for each  $GOLD^{\otimes}$  user (i.e., each individual administrator or teacher using the system). Here are some typical examples:

Internet connection	Maximum number of concurrent users
1.5 Mbps	5
6 Mbps	20
10 Mbps	34
20 Mbps	64
50 Mbps	170
100 Mbps	341