

# The New York Times

## Academic Site License Implementation via IP Range: Group Passes

An Academic Site License using NYTimes Group Passes provides users with full access to NYTimes.com and the NYTimes.com smartphone apps.\*

- Enjoy access to NYTimes.com from any device.
- Once activated from within your school's network, an NYTimes.com Group Pass can be used from any location for the duration of your license period.

### New Users: How to Activate a Pass

While physically on campus and within your school's network:

1. Go to [nytimes.com/grouppass](http://nytimes.com/grouppass).
2. Create an NYTimes.com account using your school email address. If you already have an NYTimes.com account using your school email address, you may log in with those credentials.
3. When you see START YOUR ACCESS, the expiration time and date of your pass will appear.
4. Go to NYTimes.com and enjoy your full access from any location!

### Returning Users

Once you have activated the Group Pass provided by your school, it should allow you full access until your expiration date with no further action on your part. However, if for any reason while on NYTimes.com you are served the message that you are reaching the limit of free articles on the site, do the following:

Make sure you are logged in to the NYTimes.com account with which you activated your Group Pass. If you log out of your account or visit NYTimes.com on a device where you are not logged in, you can simply [log in to your account](#) to continue enjoying access.

**If your Group Pass has expired:** Visit [nytimes.com/grouppass](http://nytimes.com/grouppass) to activate a new pass. A new pass will be available to you if your school has designated additional access periods and you activate it while physically within your school's network on campus. For example, if each pass at your school lasts 24 hours, you may revisit [nytimes.com/grouppass](http://nytimes.com/grouppass) as necessary to continue your access. Make sure you are logged in to the NYTimes.com account with which you activated your Group Pass.

### Smartphone Apps

Your Group Pass includes access to The New York Times via the NYTimes smartphone apps. To download your free smartphone apps by visiting: <http://www.nytimes.com/services/mobile/index.html>

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## Group Pass FAQ's

### Why use the Group Pass to read The New York Times online?

The New York Times charges for full access to its digital edition, NYTimes.com. Visitors to the site are capped at viewing 10 articles each month before charges take effect. The Group Pass gives you unlimited access to all content on the site, with the exception of a limitation on the number of articles you can view from the archive period 1923-1980.

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### I already have a NYTimes.com digital subscription. What should I do?

If you have an existing paid NYTimes.com digital subscription, you are not eligible to activate a Group Pass. You should continue to access The Times via your own subscription.

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### Should I cancel my existing subscription to make use of the site license access?

The New York Times Academic Site License has some restrictions that your personal subscription does not have.

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### What are the restrictions?

Site license access does not include the NYTimes.com tablet apps. At this time, access to articles from the date range 1923 to 1980 is limited to 5 articles for the entire duration of your pass.

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### Can I access The Times off-campus?

Yes, as long as you have previously activated your Group Pass from within your school's network, e.g. its designated IP ranges while on campus. You cannot activate a Group Pass from a proxy server from an off-campus location.

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### Can I access the Times from my mobile device?

There are NYTimes mobile apps for iPhone, Android, BlackBerry 10 and Windows phones; these are included as part of the Academic Pass. Mobile apps for tablets are not part of the Academic Pass. However, you can access NYTimes.com formatted for mobile users by visiting [mobile.nytimes.com](http://mobile.nytimes.com) using your smartphone or tablet browser.

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### Why am I asked to log in on some occasions and not others?

This may be because your browser may clear its web cache/history if it is set to do so. In such cases you will need to log back into to NYTimes.com, but you still have your Group Pass.

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### Do campus alumni have access?

No, only current students, faculty and staff are entitled to activate a Group Pass.

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### Are there other New York Times resources available on campus?

Most campus libraries offer a variety of ways to search and view current and historical content of the New York Times online. Check with your campus librarian for specific details.

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### I still need help!

If you are still experiencing problems, contact our site license support at [edu@nytimes.com](mailto:edu@nytimes.com) for assistance or [View our complete FAQ »](#)

\*Does not include e-reader editions, Premium Crosswords or The New York Times Crosswords apps. NYTimes apps are not supported on all devices. Access to archived articles within the date range 1923-1980 is limited. Other restrictions may apply