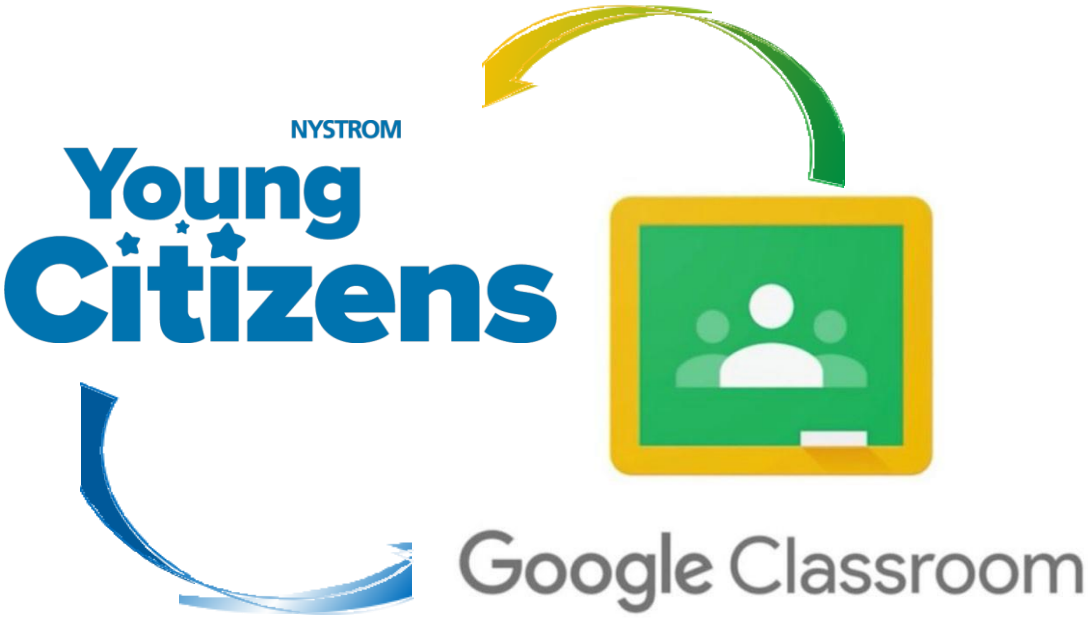
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*Nystrom Young Citizens provides robust integration with Google Classroom*

Integration includes the ability to:

- Roster Google Classroom students and classes into your Young Citizens account
- Sync the platforms at any time to update rosters for classes and students
- Create assignments in Young Citizens that are automatically added to your Google courses
- Launch assignments in Young Citizens by clicking on the assignment link in Google Classroom
- Use the “sign in with Google option” for Single Sign On access to Young Citizens. No additional usernames or passwords to remember.

## ROSTERING

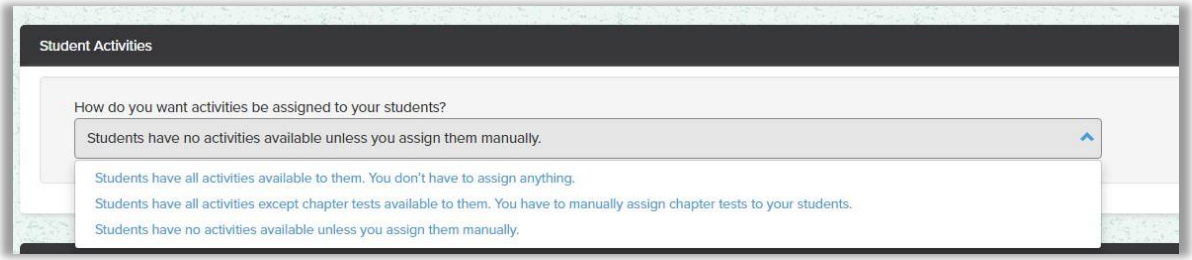
A teacher that connects their Young Citizens (YC) account to their Google Classroom (GC) account will have their GC classes pulled into YC. Teachers can still manage and create classes manually in YC, but classes created manually in YC (and assignments to those classes) will not transfer to Google Classroom.

Any changes to classes that are made in GC (adding/removing students, renaming classes) will occur in YC as well. Changes to classes that are made in YC, will not transfer to GC.

If district is already being rostered through OneRoster files, but teachers also want to connect YC and GC, this **has to be coordinated between the district's IT department and teachers** – if not, teachers may end up with extra classes or duplicated students. If student emails in OneRoster files and Google Classroom do not match, duplicated user accounts will be created.

## ASSIGNMENT INTEGRATION

Manually assigned activities in YC will be sent to GC as "course work" for the students.
To push YC assignments into GC make sure you've chosen to manually assign activities in 'Student Activities' section.




YC will push into GC only those assignments, which *are assigned to GC classes*. If a teacher creates an assignment for a non-GC class/student/group, this assignment will not be sent to GC when the sync occurs.

While the teacher's account is connected to GC, creating an assignment in YC will automatically create an assignment in GC, as long as the assignment is created for a GC class in YC. An assignment created for an individual student, or a non-GC class will not be created in GC.

The GC assignment will contain a link to the YC assignment, and the instructions entered when creating the YC assignment (if any). Editing a GC-linked assignment in YC will update that assignment in GC.

If for any reason YC is unable to send the assignment to GC (e.g. network or Google service down), the YC assignment will still be created, and the teacher will get a warning to synchronize the assignment manually.

If the student is working on an YC assignment connected to a GC assignment, once the student submits the assignment in YC, it will also be marked as submitted in GC. (If for any reason YC is unable to update the assignment's status in GC, the YC assignment will still be submitted in YC and the student will need to manually synchronize their assignments to GC.)

None of the students' answers, attachments, or annotations are sent from YC to GC.

## GRADE PASSBACK

Students grades and assignment status (‘turned in’) will be sent from YC into GC. Students must still go into YC to complete their assignments there, but when turning in their work in YC, the corresponding course work in GC will be updated too.

YC will push student grades into GC for those assignments with student progress that has been graded.

GC requires grades to be numeric. All grades sent to GC will be converted to a 0-100 scale. They will remain unchanged in YC.

# Connecting YC/GC for teachers

1. Login to YC with Google

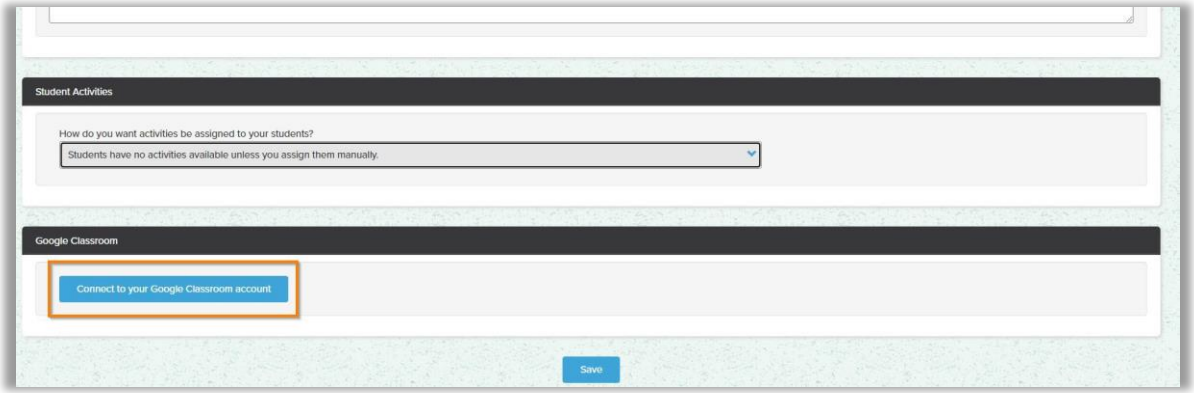
   Go to Nystrom Young Citizens login page and click “Log in with Google”.

   Make sure to select the email address that is registered for GC account.

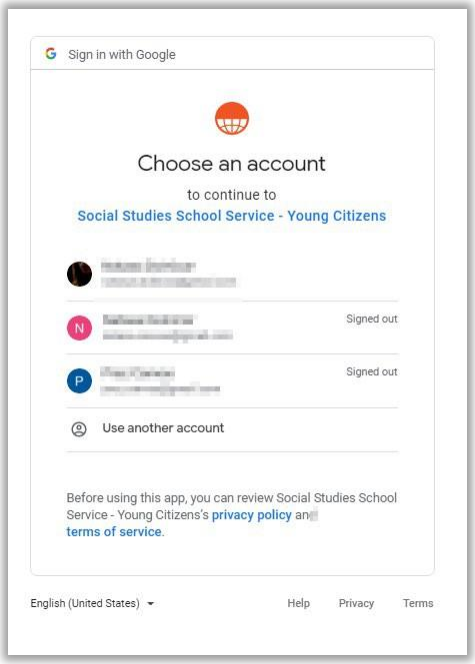


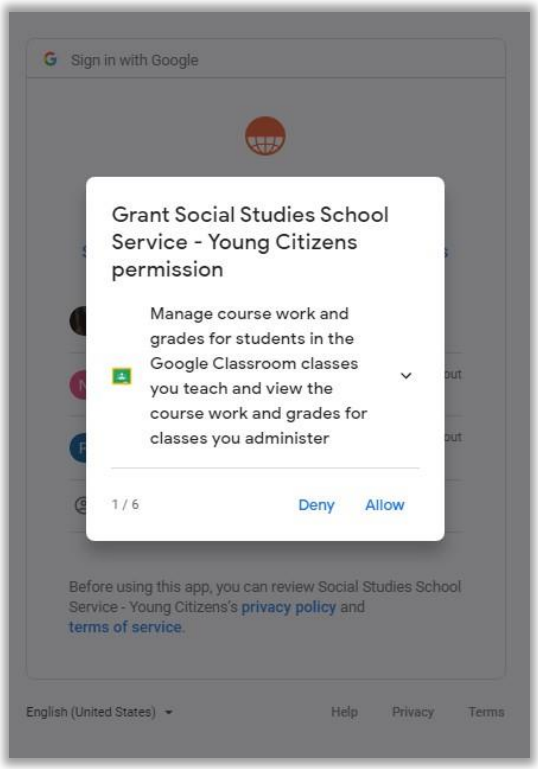

2. Connect YC/GC

   Go to your user profile. Scroll down to ‘Google Classroom’ section and click the ‘Connect to your Google Classroom account’. This is a required step to let GC know that YC has permission to pull data from the user’s account.

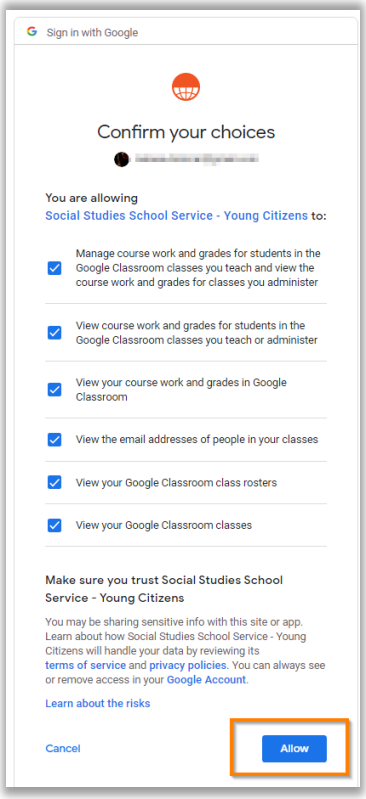


You will be sent to Google to choose your account. Make sure to select the correct one, that is the one registered for Google Classroom



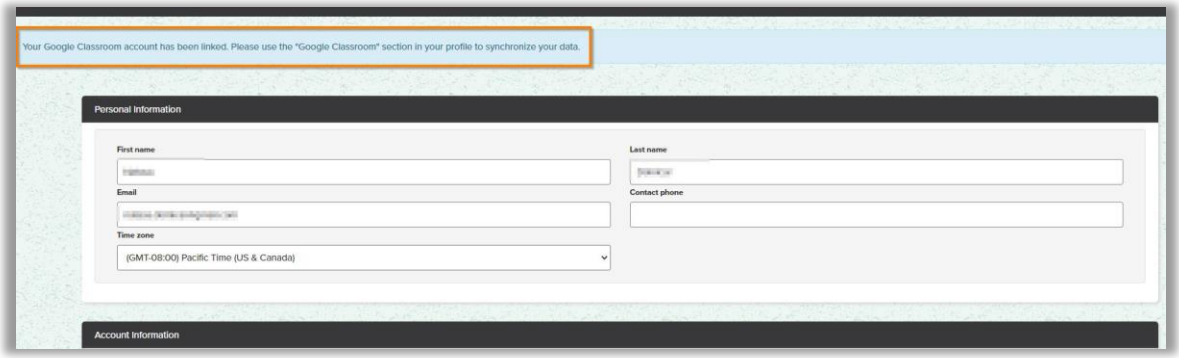




You will need to grant permissions for Young Citizens. Click 'Allow' for each request:



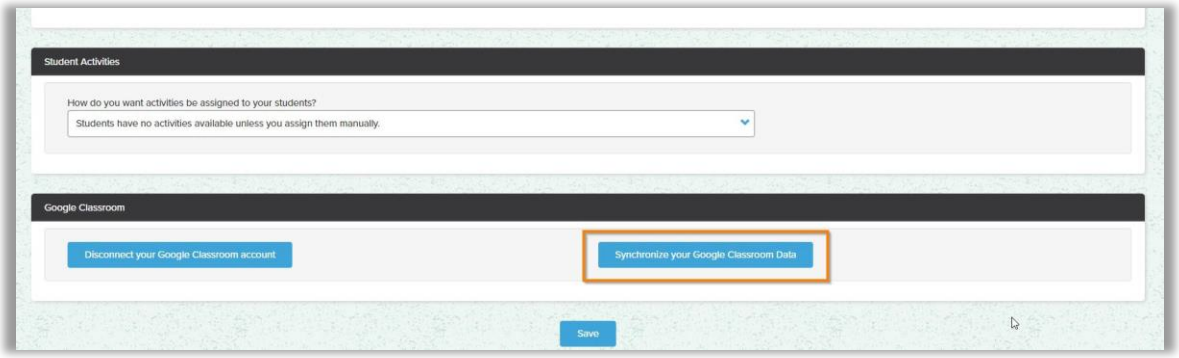

At the end you will get a summary to confirm that you agree with the permissions. This is a required step. Please click 'Allow".

Once permission is granted, you will be taken back to YC. You will see a message letting you know your account was connected to GC.

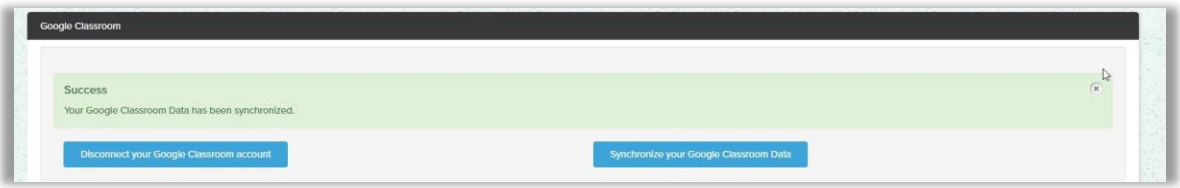



## 3. SYNCHRONIZE YC/GC

The next step is to synchronize the two accounts. Scroll back down to 'Google Classroom' section and click 'Synchronize your Google Classroom Data'.




Once you have synchronized the two accounts you will see a success (or error) message.




- If the process fails, the "sync" button will be disabled – in this case reload the page.
- If the account gets disconnected, the informative warnings will show up when trying different things. In this case go back to your profile and click "connect" again.

Every time you create new classes or add new students in GC you should go to YC and synchronize your teacher account.

As a teacher with a GC-connected account, you can select only one class for assignment.

- If you select more than one GC-class for the assignment you will see an informative error message.



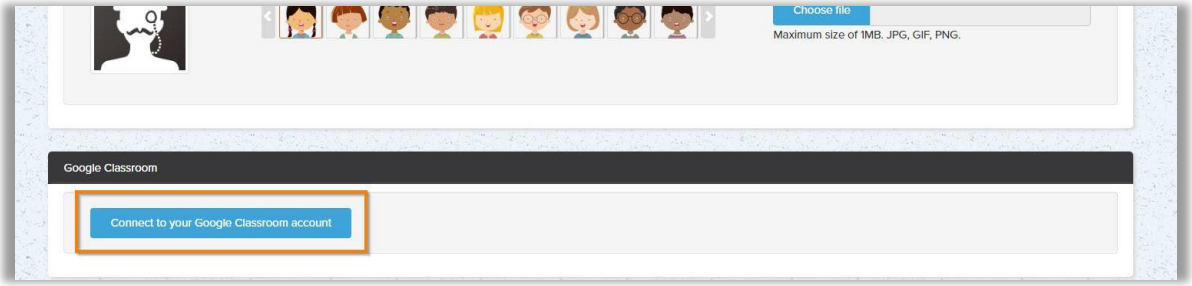

This is limited to GC-teachers AND GC-classes. If you create YC classes that are not part of the "GC roster", you can select more than one for the assignment.

# Connecting YC/GC for students

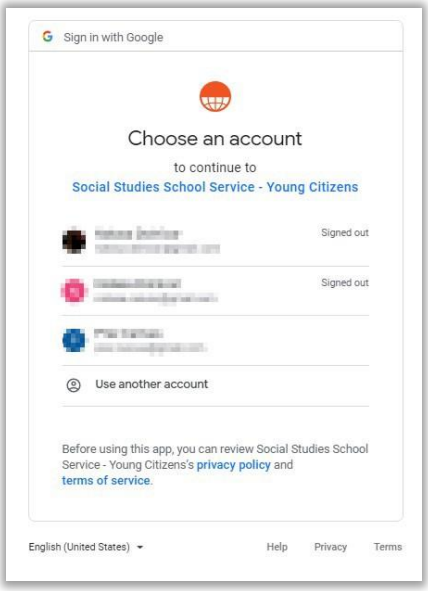
1. Login with Google
   Students should go to Nystrom Young Citizens login page and select 'Log In with Google' option.

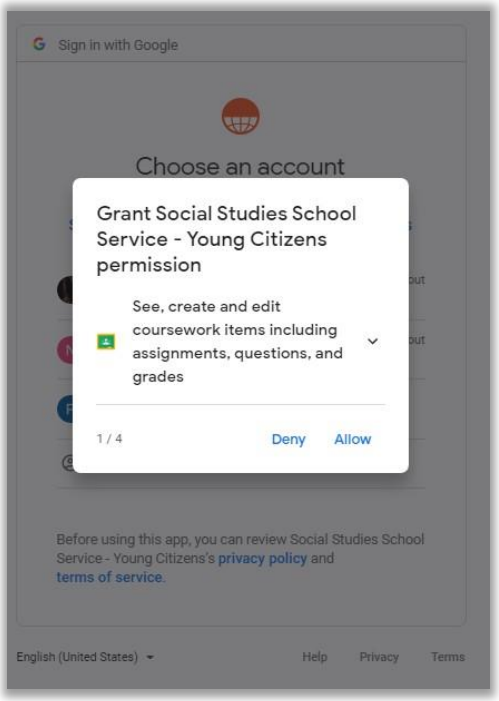



2. Connect YC/GC
   Once they are logged in, students should go to their profile and click 'Connect to your Google Classroom Account'.



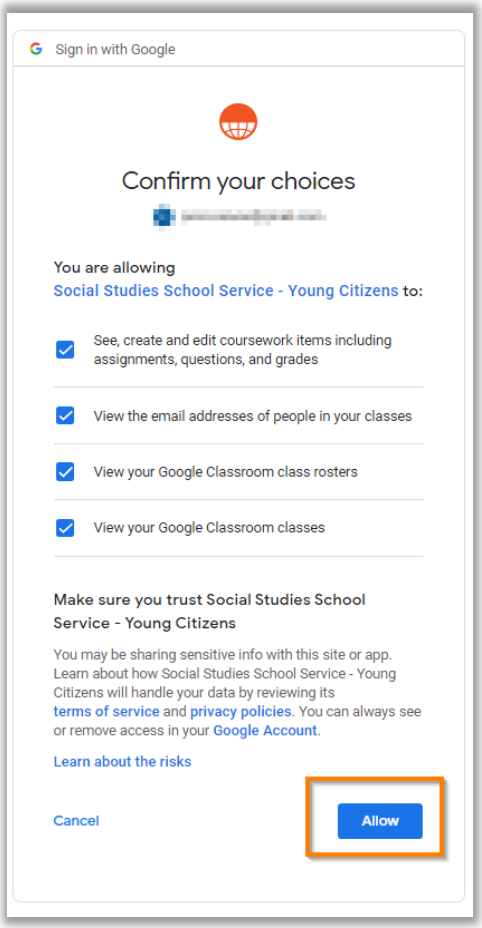

3. Student will then select their Google account.
   It is important that students choose a correct google account – the one that is registered in their Google Classroom account.






## 4. Grant permission

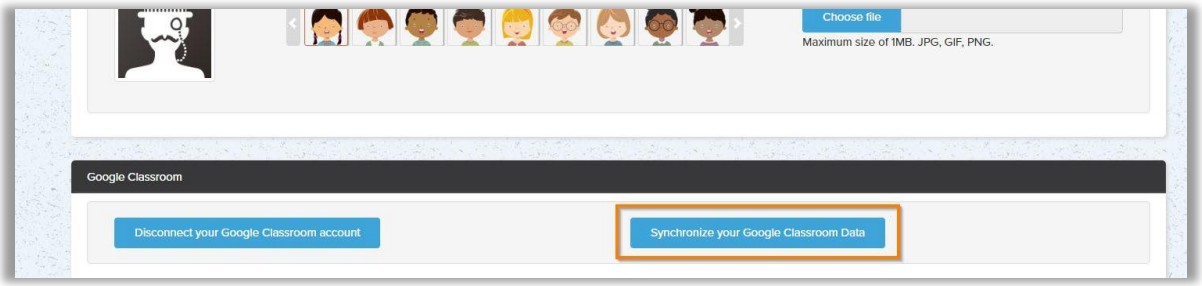
Like teachers, students will need to grant permission to Nystrom Young Citizens, yc.socialstudies.com.. They need to click 'Allow' on each screen.




Finally, they will have to confirm their choices and click 'Allow' button.

## 5. Synchronize YC/GC

After connecting YC and GC accounts, students need to "synchronize" the two accounts. Once again, they should go to their profile. They will now see a button to 'Synchronize your Google Classroom Data'.



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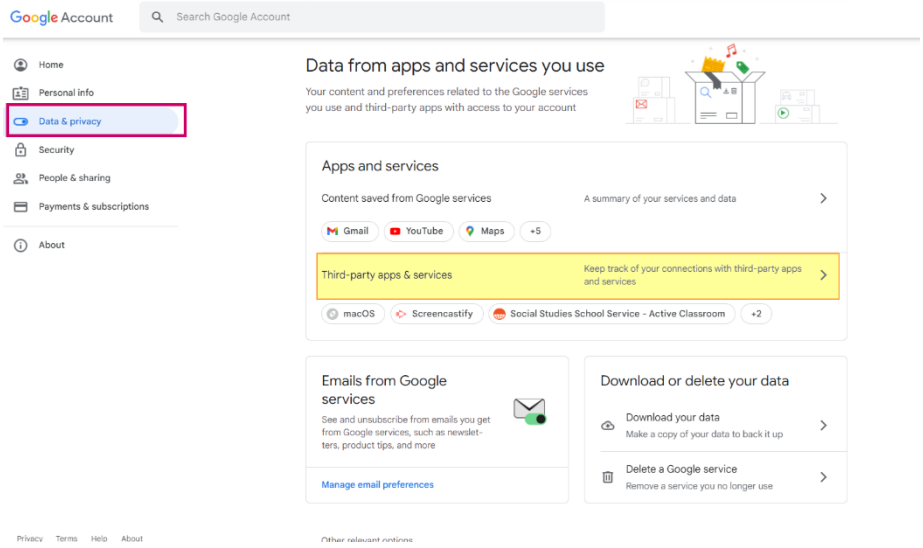
## Google Classroom FAQ

### I connected my account with Google Classroom, but the 'Sync' button isn't showing up.

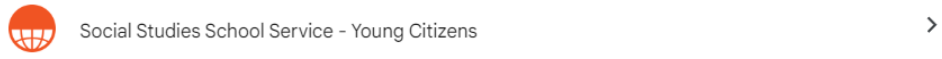
If the sync button isn't showing up, please go to your Google account and remove Young Citizens from 'Third-party apps with account access':

1. Go to https://myaccount.google.com/

2. Go to Data & privacy – Third-party apps & services.




3. Find and open Social Studies School Service – Young Citizens




4. Remove access – Delete all connections.




5. Go back to your Young Citizens profile page to connect with Google. Please make sure to grant all permissions (check all boxes). When you sync, please make sure to wait on the page until the sync is complete (you will see a 'success' message).