

Add a local tool in Skolon

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✓ Student

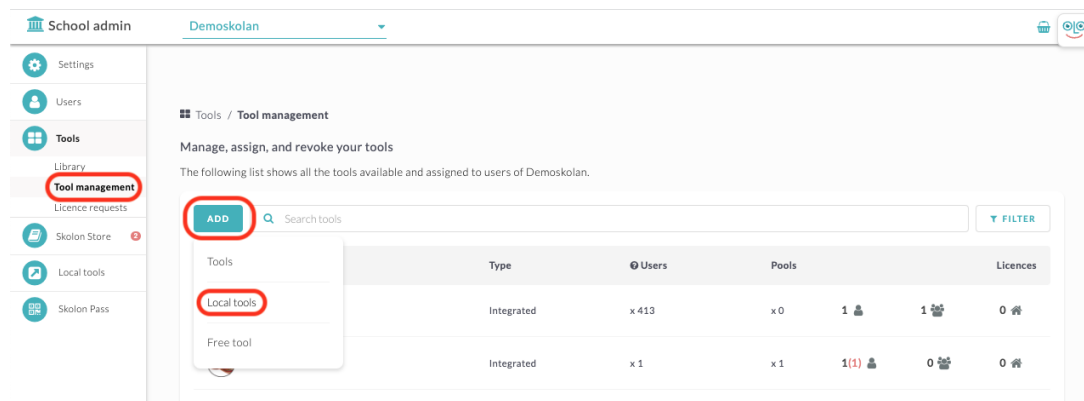
✓ Teacher

✓ Administrator

In Skolon, you as an administrator can add your own local tools. This means that you post a link to something that you want users to be able to reach and use in Skolon together with other digital tools and teaching aids. It's all very simple, stay tuned!

1. Create local tools

1. Log in to Skolon.
2. Go to **My Collection** and click on the **School Admin** icon.
3. In the menu on the left edge, click on the category **Tools / Tool management**. You will now get an overview of the tools in Skolon. To add a new local tool: click the **Add** button and then **Local tool**.



School admin Demoskolan

Tools / Tool management

Manage, assign, and revoke your tools

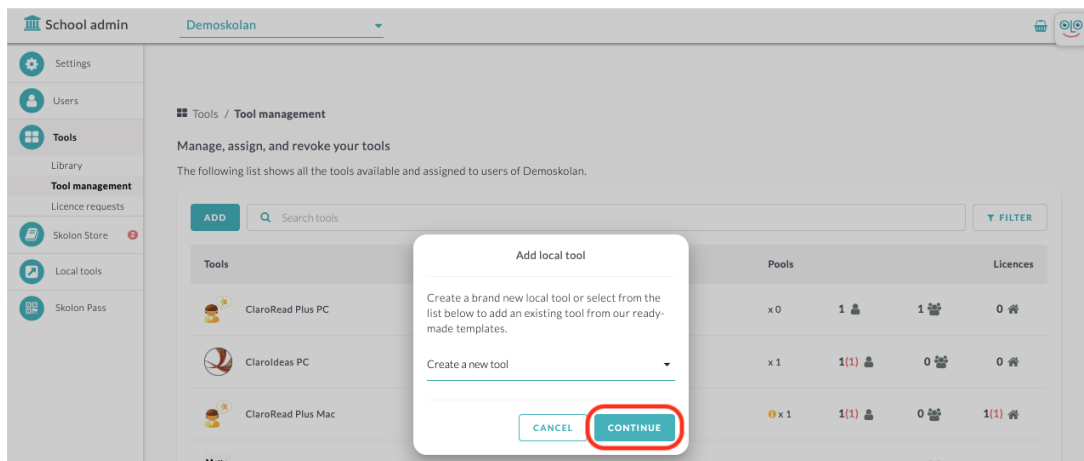
The following list shows all the tools available and assigned to users of Demoskolan.

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The box that appears, make sure it says **Create a new tool**, and then click **Continue**.



2. Information about the local tool

You need to fill in the following about the tool:

1. **Name of the tool:** Title of the tool. This can be seen in the user's collection.
2. **Introduction:** A brief description of what kind of tool it is.
3. **Link to the tool:** When the user clicks on the tool in their collection, it will be sent to the link you enter here. Enter the link with <http://www> in the introduction.

The screenshot shows the 'New tool' form in the School admin interface. The form is divided into several sections: 'Tool information', 'Contact details', and 'Details shared with the tool'. The 'Tool information' section contains two fields: 'Tool name' and 'Link to tool'. The 'Introduction' field is located below these. The 'Contact details' section contains fields for 'Company', 'Contact person', 'Telephone', and 'Email'. The 'Details shared with the tool' section contains checkboxes for 'Forename', 'Surname', 'Email', 'School', 'Classes/groups', and 'Result registration'. The 'Tool name', 'Link to tool', and 'Introduction' fields are highlighted with red circles.

You must also **upload an icon** that appears for the tool in the user's collection. To do this, click on the white box with a gray arrow in it.

The screenshot shows the 'School admin' interface with the 'Demoskolan' user selected. The left sidebar contains navigation links: Settings, Users, Tools, Library, Tool management, Licence requests, Skolon Store, Local tools, and Skolon Pass. The main content area is titled 'Tools / New tool'. It features a central icon upload field (highlighted with a red box) and a list of tool settings: 'Supports automatic login' (unchecked), 'Works offline' (unchecked), 'Available for students' (checked), 'Available for teachers' (checked), and 'Available for administrators' (checked). To the right is a form for tool details, including 'Tool information' (Tool name, Link to tool), 'Introduction', 'Contact details' (Company, Contact person), 'Telephone', 'Email', and 'Details shared with the tool' (Forename, Surname, Email, School, Classes/groups, Result registration). 'CANCEL' and 'SAVE' buttons are at the bottom right.

Drag and drop the file you want to use as an icon in the field that appears in the middle of the page or click the **Select File** button to locate the file on your computer.

Here you now see the image you have chosen to upload. The image should be **256x256 pixels** from the beginning to fit best as an icon, but here in the upload tool, you can click the **plus and minus characters** to fit your image in the icon box.

Then click **Save**, and you will return to the step where you filled in other information about the tool.

2. Supplementary information about the tool

In this step, you can also specify for which roles the tool should be available. You can choose to assign to students, teachers or administrators.

Two more options are available here. If the local tool you added uses the same sign-in solution as Skolon, such as Google or Microsoft, you can then check **supports automatic login**. The local tool icon is then displayed without the Local Tools extension and looks more like the integrated tools and shows the user that no additional login is required.

If the tool works without an internet connection (offline), you can check this option.

School admin Demoskolan

Tools / New tool

Tool information

Tool name: _____ Link to tool: <https://example.se>

Introduction: _____

Contact details

Company: _____ Contact person: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Details shared with the tool

☐ Forename
 ☐ Surname
 ☐ Email
☐ School
 ☐ Classes/groups
 ☐ Result registration

Available for students ☒

Available for teachers ☒

Available for administrators ☒

Supports automatic login ☐

Works offline ☐

CANCEL SAVE

4. Tasks shared with the tool

For local tools, you can also under **Details shared with the tool** mark which personal data the tool handles, this so that in Skolons Datavisualisering you will also receive information about your local tools. **First name, last name, e-mail address, school and class / group** are the most common, but for the tools that also save progress and / or results, you can also check **Result registration**.

School admin Demoskolan

Tools / New tool

Tool information

Tool name: Google drive Link to tool: <https://drive.google.com/>

Introduction: Collected tools in Google

Contact details

Company: _____ Contact person: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Details shared with the tool

☒ Forename
 ☒ Surname
 ☒ Email
☒ School
 ☒ Classes/groups
 ☐ Result registration

Available for students ☒

Available for teachers ☒

Available for administrators ☒

Supports automatic login ☐

Works offline ☐

CANCEL SAVE

When you feel finished with selection, text and image etc, click Save.

5. Distribute the tool

Now you come to the last step, where you can choose to distribute the tool directly to one or more users' collections. You can:

1. Select whether you want to assign the tool to schools, classes or groups under the **Groups** tab, or to individual users via the **Users** tab.
2. Select the groups or users you want to add the tool to. Click the **Add** button to assign the tool. All groups or users who have a check mark in the box will have access to the tool and it will appear in their My Collection. You also see which group or user has already added the tool.

Done!

The screenshot shows the 'School admin' interface for 'Demoskolan'. The left sidebar contains navigation links: Settings, Users, Tools, Library, Tool management (highlighted), Licence requests, Skolon Store, Local tools, and Skolon Pass. The main content area is titled 'Tools / Google drive' and displays details for a 'Google drive' tool, including its licence type (Local), creator (Demoskolan), and availability (Students, Teachers, Administrators). Below this, the 'Share tools' section explains that the tool is local and provides a table to assign it to specific groups or users. A notification bar states 'You have 5 users with the tool in their collection'. The table has two tabs: 'Groups' (selected) and 'Users'. Under the 'Groups' tab, there is a search bar and a table with columns for 'School/Class/Group', 'Users', and 'My Collection'. The table lists 'Demoskolan' (453 x users, 'Not added') and '3A' (5 x users, 'Added'). Red circles highlight the 'Groups' tab icon, the 'Demoskolan' row's checkbox, and the 'Added' status for '3A'.

School admin Demoskolan

Tools / Google drive

Google drive
Collected tools in Google
Licence type: Local
Created by: Demoskolan
Availability: Students, Teachers, Administrators

REMOVE EDIT

Share tools
The tool is local and does not use licences. The list below allows you to assign the tool directly to the entire school, or to specific classes, groups or users.

You have 5 users with the tool in their collection

Groups Users

Searching for class or group...

School/Class/Group	Users	My Collection
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Demoskolan	453 x	Not added
<input type="checkbox"/> 3A	5 x	Added