

Module 1: Common Gestures

Smart devices respond to touch — and learning how they react helps us feel more in control. Every movement you make on the screen is a kind of **gesture**. It's how we 'talk' to our devices.

Common Device Gestures and Motions



Tap: Touch once quickly (selects or opens something)



Double tap: Tap twice quickly (zooms in or highlights item)



Swipe: Move finger across screen (changes screens)



Scroll: Move up or down the screen or a page (like a scribe)



Pinch & Zoom: Two fingers together or apart (makes things bigger or smaller)



Touch & Hold: Touch and keep finger on screen for a few seconds (opens menu or options list)



Quick Tip: Gestures won't "break" anything. If you tap the wrong thing, you can always go back!

Module 1: Icon Scavenger Hunt

Now that you've explored your tablet in class, try this at-home challenge to build confidence **recognizing icons** and **navigating on your own**. No rush. No perfect score. Just curiosity and practice.

Find an **icon** that includes...



A gear (Hint: You can change or adjust how your device works.)

What does it do? _____



Three lines (Hint: This icon usually opens a hidden list of choices.)

What does it do? _____



A map pin (Hint: You often see this symbol on signs)

What does it do? _____



Three dots (Hint: This usually means "more options.")

What does it do? _____

On your home screen, find an **app** that...

Helps you send an email

App name: _____

Lets you search the internet

App name: _____

Helps you change how your tablet works

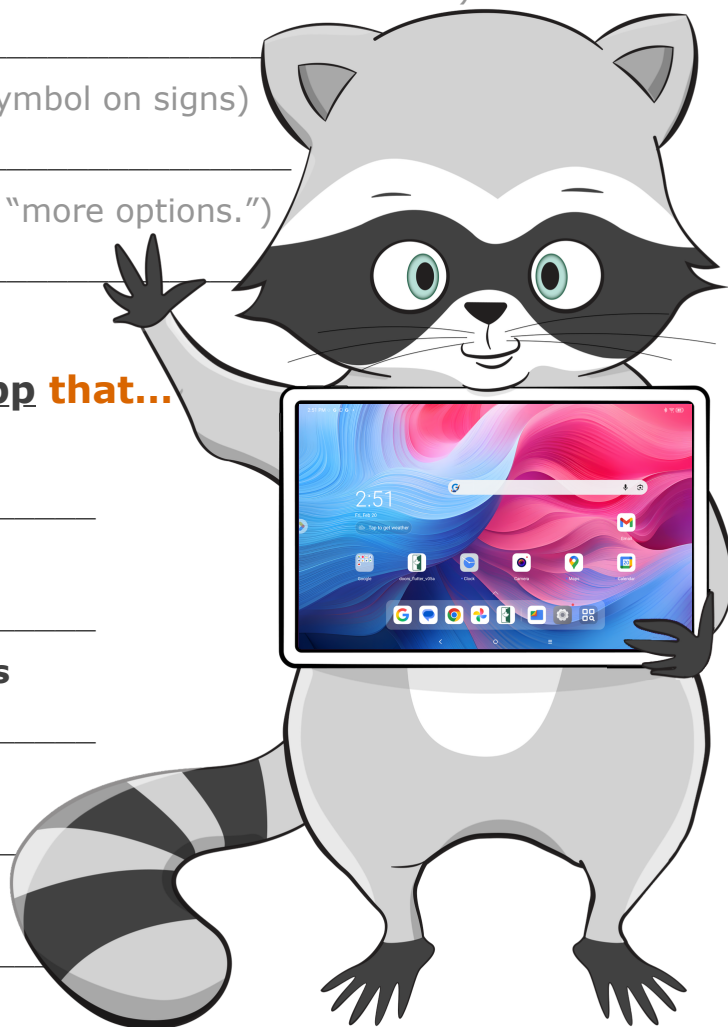
App name: _____

Shows today's date

App name: _____

Helps you download new apps

App name: _____



★ **Bonus:** Show someone one icon you learned today!

Module 1: Reflection Sheet

You explored the **foundations of your device** and took the first steps in building your digital independence. **That's a big accomplishment!**

Keep on exploring your device! Get your self familiar with device components and practice the gestures and motions you learned today!

Take a Moment to Reflect

Think about today's session and jot down your thoughts below.

There are no right or wrong answers, this is your space to reflect on what you learned and think about how it felt.

What's one thing you learned today that felt new or surprising?

What's one thing you learned today that you want to practice more or learn more about?