

Symantec's SymEd Solution

Addressing security and mobility challenges in education

Data Sheet: Symantec Education Services



Essential School Resources Protected

As schools expand access to online educational resources, information security is absolutely fundamental. Where online reference material, assignments, lessons, collaboration, and rich multimedia content were once an exception, they are increasingly part of the teaching practice. With many higher education institutions offering fully virtual learning environments, and with states mandating many K-12 schools to provide one or more online classes before graduation, no school can be without best-in-class protections for students and administrators.

To meet these demands, Symantec developed SymEd specifically to help academia protect information while managing and securing their infrastructure. SymEd combines the essential solutions needed to support the growing technological demands of academia.

The SymEd Value: Protected, Managed, Secure

To address the challenges that educational institutions are faced with in their evolving learning environments, Symantec's **SymEd** enables academia to have confidence in their connected experiences. **SymEd** allows for a safe and managed e-Learning environment.

SymEd provides standardization across the academic institution while providing the flexibility to select additional Symantec solutions to meet the needs of individual departments. This solution offers a means to secure and manage PC's, laptops, tablets, and smartphones of both faculty and students whether they are school issued or personal devices.

Cost Benefits

- New licensing solution based on Full-Time Employee (FTE) count rather than per device
- Reduced licensing costs with application streaming for Virtual Desktop Infrastructure (VDI) initiatives
- Access to solution experts with 24 x7 phone support and upgrade protection
- Reduced infrastructure and operational costs with a comprehensive centralized management platform

Improved IT Management & Security

- Secure e-Learning environment for physical, virtual, and cloud platforms
- Centralized standards to allow institutions to automate the deployment, security, and management of devices with central management
- Support for multiple operating systems including Windows®, MAC OS™, iOS™, Android®, Linux™ and others
- Critical data protection with advanced local backup and recovery for Windows desktops and laptops

Additional Value

- Simplified method to ensure license compliance across the institution
- Home use rights for faculty and staff
- Best of breed solutions from the global leader in information protection
- Highly scalable cloud-based system that enables WiFi users to securely surf, shop, and search
- Student usage add-on option available for Endpoint Protection
- Norton ConnectSafe is complimentary and offers a safe, highly scalable cloud-based system that provides real-time site rating lookups to protect users with their online experience

SymEd Solutions

Regardless of their size, educational institutions all have similar security, privacy, systems management, and availability challenges. They range from threat management, data protection, and encryption to preserving confidentially and systems management that embrace mobility capabilities.

SymEd Secure

SymEd Secure is the foundation for all Symantec educational institutions larger than 250 FTE's. This solution's set helps address threat and mobile management, system imaging requirements, and provides trusted online experiences.

- **Protection Suite Enterprise Edition** provides fast and effective endpoint and Web security, combined with messaging gateway protection, all while granting centralized visibility and control.
- **Mobile Management** provides devices access to school networks and applications, secures data passing through or stored on devices, and helps schools manage the devices from a central platform.
- **Ghost Solution Suite** provides computer imaging capabilities ensuring rapid deployment of OS, Data and System apps.

SymEd Secure

- Protection Suite Enterprise Edition
- Mobile Management
- Ghost Solution Suite

SymEd Secure Plus

SymEd Secure Plus provides the same level of information protection and mobile management solutions as SymEd Secure, but with additional capabilities focused on reducing costs of deployments in an environment.

- **Protection Suite Enterprise Edition** provides fast and effective endpoint and Web security, combined with messaging gateway protection, all while granting centralized visibility and control.
- **Mobile Management** provides devices access to school networks and applications, secures data passing through or stored on devices, and helps schools manage the devices from a central platform.
- **Deployment Solution** helps reduce the cost of deploying and managing servers, desktops, and notebooks from a centralized location in your environment.

SymEd Secure Plus

- Protection Suite Enterprise Edition
- Mobile Management
- Deployment Solution

SymEd Advanced

SymEd Advanced builds on the SymEd Secure foundation with additional system management capabilities, inventory automation, zero-touch imaging, and application streaming.

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- **Mobile Management** provides devices access to school networks and applications, secures data passing through or stored on devices, and helps schools manage the devices from a central platform.
- **Client Management Suite** for virtual and desktop environments automates time-consuming and redundant tasks associated with inventory, deploying, patching, and supporting client systems and software. In addition, it offers zero-touch imaging and migration to automate new system rollouts and technology refresh cycles.
- **Workspace Streaming** is an application streaming solution that enables on-demand application provisioning, offline cache, license recovery and instant application upgrades. It increases end user productivity with controlled, guaranteed access to any Windows based applications from any location at any time, including remote and mobile users.

SymEd Advanced

- Protection Suite Enterprise Edition
- Mobile Management
- Client Management Suite
- Workspace Streaming

SymEd Total Management

SymEd Total Management provides educational institutions with powerful solutions to protect, manage, and secure information regardless of the device or operating system. It also offers systems management for servers and encryption capabilities.

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SymEd Total Management

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- Mobile Management
- IT Management Suite
- Workspace Streaming

- **Mobile Management** provides devices access to school networks and applications, secures data passing through or stored on devices, and helps schools manage the devices from a central platform.
- **IT Management Suite** provides single management framework for distributed, heterogeneous client environments, PC lifecycle management across Windows®, Mac®, Linux™, UNIX™, and virtual desktops and servers. This suite offers application streaming along with IT services for on demand patch, software, and asset management capabilities.
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In addition to these offerings, Symantec has a robust solutions portfolio that can solve many of your technological challenges. From data center, cloud, and security initiatives to backup, recovery, and mobility concerns, Symantec delivers the *right* information management and protection solutions for your organization

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