Google purchases Cameyo to enable Windows apps on ChromeOS

Description

Google has recently acquired Cameyo, a company specializing in virtualization tools that allow Windows apps to run on ChromeOS devices. The exact amount of the acquisition has not been disclosed.

According to a blog post by Cameyo CEO Andrew Miller and Google product lead Naveen Viswanatha, this acquisition will enhance ChromeOS by providing users with easier access to Windows apps without the need for complicated installations or updates.

By merging the capabilities of ChromeOS with Cameyo's virtual application delivery technology, businesses can modernize their IT infrastructure while still utilizing their existing software investments. Cameyo was founded in 2018 by CTO Eyal Dotan with the goal of virtualizing Windows apps to run on non-Windows devices and web browsers.

Last year, Google partnered with Cameyo to introduce features such as Windows app local file system integration and the ability to deliver virtual Windows apps as progressive web apps. With this acquisition, Google aims to strengthen ChromeOS in business and education sectors, offering organizations a more appealing option to transition away from Windows or utilize both Windows and ChromeOS together.

Cameyo boasts a customer base of hundreds of organizations, including school districts and financial institutions. This acquisition signifies Google's commitment to expanding the capabilities of ChromeOS and meeting the evolving needs of users in an increasingly cloud-based world.

Vocabulary List:

1. **Acquisition** // (noun): The act of obtaining control over something through purchase or agreement.
2. **Virtualization** // (noun): The process of creating a virtual (rather than actual) version of somethingsuch as hardwaresoftwarestorageetc.
3. **Capabilities** // (noun): The power or ability to do something.
4. **Infrastructure** // (noun): The basic physical and organizational structures and facilities needed for the operation of a society or enterprise.
5. **Evolving** // (adjective): Developing or changing over time.
6. **Transition** // (noun): The process or a period of changing from one state or condition to another.

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. What is the opposite of "accidental"?

   Option: Intentional
   Option: Rare
   Option: Unplanned
   Option: Unexpected

2. Which term best describes a group representing the smallest part of a population?

   Option: Majority
   Option: Equality
   Option: Plurality
   Option: Commonality

3. Which word means "limited to only one person or group"?

   Option: Inclusive
   Option: Shared
   Option: Inclusive
   Option: Restricted

4. What term describes an environment where multiple entities vie for the same resources or dominance?

   Option: Collaborative
   Option: Unchallenging
   Option: Passive
   Option: Aggressive

5. Which term relates to the moon's influence on Earth's tides?

   Option: Sporadically
   Option: Periodically
   Option: Regularly
   Option: Reluctantly

6. What term means something that is continuous or never-ending?

   Option: Temporarily
   Option: Occasionally
   Option: Intermittently
   Option: Eternally

7. Which term is used to describe the process of obtaining or gaining ownership or control over something?

   Option: Loss
   Option: Donation
   Option: Renovation

Option: Ownership

8. Which term refers to a range of skills or abilities to accomplish something?

Option: Weaknesses
Option: Liabilities
Option: Incompetence
Option: Strengths

9. What is the term that means developing or changing gradually over time?

Option: Static
Option: Regressing
Option: Stagnant
Option: Maturing

10. Which term signifies a change from one condition or state to another?

Option: Stability
Option: Consistency
Option: Uniformity
Option: Change

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. The police are _____ on illegal activities in the area.

12. The movie premiere is highly _____ by fans worldwide.

13. The locals in that village are known for their _____ nature towards visitors.

14. The _____ arm assisted surgeons during the delicate procedure.

15. The early _____ of the issue prevented a major crisis.

16. The team is _____ for the upcoming competition with intense training sessions.

17. After completing the course you will be able to _____ your skills with a valid

certificate.

18. The stock market was volatile due to numerous _____ about the economy.

19. The exclusive club hosted an _____ event for its distinguished members.

20. Due to player feedback the game developer implemented several _____ to balance

gameplay.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. The scientist studied the natural for years before publishing his findings.
22. Graduating from college was a significant in her academic journey.
23. Parents should not their children from pursuing their dreams.
24. All passengers must be before the ship departs.
25. The teacher asked the students to their understanding of the topic through a presentation.
26. The team displayed a remarkable level of throughout the entire season.
27. The automated vacuum cleaner moved with precision around the room.
28. Developing countries often struggle with inadequate for basic services.
29. Astronomers discovered an orbiting a distant star.
30. The company adopted cloud to optimize its IT resources.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Intentional 2. Majority 3. Restricted 4. Aggressive 5. Periodically 6. Eternally 7. Ownership 8. Strengths 9. Maturing 10. Change

Gap-Fill: 11. Cracking down 12. Anticipated 13. Hospitable 14. Robotic 15. Detection 16. Gearing up 17. Certify 18. Speculations 19. Invitational 20. Nerfs

Matching sentence: 1. Phenomenon 2. Milestone 3. Discourage 4. Aboard 5. Demostrate 6. Dominance 7. Robotic 8. Infrastructure 9. Exoplanet 10. Virtualization

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