# Chromevox Keyboard Shortcuts

## General

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| **Action** | **Keyboard Shortcut** |
| Turn on or off | Ctrl + Alt + Z |
| Open new chrome tab | Ctrl + T |
| Next object | Search + Right |
| Previous object | Search + Left |
| Activate selected item | Enter |
| Turn on learn mode | Search + O + K |
| Turn off learn mode/close tab | Ctrl + W |
| Next heading | Search + H |
| Previous heading | Search + Shift + H |
| Stop/Pause speech | Ctrl |
| Next same level heading | Search + (1-6) |
| Previous same level heading | Search + Shift + (1-6) |
| Next link | Search + L |
| Previous link | Search + Shift + L |
| Chrome address bar | Ctrl + L |
| Open ChromeVox menus | Search + Period |
| Hide ChromeVox menus | Esc |
| Start/stop ChromeVox sticky mode | Tap Search twice |
| Increase speaking rate | Search + [ (Left Bracket) |
| Decrease speaking rate | Search + Shift + [ (Left Bracket) |
| Increase pitch | Search + ] (Right Bracket) |
| Decrease pitch | Search + Shift + ] (Right Bracket) |
| Open ChromeVox options | Search + O,O (letter O not zero) |

## Text Navigation

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| **Action** | **Keyboard Shortcut** |
| Next object | Search + Right |
| Previous object | Search + Left |
| Next group | Search + Ctrl + Down |
| Previous group | Search + Ctrl + Up |
| Next word | Search + Shift +Ctrl + Right |
| Previous word | Search + Shift +Ctrl + Left |
| Next character | Search + Shift + Right |
| Previous character | Search + Shift + Left |
| Next line | Search + down arrow |
| Previous line | Search + up arrow |

## Browsing Navigation

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| **Action** | **Keyboard Shortcut** |
| Open a new tab | Ctrl + T |
| Move forward through open tabs | Ctrl + Tab |
| Move backward through open tabs | Ctrl + Shift + tab |
| Jump to specific tab | Ctrl + (tab position number) |
| Chrome Find in Page | Ctrl + F |
| Chromevox Find in Page | Search + / |

## Tables

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| **Action** | **Keyboard Shortcut** |
| Next table | Search + T |
| Move forward in a table | Search + Right |
| End of row | Search + Shift + Alt + Ctrl + Right |
| Sticky mode | Press search twice |
| Beginning of table | Search + Shift + Alt + Left |
| End of table | Search + Shift + Alt + Right |

## Getting Help

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| **Action** | **Keyboard Shortcut** |
| Open User guide | Shift + Search + H |
| Show command help | Shift + Search + P |
| Hide command help | Shift + Search |
| Enable/Disable search | Shift + Search + / |

## Touchscreen Gestures

If your Chromebook has a touch screen then gestures can be used to control some ChromeVox features.

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| **Action** | **Gestures** |
| Turn ChromeVox on or off | Press and hold the Volume down + Volume up buttons for 5 seconds. While holding the buttons, you’ll hear a sound to indicate that it’s working. Keep holding the buttons, then ChromeVox will start speaking. |
| Next object | One finger swipe right |
| Previous object | One finger swipe left |
| Activate selected item | One finger double tap |
| Stop/pause speech | Two finger single tap |
| Next word | Two finger swipe right |
| Previous word | Two finger swipe left |
| Next character | Swipe right |
| Previous character | Swipe left |
| Next line | Swipe down |
| Previous line | Swipe up |

## **Index**

Most keyboard shortcuts use a combination of keys to achieve the task. In each table we have included the keyboard shortcuts for the most relevant keyboard layout. Below is an index of the alternative keys between Apple and windows keyboards.

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| **Apple/Mac Key** | **Windows Key** |
| Control | Ctrl |
| Option option key | Alt |
| Command (cloverleaf) **⌘** | Windows windows |
| Delete | Backspace |
| Return | Enter |

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