**Selecting Appropriate Apps for Students with Disabilities**

Center on Assistive Technology & Inclusive Education Studies (CATIES)

The College of New Jersey

**Helpful Resources**

Autism Apps by Katharina Boser

<https://autismapps.wikispaces.com>

Organized by Category: Behavior Management, Language & Communication, Functional & Social Skills, Curriculum-Based Apps, Areas of Instruction, Books & Literacy, Sensory & Motor Development, Word Learning, Math & Number Concepts

Autism Apps by Autism Speaks

<http://www.autismspeaks.org/autism-apps>

To be most useful sort first by Category (Recreation, Social Skills, Accessibility, Behavioral Intervention, Communication, Creative Arts, Educational, Functional Skills, Language, Math Skills, Organizer) and then by Rating

Lauren Ender’s Pinterest Site:

<http://pinterest.com/lasenders>

On all things assistive tech, including iPad apps & accessories. The amount of information on this site is overwhelming.

Kathy Schrock’s Guide to Everything:

iPads in the Classroom

<http://www.schrockguide.net/ipads-in-the-classroom.html>

 Critical Evaluation of Mobile Apps

<http://www.ipads4teaching.net/critical-eval-of-apps.html>

Learning in Hand with Tony Vincent: iPad, iPhone, iPod Touch, iOS

<http://learninginhand.com/ios>

Top 10 iPad & iOS8 Accessibility Features

Perkin’s WonderBaby Project

<http://www.wonderbaby.org/articles/ipad-accessibility>

**Guided Access**

Deactivates the Home button & keeps iPad in one app.

Go to Settings 🡪 General 🡪 Accessibility 🡪 Guided Access 🡪 On.

To start (or exit): Click Home button 3X in the app you want to use.

**Speak Selection**

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