Apps that Can Help You Succeed

Organization

MINDJET

- Bubble mapping tool
- Organize thoughts for writing, projects, or to-dos
- Access and edit information from any device with Mindjet Connect
- Export information to Evernote or coHuman
- Platform: iPhone, iPad, Android

inCLASS

- Organize notebooks for your classes
- Create planners for each class with priorities, reminders, and labels
- Import your notes from iTunes file share, take pictures, record, or type in notes directly
- Look at your tasks based on course, date, or priority
- Export your information by email
- Platform: iPhone, iPad

Studying

ANKI

- Select from a large list of created flashcards
- Create new flashcards
- Integrate audio and images
- Special characters for Asian languages and Math
- Keep track of statistics for correct/ incorrect answers
- Track your results across devices
- Platform: iPhone, iPad, Android, Mac, Windows
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WOLFRAM ALPHA

- Computational knowledge engine that gathers knowledge on just about everything
- Get help calculating complex math equations
- Look up historical or socioeconomic data
- 3-D image visualizer presents complex math concepts
- Platform: iPhone, iPad, Android, web-based

STUDY BLUE

- Web based study site
- Create flashcards
- Upload your notes
- Organize your material by classes
- Track your study progress
- Generates quizzes based on your notes and flashcards
- Find classmates and collaborate through Facebook
- Platform: iPhone, iPad, Android, web-based
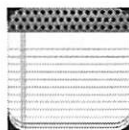
Note taking

DRAGON DICTATION

- Speech to text – the computer writes what you say!
- Use to compose emails, reminders, Tweets, or Facebook posts
- Platform: iPhone, iPad

SOUND NOTE

- Take notes and record audio
- Review notes and the audio that's synced to it
- Email with audio or use filesharing and transfer to Mac or PC
- Platform: iPad

EVERNOTE

- Keep notes and To-Do lists organized
- Sync across devices
- Clip web articles and make notes
- Create tags to better organize
- Import information from e-mail (Outlook), PDFs, photos
- Easily send notes to others
- Plenty of add-ons like "Hello", "Skitch", "Evernote Peek"
- Platform: iPhone, iPad, Android, Mac, Windows

READ AND WRITE GOLD

- Reads text aloud to you
- Highlight important information and export to Word documents
- Create Mp3s for study notes
- Platform: iPhone, iPad, Android, Mac, Windows

DIIGO

- Highlight information on webpages
- Take notes
- Bookmark and share pages with others
- Capture and send web page images quickly
- Organize your bookmarks and search through filters
- Platform: iPhone, iPad, Android, Mac, Windows

Collaboration

OPEN STUDY

- Like Twitter but specifically for studying
- Create study groups of peers
- Ask and answer questions
- Share with Facebook and Twitter
- Platform: web-based

HOOT ME

- Use Facebook to connect with friends or classmates
- Have group video chats to discuss projects
- Post questions and answers based on classes
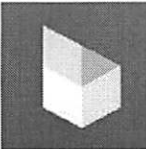- Discuss math with equation editor
- Platform: web-based
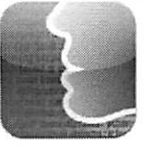
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Disability Support Services, Assistive Technology Program

Suggested AT Apps

Notetaking	Cost	iPad	iPhone	Android
Evernote: Take text notes; audio and photo capable but no text/audio synchronization or document annotation-capabilities. Share notes across devices and other apps with web-based account access.	Free	✓	✓	✓
Notability: Take text and handwritten notes; in-app document annotation; records audio; photo/document import-capable. Excellent file organization.	$2.99	✓	✓	✗
SoundNote: Sync audio with text or handwritten notes on lined or graph paper; basic functionality.	$4.99	✓	✗	✗
SuperNote: Color-coded notes help with categorization; in-app reminders; text notes only; audio and photo capable but no text/audio synchronization or document annotation-capabilities.	$2.99	✓	✓	✗
Sketching and Drawing				
Penultimate by Evernote: Handwriting-exclusive note app; ideal for sketching or math; photo/document import-capable; lined and graph paper options.	Free	✓	✗	✗
Voice Recognition				
Dragon Dictation: Basic functionality; must stay in app to preserve dictated text; not ideal for lengthy assignments; limited organization.	Free	✓	✓	✓

	Dictation by iSpeech: Basic functionality; good accuracy; not ideal for lengthy assignments. Import dictation to email or text messages.	Free	✓	✓	✗
	Organization				
	inClass: Calendar; planner; address book; assignment log; course notes section; great semester orgnanization.	Free	✓	✓	✗
	Boximize: Organize content into structured boxes; note taking capability; everyday "life" managament; records audio; very dynamic; layout is ideal for non-traditional/out-of-the-box users.	Free	✓	✓	✗
	iStudiezPro: Schedule; planner; contacts; track grades and assignments in an "at-a-glance" format; integrates with OS apps to get data.	$2.99	✓	✓	✗
	Study Aids				
	Peek by Evernote: Create study notebooks for quizzes or tests; electronic flash cards. Requires smart or virtual cover.	Free	✓	✗	✗
	Mind Mapping				
	Simplemind+: Create mind maps; multiple color options; share between devices and users.	$4.99	✓	✓	✓
	Text-to-Speech				
	Voicedream: Import text from web, Dropbox, editor, and other sources; additional voices can be purchased; color themes for visual reading; some sight needed-ideal for LD or reading comprehension users. Supports .pdf and Word docs.	$9.99	✓	✓	✗

	Talking Camera: Take a photo of text and it is read back; text isn't displayed on screen; extracts quickly but accuracy is spotty.	$1.99	✓	✓	✗
	firefly K3000: Access Firefly by Kurzweil contet through app. Adjust voice, speed and reading unit. No editing or uploading capabilities.	Free*	✓	✗	✗
	ReadHear: Access Learning Ally content through app. Audio book continues playing when app is minimized. Adjust speed and text size (if applicable).	Free*	✓	✓	✓
Grammar and Spelling					
	Ginger: Grammar and spelling checker; text can be read back; copy text from app into any program; thesauras and translation features.	Free	✓	✓	✓
Low Vision					
	See It: Handheld CCTV; color filters and inversion functionality; pause screen; pause freezes image- no manipulation allowed.	$19.99	✓	✓	✗
	Talking Camera: Take a photo of text and it is read back; text isn't displayed on screen; extracts quickly but accuracy is spotty.	$1.99	✓	✓	✗

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