

SUPPORTING AAC USERS IN THE TIME OF COVID-19

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WHAT'S IN YOUR TOOLBOX?



- Today is about giving you some resources to explore
- You will receive a PDF of these slides
- Links to websites and content you can access at any time
- Take pictures of any slide that you want to explore right away!
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HOW TO CLEAN YOUR TECH – STAY HEALTHY!



- <https://techowlpa.org/news/cleaning-your-electronic-devices/>



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CUSTOMIZED VOCABULARY SET? BACK IT UP!



- Make sure you save your vocabulary set to a flash drive or The Cloud
 - <https://aacccommunity.net/2019/09/backing-up-aac-apps-on-the-ipad/>
- Don't lose all your hard work!
- Ask your school SLP if they have a backup file to share



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AND HAVE A LIGHT TECH BACK UP PLAN, TOO

[HTTPS://AACCOMMUNITY.NET/2019/01/LOW-TECH-CORE-BOARDS-FOR-HIGH-TECH-APPS/](https://AACCOMMUNITY.NET/2019/01/LOW-TECH-CORE-BOARDS-FOR-HIGH-TECH-APPS/)

YOU CAN ALSO TAKE SCREEN SHOTS OF YOUR IPAD AND PRINT THEM OUT. GLUE TO OAK TAG AND "LAMINATE" WITH CLEAR PACKING TAPE!

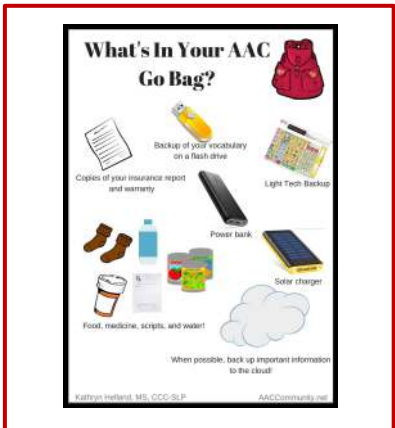
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WHAT'S IN YOUR GO BAG?



- Be prepared to maintain access to communication, even when medical care is needed.
- <https://aaccommunity.net/2018/09/emergency-preparation-for-aac/>



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THE OLDER STUDENT: APPS FOR ORGANIZATION



- <https://aaccommunity.net/2017/11/apps-for-organization/>
- Organize work time for the older student
- 360 Thinking
- 30/30

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RESOURCES FOR AAC LEARNERS



- The AAC Language Lab
- <https://aaclanguelab.com/#subscribe>
- (Lesson Plans, Activities, and Resources)

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LITERACY MATTERS



- <https://shared.tarheelreader.org/>



- Comprehensive Literacy for All Site – Jane Farrall
- <https://bit.ly/3bQgXGH>



FREE EDUCATIONAL WEBSITES

- Kizclub.com
- Printables and story visuals



LET'S GIVE THEM SOMETHING TO LEARN (AND TALK) ABOUT



- Webcams can take you places!
- <https://aaccommunity.net/2020/03/oh-the-places-you-will-go-virtually/>



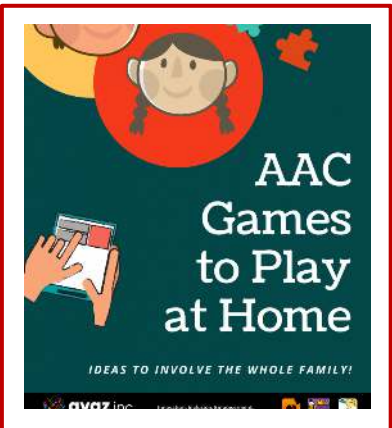
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GAMES FOR AAC USERS



- <https://bit.ly/3awYIpn>



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AAC APP SALES!

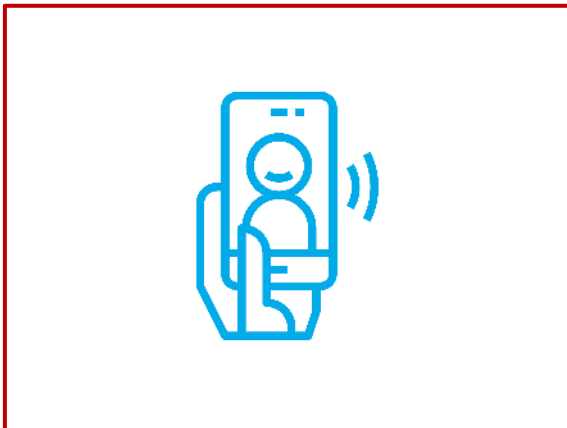
**APRIL IS AUTISM ACCEPTANCE MONTH
Hey, Check Out These AAC App Sales!**

 <p>Prologue2Go • for Mac and iOS • get 50% off regular price of \$249.99 ON SALE April 2-4</p>	 <p>Prologue4Text • for Mac and iOS • get 50% off regular price of \$139.99 ON SALE April 2-4</p>
 <p>Predictable • for iOS, Android, and Windows • get 50% off regular price of \$169.99 ON SALE April 1-4</p>	 <p>LAMP Words For Life • for iOS • get 50% off regular price of \$299.99 ON SALE March 24-30</p>
 <p>TouchChat HD with WordPower • for iOS • get 50% off regular price of \$299.99 ON SALE March 24-30</p>	 <p>Avaz AAC Lifetime Edition • for iOS and Android • get 50% off regular price of \$499.99 ON SALE April 1-30</p>
 <p>CoughDrop • for Windows, iOS, and Android • get 50% off regular price of \$199.99</p>	 <p>Alexicom AAC All Elements Vocabulary Set • for Mac and iOS • App is FREE</p>

- <https://aaccommunity.net/2020/03/its-time-for-aac-app-sales/>



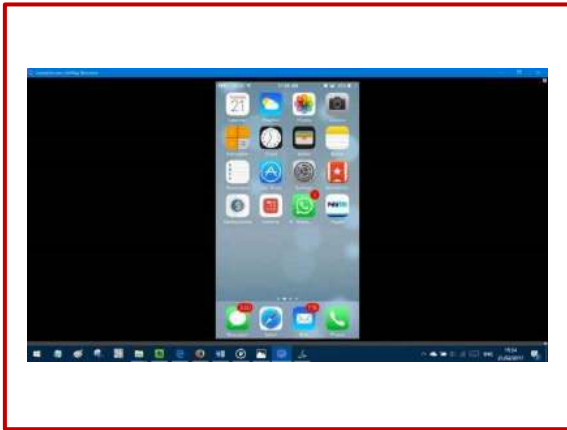
KEEP IN TOUCH: VIDEO CHATS



- A great chance to use and model AAC!
- <https://aaccommunity.net/2020/03/using-the-technology-we-have-to-stay-connected/>



THERAPISTS: SHARE APPS FROM YOUR IPAD SCREEN!



- AirPlay on Mac or Macbook
- Zoom can mirror your screen to a Mac or Windows computer:
<https://bit.ly/39y4uFY>



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 - Demonstrations
 - ReUsed Equipment
 - Free Special Phones
- And more...



AVAILABLE!

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- Video Chat

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Thank you.

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PLEASE COMPLETE THIS SURVEY.

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