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Useful Ipad, Iphone and ipad applications for children with disabilities.

The advent of the ipod, smart phones and the ipad has been a wonderful thing for children with disabilities. Below is a list of applications that Eastside Speech recommends you have a look at. Some are free resources, some require purchase. Below are links and more information on the following applications we recommend:

- **iPrompts**
- **iConverse**
- **iCommunicate**
- **Proloquo2Go**
- **Expressionist**
- **Look2Learn**
- **Locabulary Lite**
- **Halo Talk**
- **StepStones**
- **iPACS**
- **Behaviour Tracker Pro**

iPrompts - \$59.99

iPrompts®, a new app for the iPhone and iPod Touch, is used by caregivers of those with language and behavioral challenges (and even typical kids!). The app includes several easy-to-use, visual prompting tools (no audio prompts or voice output) to help individuals transition from one activity to the next, understand upcoming events, make choices, and focus on the task at hand.

Developer - <http://www.handholdadaptive.com/>

Download from iTunes:

<http://itunes.apple.com/WebObjects/MZStore.woa/wa/viewSoftware?id=313144705&mt=8#>

Video Demonstration -

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tZKFuKVYGhc&feature=player_embedded

iConverse - \$12.99

iConverse is an educational tool designed for young children and individuals with communicative disabilities, and also toddler-aged children who have yet to master language. iConverse is an Augmentative Alternative Communication (AAC) application for the iPhone and iPod Touch that replaces bulky and expensive communication devices used in the past. iConverse gives users the ability to carry an AAC device in their pocket creating a means of communication that is appropriate, effective and discreet.

Developer - <http://www.converseapp.com/>

Download from iTunes- <http://itunes.apple.com/au/app/iconverse-assisted-communication/id304852637?mt=8>

iCommunicate - \$5.99

iCommunicate is a versatile app that will help typically developing children, as well as children with developmental delays and autism. Early Intervention specialists, teachers, and parents will love this app!!! We provide a way to make customized storyboards and visual schedules for your child.

Developer - <http://www.grembe.moonfruit.com/#/icommunicate/4534568182>

Download from iTunes: -

<http://itunes.apple.com/au/app/icommunicate/id320986580?mt=8>

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Proloquo2Go - \$189.00

Proloquo2Go™ is a new product from AssistiveWare that provides a full-featured communication solution for people who have difficulty speaking. It brings natural sounding text-to-speech voices, up-to-date symbols, powerful automatic conjugations, a default vocabulary of over 7000 items, full expandability and extreme ease of use to the iPhone and iPod touch.

Developer - <http://www.proloquo2go.com/About/article/what-is-proloquo2go>

Download from iTunes - <http://itunes.apple.com/au/app/proloquo2go/id308368164?mt=8>

Video Demonstration - http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BD_1sdNEwfg&feature=related

Expressionist - \$36.99

Expressionist is designed to help users to express, and to help users model expressions. The facial and gesture of the cartoon character is carefully designed such that any visual learner (such as those in the autistic spectrum) would have no issue understanding or modelling it.

Developer - <http://www.adastrasoft.com/Expressionist.html>

Download from iTunes - <http://itunes.apple.com/au/app/expressionist/id318022654?mt=8>

Video demonstration - <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3TA8feG0xRA>

Look2Learn - AAC - \$24.99

Look2Learn (L2L), a revolutionary AAC software application for the iPod Touch and iPhone, allows individuals to work at their communicative level using photographs to express wants and needs. The easy to use system integrates preloaded vocal output so that individuals can use their "voice". In addition, users are able to record their own personalized audio and pair it with photos!

Developer - <http://www.look2learn.com/>

Download from iTunes - <http://itunes.apple.com/au/app/look2learn-aac/id319600029?mt=8>

Locabulary Lite - Free

Locabulary is location based vocabulary. Locabulary is an iPhone app developed for communication, information, and fun. Words are made available based on your GPS location. You can create a fast sentence using Locabulary's noun-verb-object structuring. With Locabulary, you can easily speak the right words in the right place.

Developer - <http://locabulary.com/>

Download from iTunes - <http://itunes.apple.com/au/app/locabulary-lite/id322448547?mt=8>

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Halo Talk - \$36.99

HaloTalk is a simple yet powerful augmentative learning software. The application comes with over 50 pairs of responses commonly used daily. Each response/adjective is natural voice enabled, with visual cue to help the user to pick an item.

Developer - <http://www.adastrasoft.com/HaloTalk.html>

Download from iTunes - <http://itunes.apple.com/au/app/halotalk/id316192383?mt=8>

StepStones - \$36.99

StepStones is a natural voice enabled augmentative learning tool for any one who needs picture schedule (activity schedule, visual schedule) to help learning, understanding and organizing their daily activities.

Developer - <http://www.adastrasoft.com/StepStones.html>

Download from iTunes - <http://itunes.apple.com/au/app/stepstones/id312055405?mt=8>

Video demonstration - <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lyBnt9wygyY>

Behaviour Tracker Pro - \$36.99

Behavior Tracker Pro is a behavior data collection application for PDAs that allows BCBAs, behavioral therapists, aides, teachers or parents to track behaviors and graph them. Behavior Tracker Pro improves your child's ABA therapy by electronically capturing behavioral data and translating into an easy to understand graphical format.

Developer - <http://www.behaviortrackerpro.com/products/btp/BTP-for-iPhone.aspx>

Download from iTunes -

<http://itunes.apple.com/au/app/behaviortrackerpro/id319708933?mt=8>

iPACS - \$12.99

iPACS is a flexible content management tool using a book metaphor. It has some similarity to PECS, but it is much more flexible than that. iPACS allow you to customize close to 600 voice-enabled pictures for teaching, learning, and communication for special need individuals.

Developer - <http://www.adastrasoft.com/iPACS.html>

Download from iTunes - <http://itunes.apple.com/au/app/ipacs/id322441370?mt=8>