
















Writing Apps Feature Match

	App name	Free	Type or writing based	Spell check	Text to speech	Word prediction	Dictionary	Voice notes	Drawing tool	Speech Recognition	Save options	Keyboard	Miscellaneous
	ABC Cursive	X	Writing										Doesn't have a place to start letter; dot-to-dot trace which is not recommended for beginning writer
	ABC Tracer	X	Writing										Doesn't have where to start writing; dot-to-dot which is no longer recommended
	Absolute Board	X	Writing						X		X		Slate for writing, no models of letters
	Creative Writing		Typing								X	X	Just gives you writing prompts for students 4th grade and up.
	Dragon	X	Typing					X		X	X	X	Must have wifi
	iWrite Words		Writing										PK-K; ASD target population; good visuals; voice over

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	Mental Note for iPad		Typing			X	X	X	X		X	X	Can share as a pdf
	Notability		Both					X	X		X	X	Can insert pics; takes screenshots, takes photos, add handwriting block
	Notes Plus		Both					X	X		X	X	Paper options: lined, graph and unlined; has tutorial
	Pencast Player	X	Writing								X		Use app to download/view uploaded Livescribe pencasts
	Penultimate		Writing						X		X		Just for writing and drawing; difficult for left handed people; can't insert text, pictures or objects; different types of paper available but must purchase
	Read It	X	Typing		X						X	X	Type on a page and reads back to you; can copy paste into it

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	Shake a Phrase		Writing				X				X		Vocabulary, parts of speech
	Typ-O HD		Type		X	X		X	X		X	X	
	Writepad		Both	X							X	X	Built in calculator; complicated instructions