

WEBSITES OF INTEREST

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www.aacintervention.com

Tips, handouts and more from Julie Maro and Caroline Musselwhite

www.aactechconnect.com

Needing an objective tool for AAC device selection? Consider the “Device Assistant” – free trial period

www.abisee.com

Eye-Pal Vision – “Talking CCTV”

assistivetech.ning.com

Sponsored by Atomic Learning – network with others, join a special interest group

www.assistiveware.com

Proloquo2Go AAC app and other great products

www.atia.org

ATIA offers webinars on apps for iPad, iTouch and iPhone for reading, writing and math. Webinars, such as “How a Small AT Team Delivers Training in a Large District”, are archived. Mark your calendar now for this national AT conference/exhibit hall - Nov 3 – 5, 2011 in Schaumburg.

www.audionotetaker.com

Audio-based note taking software – beneficial for individuals with dyslexia and other learning disabilities. Free trial!

<http://bookbuilder.cast.org>

Free account to create books – save to personal library

www.classroom20.com

Check out the “Saturday Shows” screencasts and Special Interest Groups

www.closingthegap.com

Closing the Gap offers webinars on iPod Touch and iPad as assistive technology. Sign up early – fill quickly!

www.conovercompany.com

Free sampler apps

www.customsolutions.us

Computer and AT services – variety of resources - AT trainings offered by Bridgette Nicholson, consultant. Get on her e-mail list for notification of local workshops –

bnicholson@customsolutions.us

www.iceberg.org

Illinois Computing Educators – terrific conference held in St. Charles each Feb. Plan now to attend 2012 – vendor hall, workshops, networking and more!

www.iltech.org

Illinois Assistive Technology Program – Check out the device loan program which includes iPads with AAC apps. A new product in the loan system is an ADA-compliant guest room kit for those who are deaf or hard of hearing – perfect for travel or the hospital. Great resource for summer travel. “Safety and Autism Spectrum Disorder” DVDs (Barbara Doyle) are still available for sale for \$5.00.

www.infinitec.org

FREE AT trainings and webinars

www.judylynn.com

Check out their new program “Listen & Respond.” Very appropriate for transition, life skills and vocational training.

www.mayer-johnson.com/community/

Boardmaker Share and other great AT networking options/resources

www.moshilifestyle.com/Product/VoiceControlAlarmClock

Voice controlled alarm clock that responds to 12 audio commands. Available for loan from IATP.

www.nuance.com/dragon

Check out speech recognition using Dragon on the Mac

<http://www.scribd.com/doc/24470331/iPhone-iPad-and-iPod-touch-Apps-for-Special-Education>

Eric Sailer’s document “iPhone, iPad and iPad touch Apps for (Special) Education

www.scottmarfilius.com/uploads/The_Price_is_RightDescHO.pdf

List of low-cost AT solutions from Scott Marfilius

www.setbc.org/pictureset/

PictureSET downloadable visual supports

www.shinylearning.co.uk/freegames

Free switch accessible games

<http://shop.aph.org>

American Printing House for the Blind has new software for developing a personalized booklet for families regarding a student's O&M needs.

www.spectronicsinoz.com/

Inclusive Learning Technologies Activity Exchange

www.taptotalk.com

"Tap to Talk" AAC app

www.tarheelreader.org

Free, easy-to-read accessible books

www.teachinglearnerswithmultipleneeds.blogspot.com

Resources for teachers of students with significant, multiple challenges

www.writerlearning.com

FUSION – solution for simple note taking, advanced writing and more. Text-to-Speech and word prediction features