



Outcomes

- Universal Design for Learning
- * Why the iPad? Why Not?
- Discovering the iPad and its many uses
- ❖ Requisite Skills
- Discover Apps
- * Accessories



What to Consider

- Level of Visual Functioning
- Assess students' current level and skills?
- * Assess technology needs?
- Develop an order of skills you would like the student to learn?
- Staff / family skills / expertise?
- What equipment / technology is currently available in the school / home?
- What infrastructure is currently in the school?



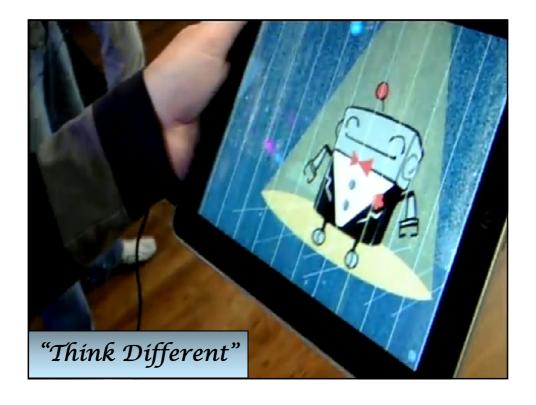
Why the iPad??

- ❖ Personal Device can be personalised
- Portable
- Ease of use
- Instant Startup
- Long battery life lasts the school day
- * Minimal technical support required
- Less chance for Viruses
- Availability of apps





- Email / surf the net / ebooks / audio
- ❖ Take photos
- * Scan
- Direct printing
- * As a remote desktop
- As a projector
- Unlimited Cloud facility for free
- View / edit MS Office files
- Access databases through MS Access
- Virtual Laptop (including file share)





Documents You will receive

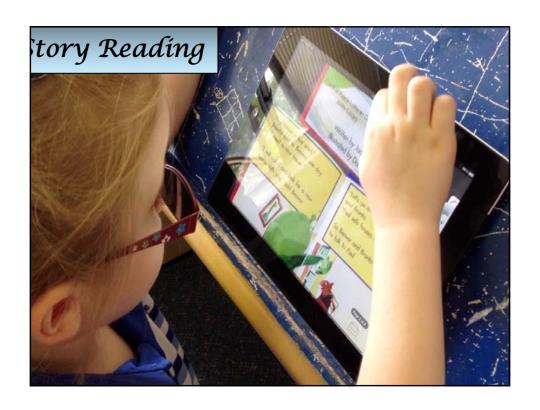
- ❖ Everything iPad You should have that now
- ❖ Booklet "Everything iPad" You can receive via email (penri1@eq.edu.au)
- ✓ Introduction
- ✓ List of Apps divided into categories
- ✓ Favourite Websites
- ✓ Bibliography

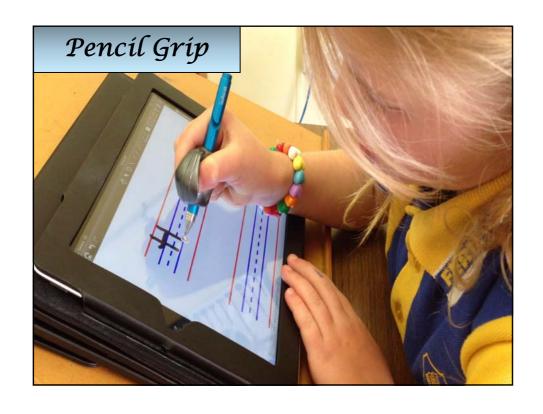


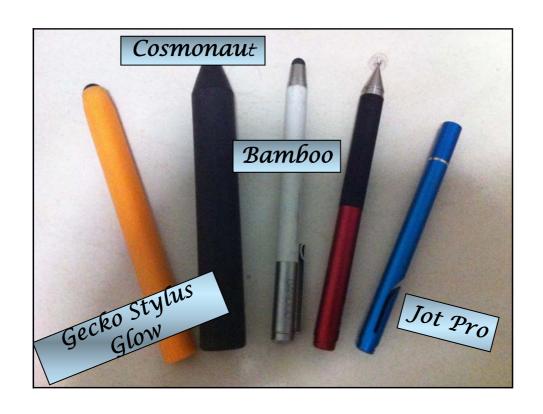














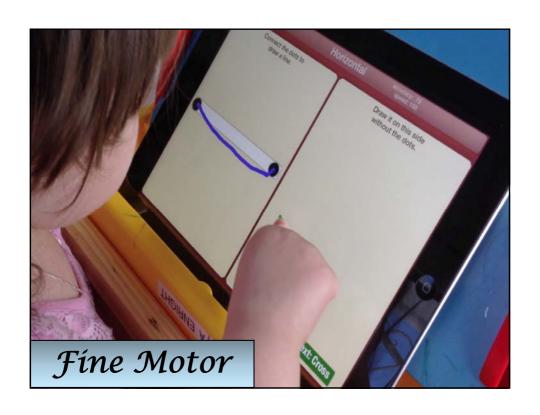
















Websites to help find Apps

 Spectronics - Phone, iPad and iTouch apps for people who have low vision, and teachers of students who have a vision impairment

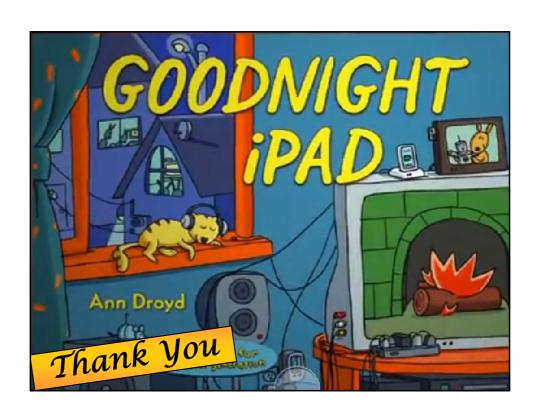
http://www.spectronicsinoz.com/article/iphoneipad-apps-for-aac

- Apps for Children with Special Needs Many apps are reviewed and presented in a short video walkthrough http://a4cwsn.com/
- Quixey app search engine that helps you find apps https://www.quixey.com/
- Vision Australia Guides / Podcast on how to use Apple Software

www.visionaustralia.org/atpodcasts









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