



Preparing for Success: Exploring Assistive Technology

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Tools for Life

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Accessibility Made Smart

AMAC creates practical solutions that work, with a focus on utility, ease of use, and high quality.

- **Accessibility Consulting** focuses on organizational accessibility needs with evaluation, technical assistance, customer support, and website accessibility solutions.
- **Braille Services** produces customized projects from both print materials and electronic text including partial books and chapters or graphics only using cutting-edge technology.
- **Captioning Services** makes classrooms, meetings, labs and other audio environments fully accessible for deaf or hard-of-hearing.
- **Professional E-Text Producers** provide high-quality e-text in many formats such as PDF, DOC, DAISY, and HTML.
- **Certified Assistive Technology team** provides on-site and remote assessments, demonstrations, training and technical assistance for education, work, and daily living environments.

For more information, please visit our website at www.amacusg.org

Tools for Life Mission

We're here to help Georgians with disabilities gain access to and acquisition of assistive technology devices and assistive technology services so they can live, learn, work, and play independently in the communities of their choice.

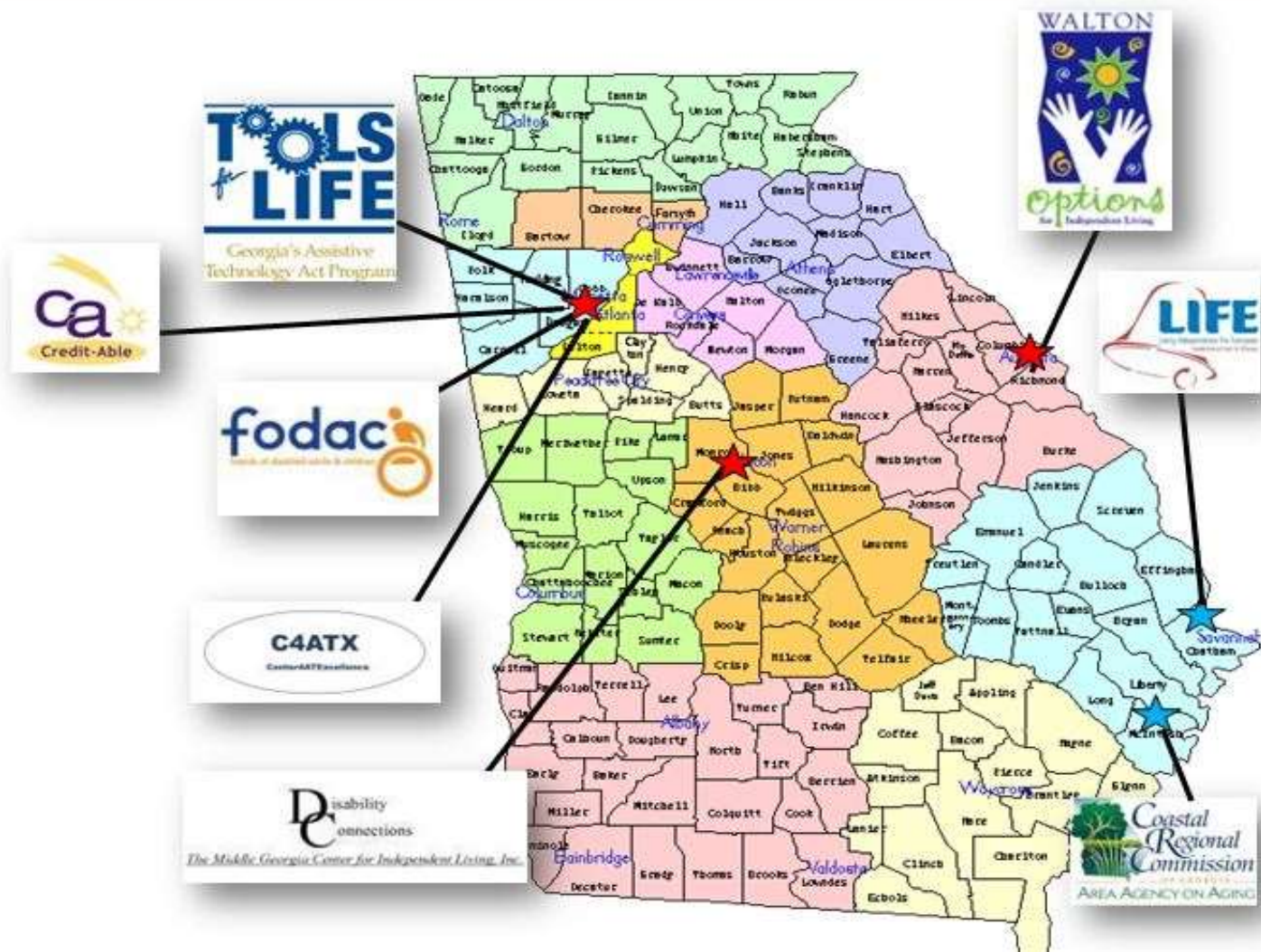


Tools for Life

Georgia's Federal AT Act Program

- **TFL developed Georgia's Plan for AT**
- We serve individuals of all ages & all disabilities in Georgia
 - Over 50,000 thru various activities throughout the year
- **TFL Network**
 - Assistive Technology Resource Centers
 - Lending Libraries
 - Training and Demonstrations
 - AT Reuse
 - AT Funding Education/Assistance and Resources
- **Online Resources**
 - www.gatfl.gatech.edu - 5,000 unique visitors a month

TFL Network



Come Visit Us



- TRAINING
- FUNDING
- PUBLICATIONS
- TFL WIKI
- MEET THE TFL TEAM
- MEET THE ADVISORY COUNCIL
- DIRECTIONS/MAP
- JOIN OUR MAILING LIST
- SCHEDULE A TOUR**

Welcome AT Services Try AT Get AT AT Guides Research



CUSTOMIZED AT TRAINING
for Individuals or Groups



Welcome to Tools for Life

Tools for Life, Georgia's Assistive Technology Act Program, is dedicated to increasing access to and acquisition of assistive technology (AT) devices and services for Georgians of all ages and disabilities so they can live, learn, work and play independently and with greater freedom in communities of their choice.

Tools for Life and the TFL Network work collaboratively together to accomplish our mission through:

2014 GATE SEMINAR

DEC 5 Georgia Tech Student Center

WEBINARS

OCT 29 Lighting the Path: A Guided Discussion on AT for Dementia

NOV 6 Unlocking Communication in the Severely Impaired Child

- Current Webinar Schedule
- Webinar Archives

TOOLS FOR LIFE APPFINDER



...for Living, Learning, Working, and Playing.

AT ONLINE EXCHANGE



AT FUNDING GUIDE
DOLLARS & SENSE
NAVIGATING THE AT FUNDING STREAM

Tools for Life AT Demo Lab

- Tablets
- Vision Items
- DME
- Communication
- Games
- Software
- Switches
- Keyboards



TFL AppFinder



Search by:

✓ **App Name**

✓ **Categories**

- Book
- Education
- Environmental Adaptations
- Hearing
- Cognition, Learning, Developmental
- Navigation
- Personal Care and Safety
- Productivity
- Communication
- Therapeutic Aids
- Vision

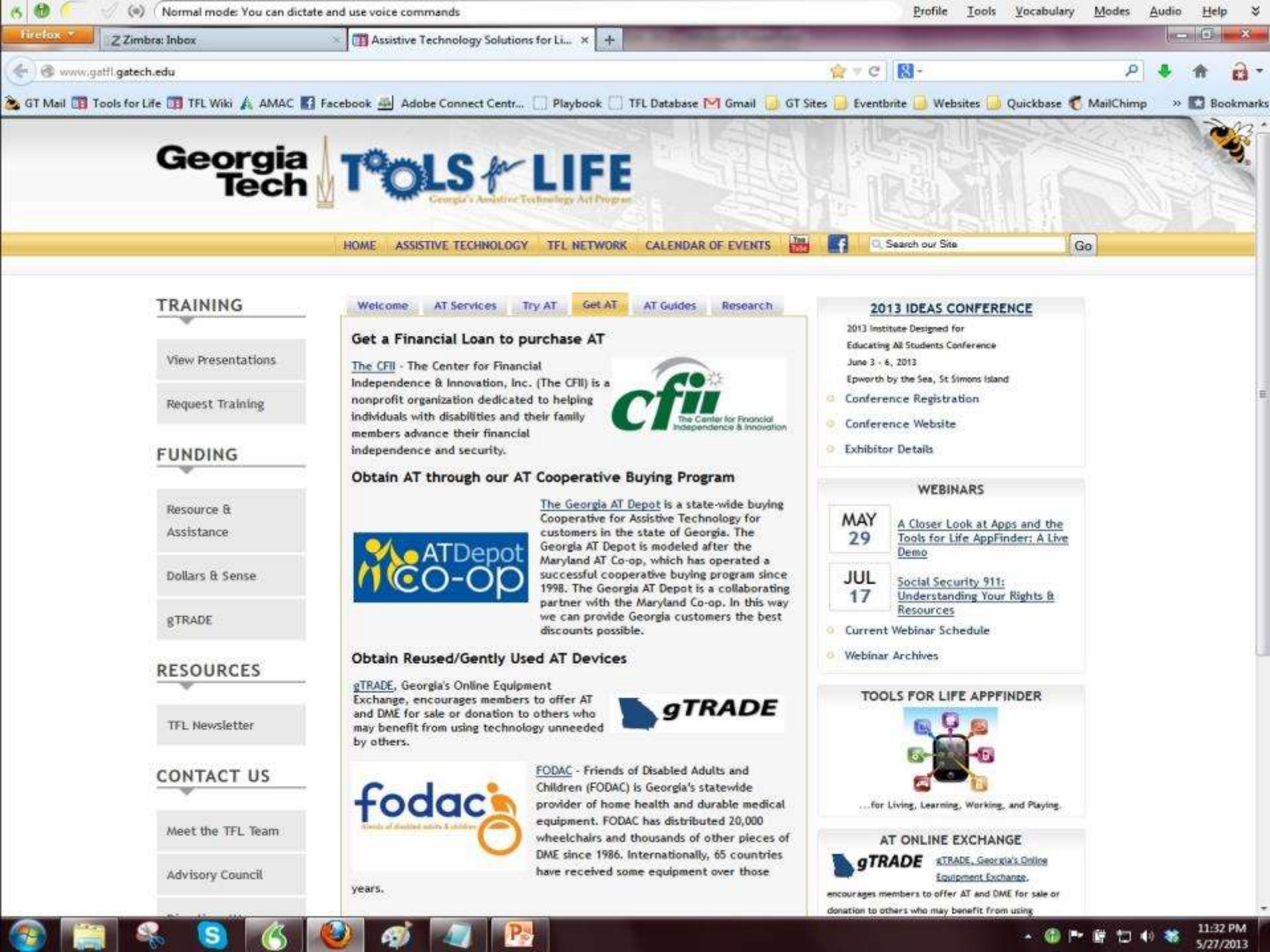
Assistive Technology Services

- Any service that directly assists an individual with a disability in the selection, acquisition, or use of an assistive technology device.
- Includes:
 - Evaluating
 - Providing devices
 - Selecting, Designing, Customizing
 - Maintaining, Repairing
 - Coordinating
 - Training/Technical Assistance –student, family and school service providers
- Public Law 105-394 [29 USC 2201]

Staying off the FAST Track!

- ✓ **Frustration**
- ✓ **Anxiety**
- ✓ **Stress**
- ✓ **Tension**

AT Funding, Education & Resources



HOME ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY TFL NETWORK CALENDAR OF EVENTS



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Get a Financial Loan to purchase AT

[The CFII](#) - The Center for Financial Independence & Innovation, Inc. (The CFII) is a nonprofit organization dedicated to helping individuals with disabilities and their family members advance their financial independence and security.



Obtain AT through our AT Cooperative Buying Program



[The Georgia AT Depot](#) is a state-wide buying Cooperative for Assistive Technology for customers in the state of Georgia. The Georgia AT Depot is modeled after the Maryland AT Co-op, which has operated a successful cooperative buying program since 1998. The Georgia AT Depot is a collaborating partner with the Maryland Co-op. In this way we can provide Georgia customers the best discounts possible.

Obtain Reused/Gently Used AT Devices

[gTRADE](#), Georgia's Online Equipment Exchange, encourages members to offer AT and DME for sale or donation to others who may benefit from using technology unneeded by others.



years.

[FODAC](#) - Friends of Disabled Adults and Children (FODAC) is Georgia's statewide provider of home health and durable medical equipment. FODAC has distributed 20,000 wheelchairs and thousands of other pieces of DME since 1986. Internationally, 65 countries have received some equipment over those

2013 IDEAS CONFERENCE

2013 Institute Designed for Educating All Students Conference
June 3 - 6, 2013
Epworth by the Sea, St Simons Island

- [Conference Registration](#)
- [Conference Website](#)
- [Exhibitor Details](#)

WEBINARS

MAY 29

[A Closer Look at Apps and the Tools for Life AppFinder: A Live Demo](#)

JUL 17

[Social Security 911: Understanding Your Rights & Resources](#)

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...for Living, Learning, Working, and Playing.

AT ONLINE EXCHANGE

[gTRADE](#) [gTRADE](#), Georgia's Online Equipment Exchange,

encourages members to offer AT and DME for sale or donation to others who may benefit from using

Direct AT Service Activities




- Web-based Funding Guide
- A resource for locating funding sources for AT devices and services. This guide was developed to make the funding process easier and to assist consumers in getting the assistive technology they need.
- New resources added frequently!

Dollars & Sense Funding Guide

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NAVIGATING THE AT FUNDING STREAM



- HOME
- GETTING STARTED
- FUNDING SERVICES AND SERVICE PROVIDERS
- SAMPLE MATERIALS
- AT RESOURCE CENTER



CLICK HERE TO GET STARTED
OR CALL 800-497-8665

Dollars & Sense: Getting Started

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Getting Started

[What is Dollars and Sense? How do I use it?](#)
Learn about the key features of the Dollars & Sense Funding Guide and how to use it to find assistive technology funding sources and service providers

[What is assistive technology?](#)
Learn about what assistive technology is, including the different types of assistive technology that are available

[How can I learn more about assistive technology?](#)
Find out about Internet resources for learning more about assistive technology; includes links to key Web sites



Georgia's Assistive
Technology Act Program

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Search sources

Filter list by:

Age group served:

Geographic Areas Served

Serves People with the Following Disabilities

Type of Funding Provided

Types of Services Provided

Results

Showing 1 to 100 of 238 entries Show entries

Search:

Organization	City	State
AAPD-American Association of People with Disabilities	Washington	DC
Access Home Design LLC	Bremen	GA
Access of the Chattahoochee Valley Inc.	Columbus	GA
Accord Services	Marietta	GA
Alisa K Adams Consultants LLC	Atlanta	GA
All About Developmental Disabilities	Atlanta	GA
American Cancer Society - Georgia (Southeast) Division	Atlanta	GA
American Council of the Blind	Arlington	VA
American Parkinson Disease Association - Atlanta Chapter	Atlanta	GA
American Printing House for the Blind Inc.	Louisville	KY
AMS Vane	Norcross	GA

Dollars & Sense: AT Terms

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Dictionary of key assistive technology terms

Advocacy: Writing, speaking, or assisting in support of a consumer.

Assessment: A professional opinion with regard to the types of aids, equipment, or other services within the field of assistive technology that might improve an individual's level of functioning.

Assistive technology device: As defined by ATP: Devices that help individuals with disabilities to function more independently; devices may include wheelchairs, communication devices, environmental controls, etc.

As related to special education: Any item, piece of equipment, or product system, whether purchased off-the-shelf, modified, or customized, that is used to increase, maintain, or improve the functional capabilities of children with disabilities.

Assistive technology service: Services include selecting, getting, or using assistive technology devices. This may include evaluation, customization, repair, maintenance, and training on how to use the device.

Augmentative and alternative communication: Also known as AAC; AAC devices are defined as electronic or non-electronic aids, devices, or systems that assist an individual to overcome, or reduce to the maximum degree possible, the communication limitations that preclude or interfere with meaningful participation in current and projected daily activities. Meaningful participation means effective and efficient communication of messages in any form the person chooses.

Consumer driven: People with disabilities are the decision-makers in the design, implementation, and evaluation of services and devices.

Durable medical equipment: Equipment that is most often used to serve a medical purpose, withstands repeated use, and is something that can be used in the consumer's home.

Encoding: A selection technique used to specify items from an individual's vocabulary. For example, an individual may select DW on a communication device to say "I want a drink of water."

Environmental control unit (ECU): A system that enables individuals to control various devices in their environment with single or multiple switches. The control unit may be mounted on a wheelchair for ease of access. Devices that can be operated with ECUs include lights, door openers, televisions, and telephones.

Direct AT Service Activities



- FREE resource for finding and exchanging assistive technology (AT) devices online
- Place an ad requesting items for sale, donation, or needed
- gTRADE and Tools for Life encourages members to offer AT devices and information for sale or by donation to others who may benefit from using technology and equipment no longer in need by others
- This online equipment exchange program was developed to make to make AT devices and services available and accessible to Georgians with disabilities
- www.gtradeonline.org



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Items Listed as Available on Gtrade

Filter list by:

Category:

All Categories

Posted:

All Postings

Type:

All Type

All Categories

Computers & Related

Daily Living Aids

Environmental Adaptations

Hearing

Learning, Cognitive, & Developmental

Mobility/ Seating & Positioning

Other

Recreation, Sports, & Leisure

Speech Communication

Vehicle Modification & Transportation

Vision

Display records per page:

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ID

Category

Item Name

Price

Location

42 Vision

[PACMate](#)

\$ 300

Albany, GA

46 Vision

[MeastroTrekker GPS](#)

Albany, GA

47 Vision

[ZoomText 9.0 Magnifier/reader](#)

\$ 400

Albany, GA

48 Vision

[AMIGO](#)

\$ 600

Ellijay, GA

56 Daily Living Aids

[Accessible sink with chrome faucet](#)

\$ 250

Marietta, GA

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Georgia's Alternative Financing Program for Assistive Technology





Financial Partner





Credit-Able Program Criteria

To receive a Credit-Able Loan you must be:

- A resident of Georgia

AND

- An **individual** with a disability

OR

- A **family member** or legal guardian of an individual with a disability

OR

- An **employer** of an individual with a disability
- Able to pay back the loan
- Using the loan to buy assistive technology equipment and services

Range of Loans, Terms, and Interest Rates

- Range of Loans Approved: **\$250 to \$55,000**
- Length of Loans Approved: **6 months to 8 Yrs**
- Interest Rates: **5.0 % - 9 %**

The Bottom Line: **YOU Save Money!**

Traditional Financing

- \$2,000
- 22% (rate of average credit card)
- 3 year term
- Monthly payment = \$76.38
- Total interest paid = \$749.71

Credit-Able Financing

- \$2,000
- 5.4%
- 3 year term
- Monthly payment = \$60.30
- Total interest paid = \$170.86

Total interest saved: \$578.85

How Can I Prepare for a Credit-Able Loan?

Know Your Price Range

Determine Your Income and Your Expenses

Income

- Earned Income
 - \$ Received for work
- Unearned Income
 - \$ From pensions, SSI, etc.
- Gross Earnings
 - Income **before** taxes
- Net Earnings
 - Income **after** taxes

Expenses

- Fixed Expenses
 - Necessities that do not change from month to month
(i.e. rent, mortgage, insurance)
- Flexible Expenses
 - Necessities that may change from month to month
(i.e. groceries, electric/heat/water bills)
- Discretionary Expenses
 - Not necessary
(i.e. eating out, movies, cable bills)

How much can I afford to pay?

- Determine how much you need to cover all necessary expenses
- Subtract this from your NET (post-taxes) income

In other words...

Total #1

-Total #2

-Total #3

\$ available for loan payment

My <u>Net</u> Income	
Source	Amount
1	
2	
3	
4	
TOTAL #1	
My Expenses	
Fixed Expenses	Amount
1. Rent/Mortgage	
2. Insurance Payment	
3. Other Loan Payments	
ETC.	
TOTAL #2	
Flexible Expenses	Amount
1. Groceries	
2. Heating Bill	
3. Electric Bill	
4. Savings Deposit	
ETC.	
TOTAL #3	

Other Loan Readiness Tips

- **Explore Funding/Grant Options**
 - Funds/Grants may be available to help supplement your loan
- **Report all Available Income**
 - Including income of significant others, PASS income, etc.
- **Borrowing vs. Buying**
 - Be sure the product you wish to purchase is what you are looking for
- **Ask a Co-Signer**

Exploring Assistive Technology

Try Before You Buy

VGo Telepresence Robot

- Enables a person to replicate themselves in a distant location and have the freedom to move around as if they were physically there
- Reduces travel costs
- School
- Hospital
- Work from home



Kurzweil 3000

- Text-to-Speech software
- Helps improve reading speed and comprehension
- Note taking capabilities
 - Different color highlighters
- firefly
 - Access many features of Kurzweil through the internet
 - [firefly demo](#)
- Free download trial
 - www.kurzweiledu.com
 - [Kurzweil 3000 Demo](#)



Ginger

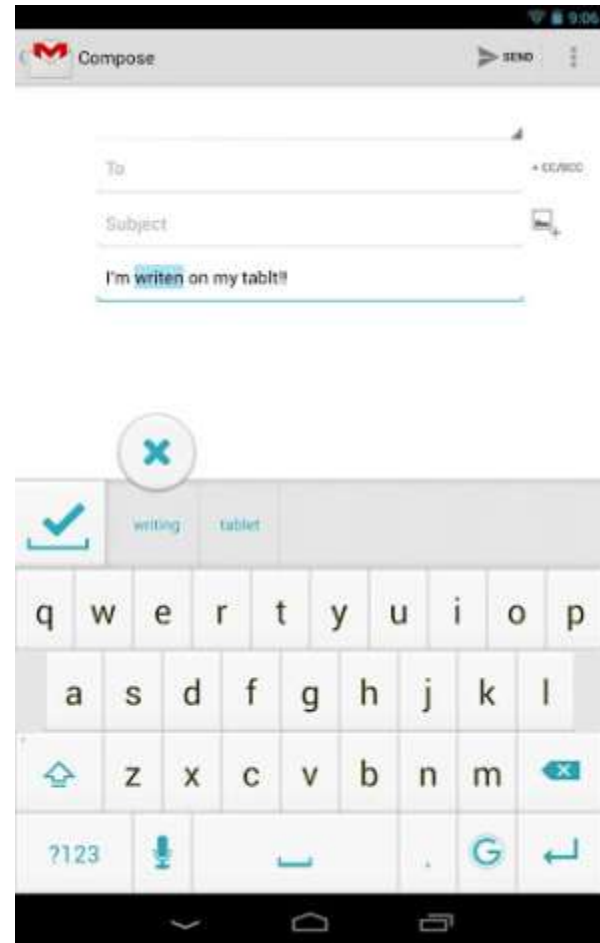


- Online grammar and spell checker
- Can see corrections as you type or use Ginger Proofreader to scan the entire document for mistakes
- Will read corrections out loud
- Has an mobile Android app
- Works inside Word and emails
- Text to Speech
 - Read emails and docs
 - Can choose voice and accent
- [Ginger Demo](#)

Ginger App



- Free
- Grammar and Spell checker
- Personal Assistant
- Use it to correct text messages, Whatsapp messages, Gmail and Outlook emails, and even social media apps such as Facebook



Live Scribe Pen

- Records what it hears and what you write
- Uses specific paper for playback
- Connects to computer by USB for saving
- Tap on note and playback from there
- Jump forward and back in notes
- Dictionary
- Translation Apps
- Purchase Apps online
- [Demo](#)



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- Several Universities and Tech School across the US
- If a Deluxe member 20+ software available to students
- Textbooks available in electronic format, audio, and braille
- Remote Captioning
- Student Download center

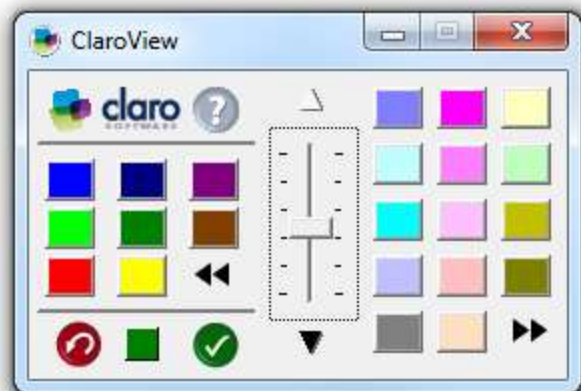


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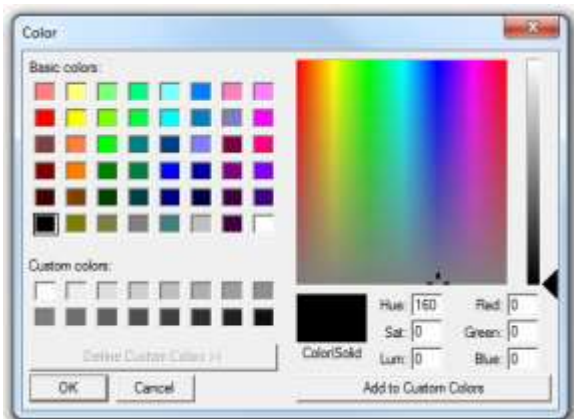
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 - [DAISY](#)
 - Membership required
 - over 75,000 audiobooks, audio textbooks, and other recorded books
 - Free Trial



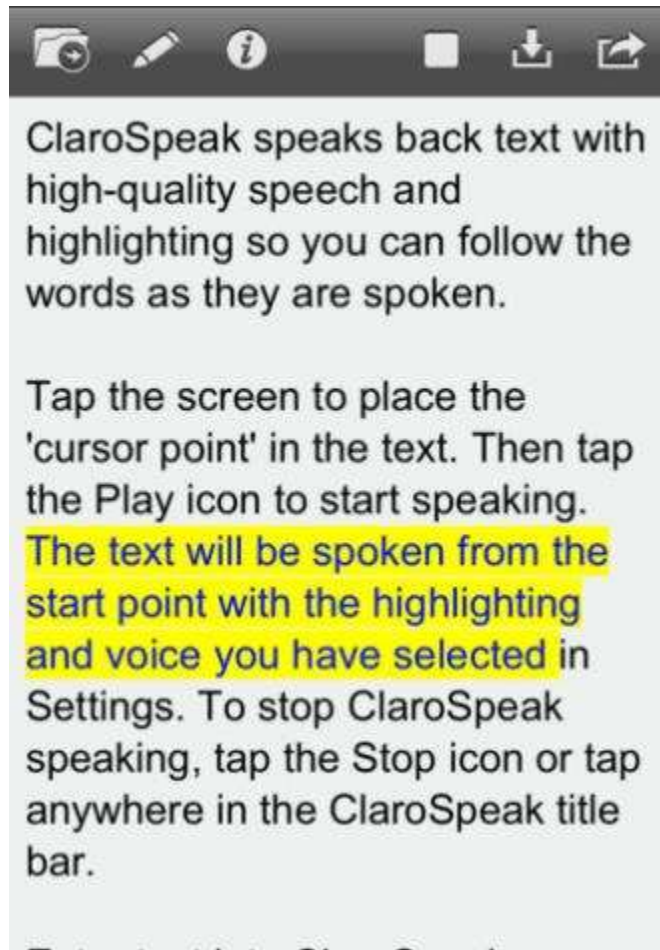
ClaroView



- easy to use software application that can assist certain PC users
- make browsing and reading easier
- work with any piece of software, as it acts as an overlay on the PC screen
- [Demo](#)



ClaroSpeak US



- Text-to-Speech
 - import documents and PDFs into ClaroSpeak from apps such as Mail, or import PDF, Word, Pages and other files directly from Dropbox using
- Change font and color
- Save text as an audio file
- Visual Tracking
- Send Text

Premier Software

- www.readingmadeeZ.com
- Read documents in standard file formats such as Microsoft Word, Rich Text, text file format, HTML, and PDF
- Converted to audio files for use on a CD or MP3 player
- Scan and read documents
- Look up a word or definition in the integrated dictionary
- Create study notes and much more!



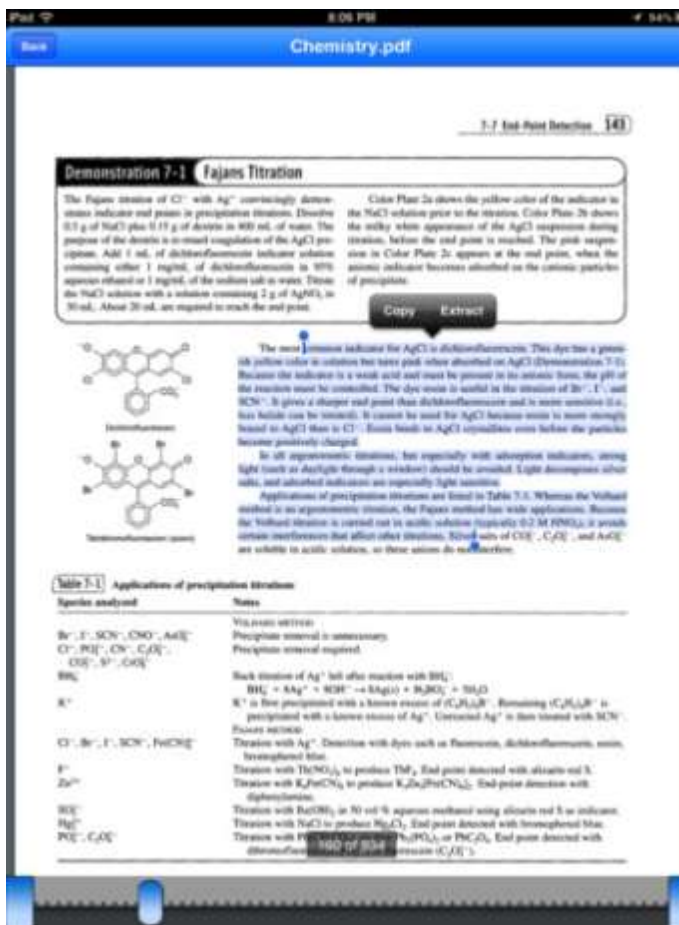
Premier Features

- PDF Equalizer
- E-Text Reader
- Universal Reader Plus
- Scan and Read Pro
- Talking Word Processor
- PDF Magic Pro
- Text-to-Audio
- Ultimate Talking Dictionary
- Talking Calculator
- Premier Predictor Pro

Premier Talking Reader



- PTR reads selected text aloud with the added benefit of note extraction
- Dropbox integration
- Email files
- Sync files through iTunes



The screenshot shows the Premier Talking Reader app interface. At the top, it displays 'Chemistry.pdf' and '3:7 End Point Detection'. The main content is a section titled 'Demonstration 7-1 Fajans Titration'. It contains text describing the titration process and the use of dichlorofluorescein as an indicator. Below the text are two chemical structures of dichlorofluorescein. To the right of the structures is a 'Copy' button and an 'Extract' button. At the bottom, there is a table titled 'Table 7-1 Applications of precipitation titrations'.

Species analyzed	Notes
Br^- , I^- , SCN^- , ClO_3^- , AsO_4^{3-}	Via arsenic method.
Cl^- , PO_4^{3-} , CN^- , $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$, CO_3^{2-} , S^{2-} , $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$	Precipitation method is unnecessary.
Ba^{2+}	Precipitation method required.
K^+	Back titration of Ag^+ left after reaction with BaCl_2 : $\text{BaCl}_2 + \text{Ag}^+ \rightarrow \text{BaCl} + \text{AgCl} \downarrow$ K^+ is then precipitated with a known excess of $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$. Remaining $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$ is precipitated with a known excess of Ag^+ . Unreacted Ag^+ is then treated with SCN^- . Excess SCN^- is then treated with Fe^{3+} .
Cl^- , Br^- , I^- , SCN^- , F^- , HCO_3^-	Titration with Ag^+ . Detection with dyes such as fluorescein, dichlorofluorescein, eosin, bromophenol blue.
F^-	Titration with $\text{Th(NO}_3)_3$ to produce ThF_3 . End point detected with aluminum end S.
Zn^{2+}	Titration with $\text{K}_2\text{Fe(CN)}_6$ to produce $\text{K}_2\text{Zn}_2\text{Fe(CN)}_6$. End point detection with diphenylamine.
HCO_3^-	Titration with Ba(OH)_2 in 50 vol-% aqueous methanol using phenolphthalein and S as indicator.
H_2O_2	Titration with NaClO_2 to produce H_2O_2 . End point detected with bromophenol blue.
Pb^{2+} , Ca^{2+}	Titration with Pb^{2+} to produce $\text{Pb}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2$ or $\text{Pb}_3(\text{C}_2\text{O}_4)_2$. End point detected with aluminum end S.

Exploring Mobile Technology: Know Your Tablets

Comparing Tablets

Property	Android	iOS	MS Windows	Amazon Kindle	Barnes and Noble Nook
Number and variety of Tablets	Over 11,000	iPad and iPad mini	Several	Kindle Fire and Fire HD	Nook HD
Operating System	Android (Jelly bean)	ios7 (Sept 18, 2013)	Microsoft Windows 8	Modified version of Android ICS	Modified version of Android- Microsoft bought 2013
Apps	860,815 (AppBrain.com updated 9/13/13)	900,000 with 375,00 optimized for iPad/mini (mobileburn.com updated June 2013)	104,917 (winbeta.org updated July 4, 2013)	50,000 in Amazon App store also shop in Google Play Store (theverge.com updated August 2013)	10,000 in Barnes and Noble and have access to Google Play store (barnesandnoble.com updated August 2013)
Software Updates	As it becomes available on Google	Apple releases updates	MS releases updates	Amazon releases updates	Barnes and Noble releases updates
Interface	As designed by manufacturer	Icons and widgets designed by Apple	Metro style designed by Microsoft	Modified version of regular Android	Modified version of regular Android

Android Device Fragmentation



Apple iPad/ mini iPad

- Multi- touch screen
- New iOS 7
- Millions of apps
- Surf web
- iTunes
- Videos
- Organization
- Accessibility
- Books
- Photos
- Speakers
- New iPad had 5.0 megapixel camera
- Starts at \$499/\$399 and mini \$329



Built-in Accessibility Features

- VoiceOver
- Zoom
- Large Text
- Invert Colors
 - (white on black)
- Speak Selection
- Speak Auto Text
- Mono Audio
- Assistive Touch
- Guided Access
- Home-Click Speed
- Switch Access
- Braille Displays





Microsoft Surface



http://www.microsoftstore.com/store/msusa/en_US/c

Top 10 Best Tablets Compariso...

On sale: Surface, PCs, Xbox ...

Amazon.com : Samsung Galax...

File Edit View Favorites Tools Help

Great prices on tablets [Shop all tablet deals](#)



Save up to \$70.00

Surface

★★★★★ (65)

- The original tablet at a great price
- Built-in kickstand
- Office Home & Student 2013 RT
- Up to 8 hours battery life



Save \$300.00

Surface Pro

★★★★★ (92)

- The laptop in tablet form
- Built-in kickstand
- Surface Pen included
- Huge savings while supplies last



Save \$80.00

Toshiba Encore WT8-A32M
Touchscreen Tablet

★★★★★ (3)

- 8-inch HD touchscreen
- Intel Atom Z3740
- 2GB memory/32GB eMMC
- Up to 7 hours battery life



Save \$50.00

Lenovo ThinkPad 8 Touchscreen

★★★★★ (8)

- 8.3-inch Full HD display
- Intel Atom Z3770
- 2GB memory/64GB eMMC
- Up to 8 hours battery life

Surface Pro 3

- June 2014
- 12 inch screen
- Up to 9 hours of web browsing
- Windows 8.1
- Surface pen
- Multi positioning kickstand
- Palm Block Technology
- Install Software
- Starting at \$799



Surface RT and Pro



- 2 types
 - RT
 - PRO
- RT
 - Cannot download software
 - Does not support digital pen
 - Built in MS Office
 - Word, PowerPoint, Excel
- Pro
 - 30 day trial of MS Office
 - Ability to download software
- Open 3 Windows
- Tiles
 - Start screen
- Charms
 - Right hand side

Accessibility of Surface



- Magnetic Attachments
 - Charger and keyboards
- Uses Windows 8
 - Ease of Access
- Narrator
- Magnifier
- On-Screen Keyboard
- Windows Speech Recognition
- Picture Password

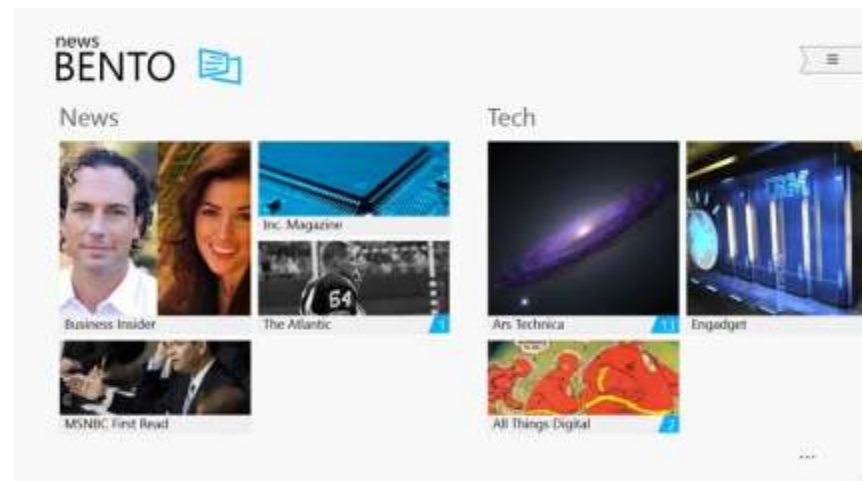
Surface Apps: OneNote



- Save all your notes in the cloud
 - All devices
- Share for viewing and editing
- Save any web page to OneNote and view it later, online or offline
- Send emails to me@onenote.com
 - Put into your notebook.
- Take photos of documents and whiteboards

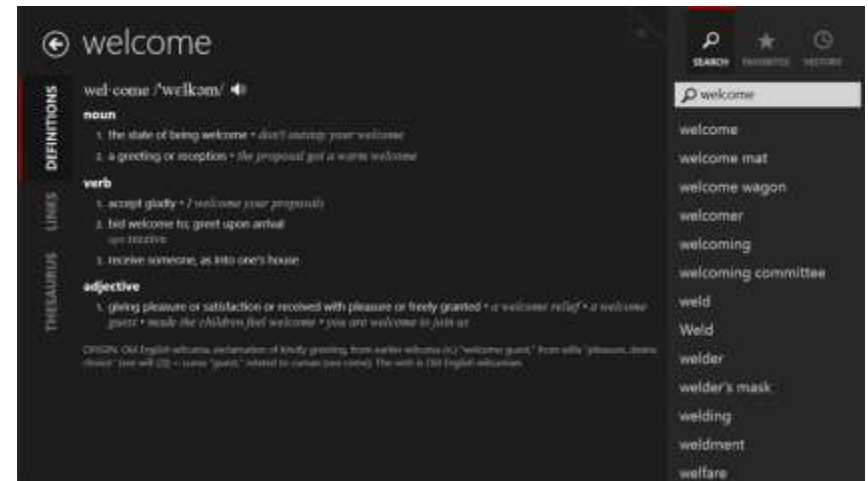
Surface Apps: News

- Aggregate all the news you care about in one spot
- Personalize home screen
- All the news in one spot
- Free



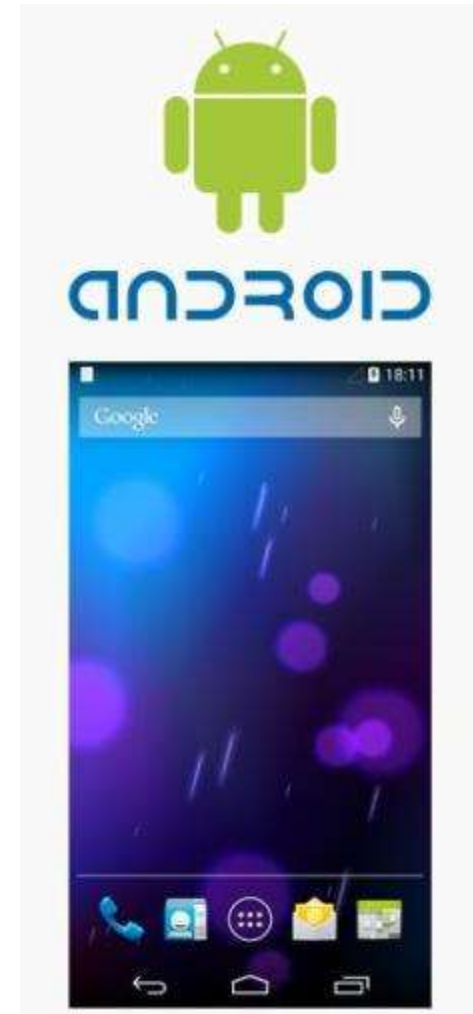
Surface Apps: WordBook

- Dictionary App
- 120,000 pronunciation guides
- 150,000 real human voice audios
- Built-in thesaurus and word links
- Browser-like content navigation with ability to tap on any word to view its definition



The World's Most Popular Mobile OS

- Android powers more than a billion phones and tablets around the world.
- It's customizable, yet easy to use, and since it's made by Google, it works seamlessly with all your favorite Google apps.



Samsung Galaxy Tab 3



- 7 inch screen
- Open one screen at a time
- Camera for photos and videos
- Ability to organize apps
- Similar to the Galaxy smartphone
- Starts at \$179

Samsung Galaxy Note 8.4



- Built in accessibility features
- Multi Windows
 - 2 Screens
- Customize dashboards
- 8.4 inch display
- 10 hrs Internet time
- e- Meeting
 - Share screen
- Starting at \$349

Google Nexus Tablet



- 7 inch screen
- Up to 9 hours of HD video playback
- 10 hours of web browsing
- Made to Share
 - Customize space and personal homepage
- Starts at \$229

Kindle Fire HD/HDX

- eBook Reader and mobile tablet
- Front facing camera
- Access to Amazon apps
- Free cloud storage for Amazon purchases
- Purchase Apps
- 7inch or 8.9 inch screen
- 'Mayday' button HDX
- Starts at \$139- HD
- \$199- HDX



Google Glass

- Wearable Technology
- Bluetooth Connection
- Navigate
- Make a Call
- Send a Message
- Take a Picture or Video
- Get the News
- Search
- Google Play Music
- Google Now
- Be Social
- Internal Compass
- \$1500



Environmental Controls

<http://getvera.com/controllers/veralite/>



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VeraLite

Smart Home Controller

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Description

Features & Specs

Warranty & Support

YOUR NEW ASSISTANT

HOME CONTROL DOESN'T HAVE TO BE COMPLICATED OR EXPENSIVE, SO WE CAME UP WITH THE VERALITE SMART CONTROLLER, WHICH IS SIMPLE AND INEXPENSIVE. IT MAY BE SMALL, BUT IT'S CAPABLE OF BIG THINGS!

- Easily manages up to 70 devices
- Plug and play with your Internet connection
- Controls over 750 smart products of all kinds
- Custom text and email alerts for any situation



VeraLite gives you easy control over lights, cameras, thermostats, door locks, alarm systems and more. Plus you easily can add intelligence to almost anything electronic in your home, and VeraLite can control them too. All the smart home benefits you've been looking for are right here in this easy, inexpensive add-on to your home network.



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VeraLite gives you easy control over lights, cameras, thermostats, door locks, alarm systems and more.

ONLY \$179.95

WHAT'S IN THE BOX



Georgia's Assistive
Technology Act Program

User Interfaces

Vera gateways can be controlled with a number of different interfaces.

- First Party Software
 - PC
 - MAC
 - Smartphone App
- Third Party Software
 - Smartphone Apps
 - TASKER! (Android only)



Tasker



Tasker is a phone automation application that allows you to really unleash your android device's capabilities.

Tasker in a nutshell is a program that tells your device “When this happens, do this!”

- “When something is plugged into the headphone jack, open my music app”
- “When I open the navigation app, turn GPS on”
- “When my phone is connected to this cell tower, turn on wifi and connect to my home wifi”

More on Tasker



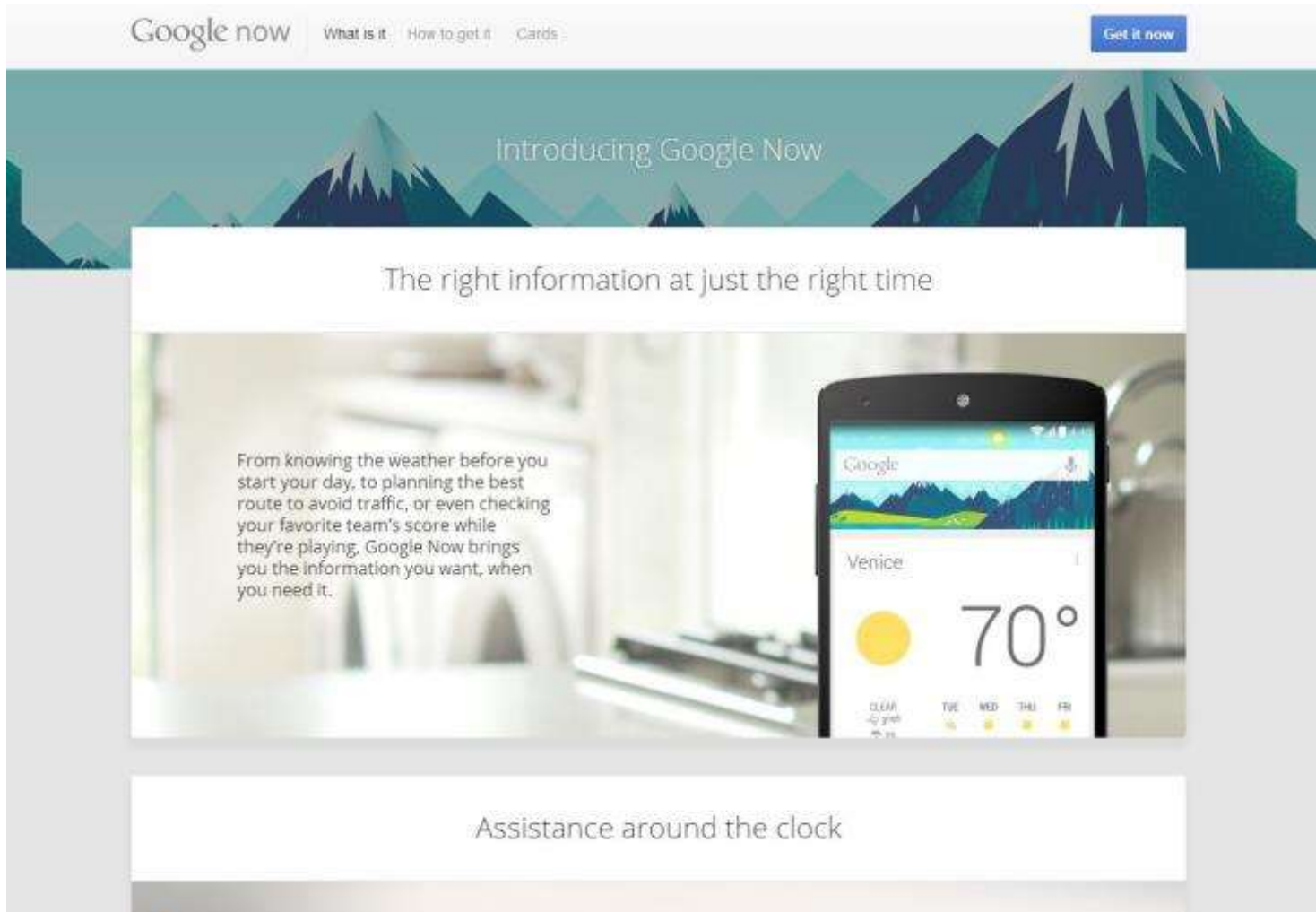
Plugins for Tasker allow you to access other features of your phone and interface with other internet connected devices.

- Autovoice – Allows you to set up custom voice commands and turn always listening on
- Autocast – Enables you to control a Chromecast device on your TV
- Autovera – Interfaces with your Vera gateway

The Future of this OS is Limitless

- Google has the futuristic ambition and the funds to take Android to unprecedented heights. In many areas — such as predicting what users will do next.
- Google Now knows that in the morning you're getting ready for work and will tell you about the traffic.

Google Now



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The right information at just the right time

From knowing the weather before you start your day, to planning the best route to avoid traffic, or even checking your favorite team's score while they're playing, Google Now brings you the information you want, when you need it.

Assistance around the clock

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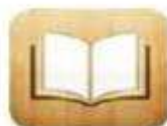
Dragon

Dragon Dictation is an easy-to-use voice recognition application powered by Dragon

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5 stars by 1 users



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Say Text

SayText reads out loud the text in the image. It is intended for the visually impaired users. SayText is a free spin off product from the DocScanner team.

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gTRADE [gTRADE - Georgia's Online Equipment Exchange](#)

encourages members to offer AT and DME for sale or donation to others who may benefit from using technology unneeded by others.

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- Free Books
 - Free
 - Over 23,000 titles
 - Audiobooks
- Newspaper
 - Free
 - Newspapers from 150+ countries
 - Over 20,000 newspapers



- Overdrive Media Console
 - Free
 - Must have library card
 - Download ebooks and audiobooks on the go



Reminders



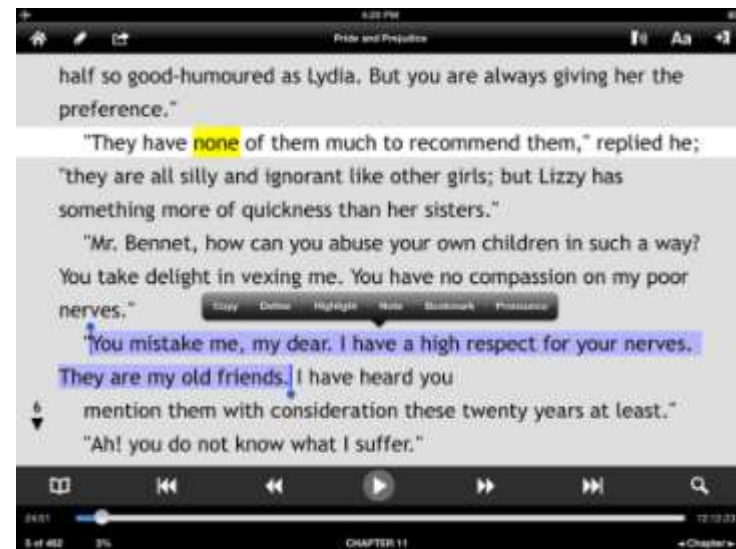
- Built-in App
- Works with VoiceOver
- Organize your reminders
- Siri if have iPhone 4s or 5
- The new iPad

Voice Dream



- Text to Speech
- Highlights as it reads
- Import
 - Bookshare
 - Dropbox
 - Gutenberg
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 - PDFs
- Buy different voices
- Change rate of speed

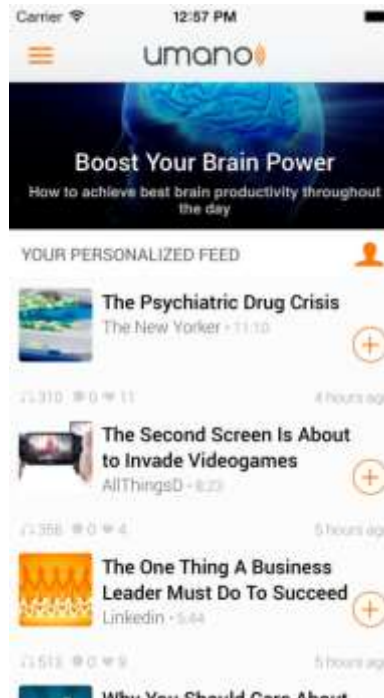
- Download for later reading
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- Download to listen to offline
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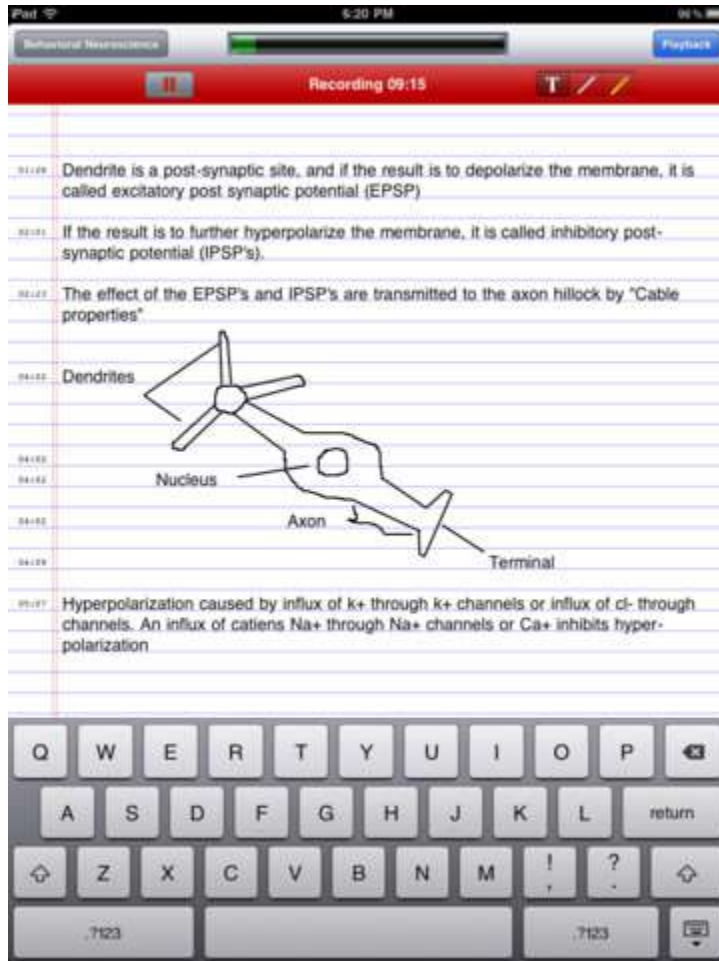
Catch Notes



- Free
- Capture ideas instantly with voice, photo, and text notes
- Use online AND offline on your mobile phone or tablet
- Share checklists to collaborate on to-do lists
- Set reminders



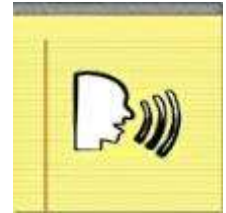
AudioNote



- Records your notes, meetings or lectures
- Can take notes by typing, stylus, or drawing
- Time stamps so you can go directly to where you want to hear
- Highlights notes when read back
- \$4.99



Voice Note Trial



- Create lists, texts, email, notes, calls, and dial by voice
- Can use Google Voice Recognition when connected to internet
- Free



Say it & Mail it Pro



- Email voice memos
- Attach pictures
- Set preference to start recording as soon as app opens
- Add location

Voice Pad



- Record lectures
- Tag the audio with notes
- Tap the audio tag next to the note to recall exactly what was said during which a specific note was taken
- Free





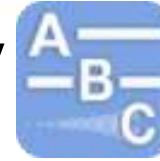
ColorNote Notepad

Notes To Do

- Simple notepad app
- Organize notes by color
- Checklist for To do list & Shopping list
- Checklist to get things done
- Organize your schedule in calendar
- Password Lock note
- Free



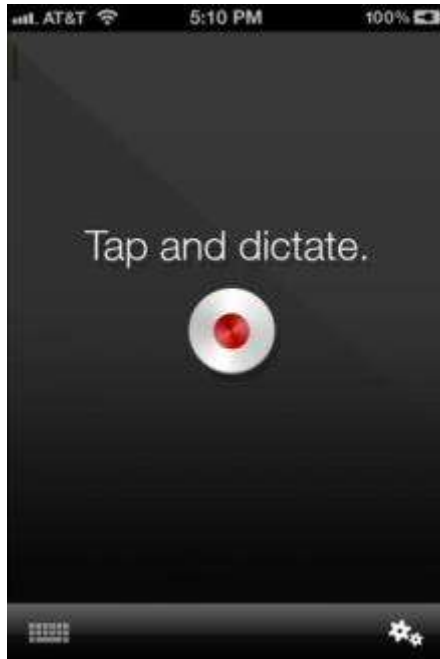
Brevity



- Word Completion App
- Automatically add words if not in list
- Remembers how often you use words and offers the most frequently chosen options to you first
- E-mail Support - Send e-mails from directly within the application
- Text Message Support
- Remove misspelled or unwanted words
- Set prediction font size and window transparency



Dragon Dictation



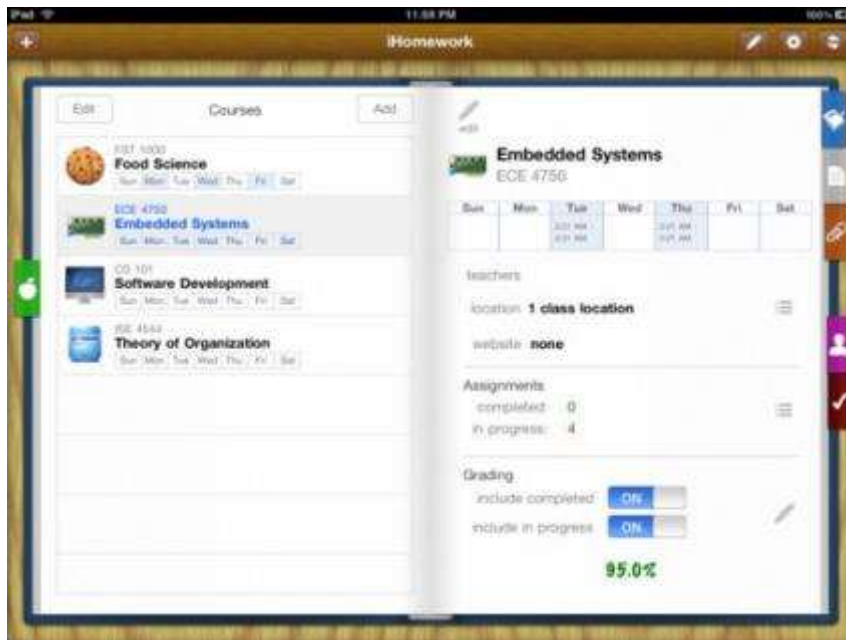
Hi John call me when you get this e-mail. I'm running a little bit late.



- Voice Recognition
- Free
- Dictate notes, emails, Twitter, and Facebook
- Supports many languages
- Cut, Copy, Paste
- Android
 - Dragon Go!
 - Dragon Hands Free Assistant

Apps for Organization

iHomework



- Keep up-to-date with your school work, grades, to-do's, teacher's information
- School organizer that can be with you anywhere you go, whether that be on your iPhone/iPod touch, iPad, or Mac

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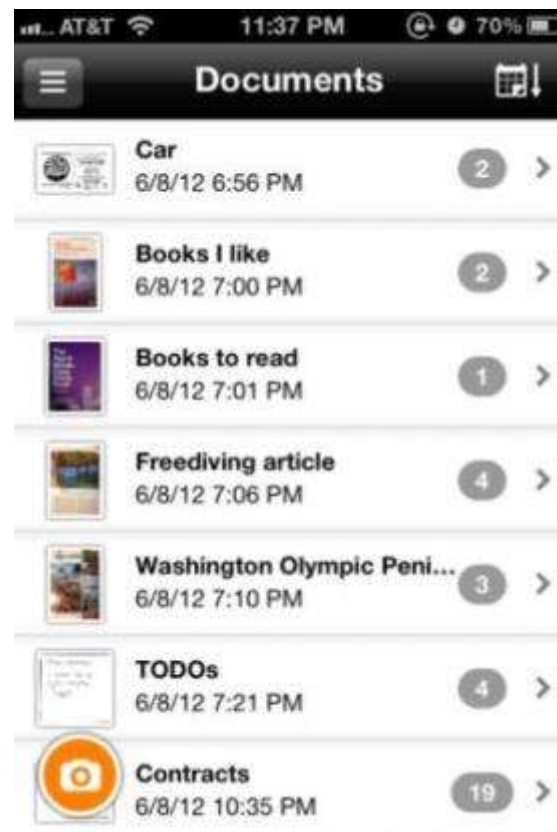
- Free
- Keep track of your cash and credit cards
- Pay your bills
- Real-time alerts and reminders about upcoming bills, overage charges, and suspicious transactions
- Understand your debt



Scan Genius/ Genius Scan



- Free on Apple
- \$1.99 on Android
- Pocket Scanner
- Quickly scan documents on the go and email the scans as JPEG or PDF
- Allows you to build PDFs



Remember the Milk



- Free
- App for organization that is based on the website of the same name.
- Bring your “To-Do” list to life with features such as keys, tasks, actions, search, notes, locations, and reminders.
- App allows user to switch to landscape mode for easier reading and typing.



Reminders



- Built-in App
- Works with VoiceOver
- Organize your reminders
- Siri if have iPhone 4s or 5
- The new iPad

Apps for Relaxation

iZen Garden



- Choose from 100s of objects, plants and creatures to place in your garden
- Rake the sand and share your creations
- Helps you to center your mind, relax your psyche and relieve your stress

Breathe2Relax

- Portable stress management tool
- Detailed information on the effects of stress on the body
- Instructions and practice exercises to learn the stress management skill called diaphragmatic breathing



Pandora



- Free internet radio
- Create custom stations based on genre
- Free



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