Resources: You have a lot of tools, let's make a toolbelt for them!

- 1. Presentation slides
- 2. Massive google spreadsheet by Dr Courduff
- 3. Task-Tool template
- 4. Task-Tool samples
- 5. Universal design for learning (UDL)
- 6. <u>5 effective teaching strategies website</u>
- 7. SDAIE strategies
- 8. Facebook groups







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What...why?

Because you have learned to use a lot technological tools during COVID-19.

Why not use the tools now that you have transitioned to hybrid or face-to-face?

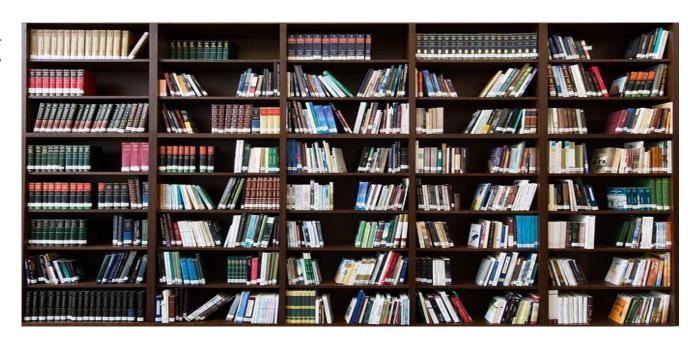


Can you give some examples?

Here's a folder full of examples

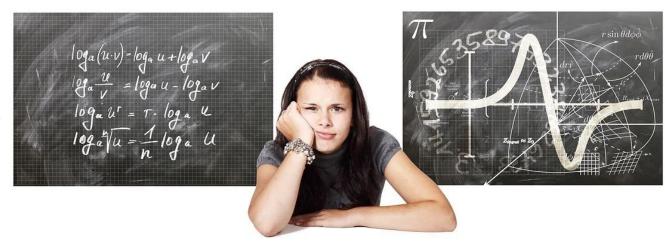
Video example 1

Video example 2



Organize by subject

- Reading
- Writing
- Math
- Social Studies
- Science
- Organization
- Social Skills



Organize by goals

- Emotions
- Articulation
- Receptive language
- Expressive language
- Social/pragmatics
- Cognitive challenges
- Physical challenges
- Behavior challenges





Organize by tool

- AAC
- Low tech
- Mid tech
- High tech



high tech

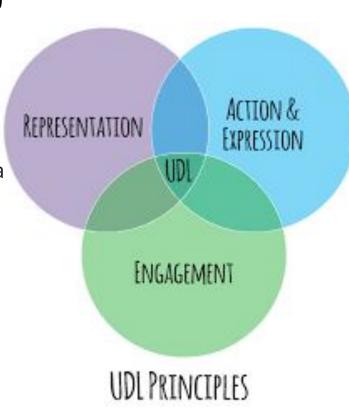
medium tech

low tech/no tech

Align to good design strategies

Whattttttt?????

- Universal design for learning
- 5 effective strategies website
 - Visualization Of Information. Visualization is a great method to summarize or process information that has been taught in class
 - Student-Led Classrooms
 - Implementing Technology In the Classroom
 - Differentiation
 - Inquiry-Based Instruction.
- SDAIE strategies



Common technology in your instructional setting

What are your tried and true technology resources?



Implementation

You can start one for yourself, OR one for others?

- 1. Tools for students
- 2. Tools for colleagues
- 3. Tools for parents and caregivers





Now what?

First, options

- Create a matrix for students and parents
- 2. Share your matrix with colleagues



Let's get going!

- Take some time to begin with one row
- Choose a subject or goal where you use a lot of technology apps/resources
- Add tasks (curriculum or IEP goals)
- Add design strategies
- Add hardware
- Add tools
- Share out!



Reminders

- Keep it simple to start
- Add hyperlinks
- Think about your students' needs
- Think about what happens in the moment of chaos



Time for practice!

- Add tasks and tools to your parent student matrix
- Create one for a different group of people
 - o Colleagues?
 - o Instructional aides?





Convert your matrix into a collaborative tool!

Facebook groups

- a. Contribute to existing groups
 - i. Social emotional learning gro
 - ii. <u>Distance learning educators</u>
 - iii. <u>Self-contained and SpEd</u> <u>distance education</u>
 - iv. <u>Support for Understood</u> <u>families</u>
 - v. Groups for family support
- b. <u>Create your own group</u>
 - i. Live demonstration



Twitter



Twitter handles

- Contribute to existing twitter feeds
 - i. <u>Guide to hashtags for</u> education
 - ii. <u>Best hashtags for special</u> education on twitter
 - iii. Some of the most widely used hashtags
- b. <u>Create your own handle to</u> <u>tweet out and share ideas</u>

Ace Centre	@ACECentre	AT for communication
AT chat	#atchat	SpEd
Brian Wojcik	@bwwojci	АТ
CAST	@CAST_UDL	UDL
Christopher Hills	@TheSwitchMaster	AAC
Jennifer Courduff	@gamine64	Resource finder :)
John O'Sullivan	@The_app_guy	AT, AAC
Joy Zabala	@joyzabala	QIAT, SETT
Lauren Enders	@lasenders	SLP
Luis Perez	@eyeonaxs	AT, AAC, vision
Mike Marotta	@mmatp	АТ
National UDL Center	@UDL_center	UDL
TikkunOlam Makers	@TOMakeathon	AT makers movement
Moms with Apps	@momswithapps	

Instagram

Instagram communities

- a. Contribute to existing communities
 - i. Speechdude
 - ii. <u>Slp.advocate</u>
 - iii. Structuredspecialed
 - iv. assistivetechnology
 - v. Autismspeaks
 - vi. Myautism
 - vii. Lifeinautismworld
- b. <u>Create your own community</u>



Pinterest

Pinterest communities

- a. Contribute to existing communities
 - i. <u>PrAACtical AAC</u>
 - ii. <u>Lauren Enders</u> SLP
 - iii. special education activities
 - iv. <u>special education activities</u> <u>life skills</u>
 - v. <u>vocational activities special</u> <u>education life skills</u>
- b. <u>Create your own community</u>





By the way...analogue delivery

Nothing is wrong with paper and pencil

- 1. Posters
- 2. Email
- 3. Flyers
- 4. Newsletters

Now that you have ideas for the structure of your matrix and social media collaboration...



Discussion

- 1. What are you going to add to your new matrix?
 - a. Who is your audience?
 - b. Who needs this information right now?
- 2. What social media resource resonates with you the most?
 - a. How will you get help to those who need it quickly?
 - b. How can you keep the conversation going?
- 3. And my favorite question:

So what? Who cares?





He does...

...and all of those you teach do...

...and those under your sphere of influence care a great deal.





Questions?

Thanks for coming!

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