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**TO SUPPORT EMPLOYEES**

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# WHO IS EVERYONE?



Queen of the Dollar Tree



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# what is your view of **AT?**

- Individual is not “disabled” enough
- Too expensive





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## **Why Assistive Technology?**

- Provides access
- Independence
- Reasonable accommodation
- Law



SETT Framework,  
Joy Zabala

- § Who is the solution for? (Specific Person)
- Age
  - Strengths & Weakness
  - Personality



SETT Framework,  
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- § Who is the solution for? (Specific Person)
- § Where do they need to use the AT? (Environment)
  - Outside
  - Noisy environment
  - Wet/Messy



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- § Who is the solution for? (Specific Person)
- § Where do they need to use the AT? (Environment)
- § What are they trying to accomplish? (Tasks)
  - Cleaning
  - Sorting/organizing
  - Computer task
  - Answering phone



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- § Who is the solution for? (Specific Person)
- § Where do they need to use the AT? (Environment)
- § What are they trying to accomplish? (Tasks)
- § Which AT tools can help? (Tools)
  - Research and identify
  - Demo/loan
  - Acquire funding
  - Purchase
  - Implementing

# AT SOLUTIONS

SETT Framework,  
Joy Zabala

- § John (Specific Person)
  - Young man with some fine motor difficulties especially using his wrist
- § Outside (Environment)
- § Connecting the hose to the facet (Tasks)



- § \$3 Quick connect (Tools)
- Building supply store
  - Plastic
  - May need “industrial” strength one (brass or aluminum, \$12-\$20)



# DISCLAIMER

- Buying AT doesn't solve anything
- Cheaper isn't always better
- "As seen on TV" not always what it seems
- Person first
- Safety first





# AT FOR TASK ANALYSIS

## Which App is Free?

Snap Guide



Free

Not

HowCast

Housekeeping



Free

Not

Conover-Work Skills



Free

Not



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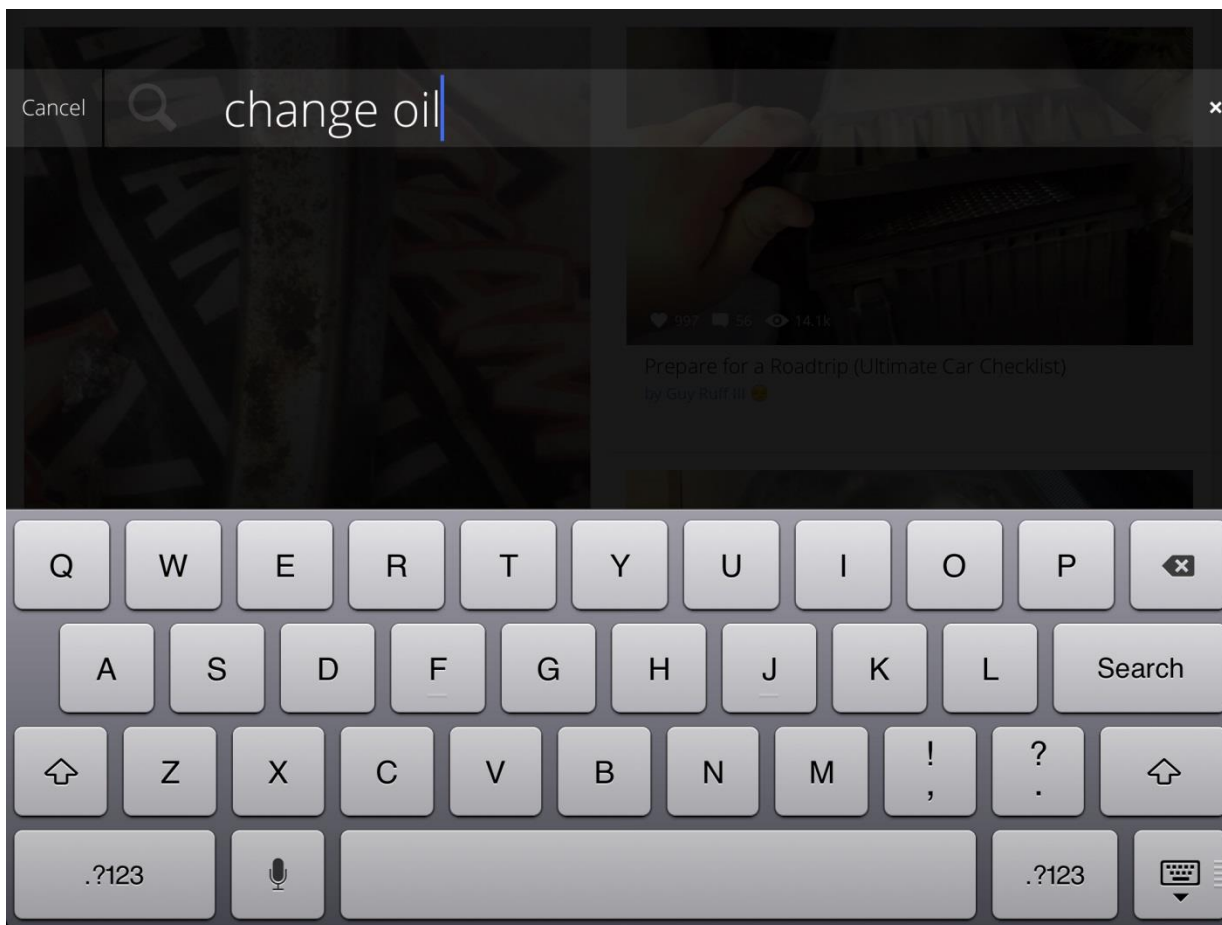
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## Change the Oil on a Motorcycle

Changing the oil on my '02 Suzuki Volusia




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← Changing the oil on my '02 Suzuki Volusia 


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- Motorcycle oil
- Wrenches
- Wood blocks



# SNAP GUIDE



If by chance you have a motorcycle jack, use it. I'm going to assume most people don't so I'll do this snap guide without

### Jump to a Step

<b>Cover</b> How To Change The Oil On A Motorcycle Created by Terrence Lall	<b>Step 1</b> If by chance you have a motorcycle jack, use it. I'm going to assume most people don't so I'll do this ...	<b>Step 2</b> I have a step in the front of my house, use a board to ramp the front wheel up to this and use another ...
<b>Step 3</b> My bike takes 3 quarts of motorcycle oil, and a 15mm socket for the drain plug. Make sure to use ...	<b>Step 4</b> Under my bike, this is where my drain plug is.	<b>Step 5</b> Put your oil catch pan and remove the drain plug.
<b>Step 6</b> Directly in front of my drain plug is my filter.	<b>Step 7</b> Make sure the drain pan is under it as it will leak oil as soon as you start to take it off.	<b>Step 8</b>
<b>Step 9</b>	<b>Step 10</b>	<b>Step 11</b>

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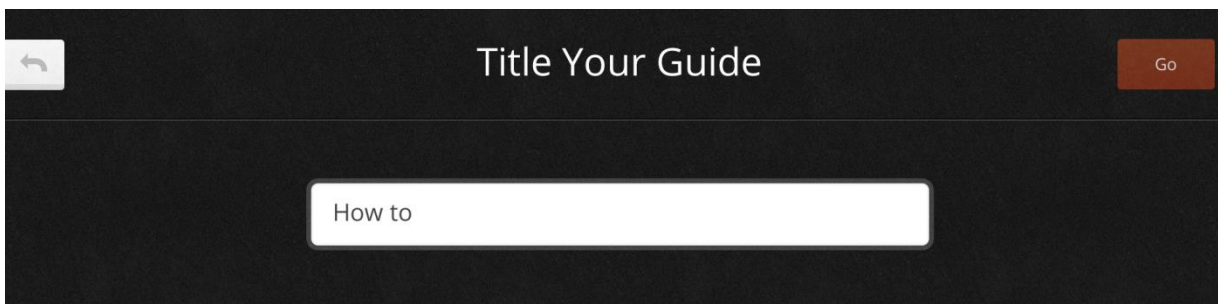
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You can make a guide on anything.  
Here are some suggestions.

- Make
- Cook
- Create
- Install
- Use
- Draw
- Fix
- Clean





# SNAP GUIDE

The screenshot shows the 'Editor' interface for a Snap Guide. At the top, there is a navigation bar with a back arrow on the left, the title 'Editor' and 'Draft' in the center, and a 'Next' button on the right. Below the navigation bar, there are two main content cards. The first card is titled 'Cover' and features the 'Snapguide' logo, the text 'How To Load Dishwasher', and a sub-label 'Edit & Choose Cover'. The second card is titled 'Supplies' and contains the text 'Add Supplies Here', a large orange plus sign, and the sub-label 'Tap to Edit'. At the bottom of the screen, there are two large buttons: 'Choose a Topic' on the left and '+ Add Step' on the right.



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# HOWCAST

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Housekeeping from Howcast






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- ★ Starred 2
- ✓ Progress 7
- 1 Kitchen 3/18**
- 2 Bathroom 2/18
- 3 Bed and Closets 0/9
- 4 Living Room 1/6
- 5 Floors and Carpets 0/14
- 6 Fabric Stains 0/17
- 7 Furniture and Walls 0/7
- 8 Laundry 1/18
- 9 After the Wash 0/19
- 10 Outdoors 0/9

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### Kitchen

✓ 3/18 Viewed ★ 1 Starred 16% Complete

-  **How To Clean and Sanitize the Kitchen**  
01:55
-  **How To Clean a Refrigerator**  
02:47
-  **How To Clean Burned-on Food Off a Pot**  
01:14
-  **How To Safely Clean a Garbage Disposal**  
02:01
-  **How To Clean a Toaster**



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## Floors and Carpets

✓ 0/14 Viewed ★ 0 Starred

- 1 ✓ ★ How To... 01:53
- 2 ✓ ★ How To Tile Floor 01:42
- 3 ✓ ★ How To Floor 01:22
- 4 ✓ ★ How To Carpet 01:10
- 5 ✓ ★ How to Vomit ou

### How To Clean a Ceramic Tile Floor

Howcast.com

Intro Step 1

It's the porous surface of ceramic tiles that make them so warm and welcoming to bare feet—it's also what makes them so vulnerable to stains and grime.



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**YOU WILL NEED**

- Vacuum with attachments
- 2 gallon bucket of warm water
- 1/4 cup white vinegar or mild soap

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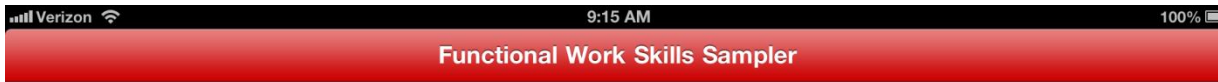
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# CONOVER-WORK SKILLS



Functional Skills System



Press to Begin

**FSS USER**





# CONOVER-WORK SKILLS

## Functional Work Skills Sampler



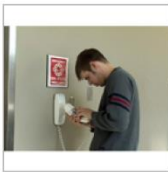
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Drill Press



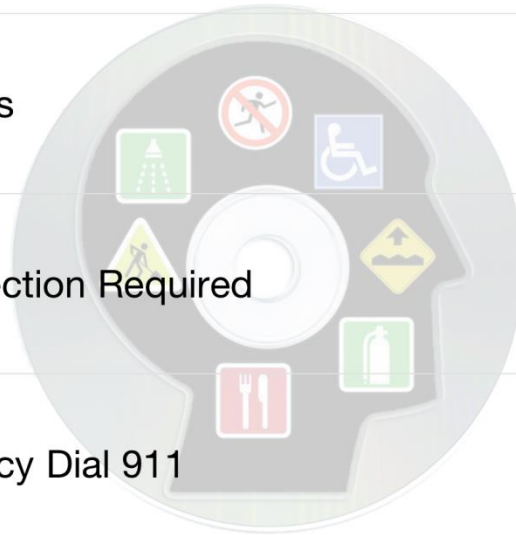
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Emergency Dial 911



Emergency Exit





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- Recordable Button
- Hallmark
- Single Message
- 10 seconds

# AT FOR PROMPTING/DIRECTING



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- Livescribe Smartpen
- Office supply store
- Records audio
- Synchs with paper
- Can laminate paper



# AT FOR PROMPTING/DIRECTING



\$10

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- Step by Step
- Ablenet
- Record sequential messages
- 2 minutes of recording time

# ATG FOR PROMPTING/DIRECTING



\$10

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- Silent Count-Up/Down Vibrating Timer
- Ultrak (Amazon)
- Counts up or down to 100 hours
- User selects vibration or alarm when time is up
- Protective slide cover

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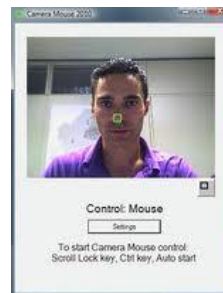
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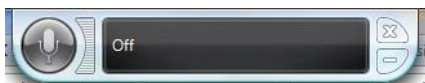
Camera Mouse



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Microsoft Speech  
Recognition



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EZ Eyes  
LP Keyboard



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## Rock Adapted Joystick (Ablenet)

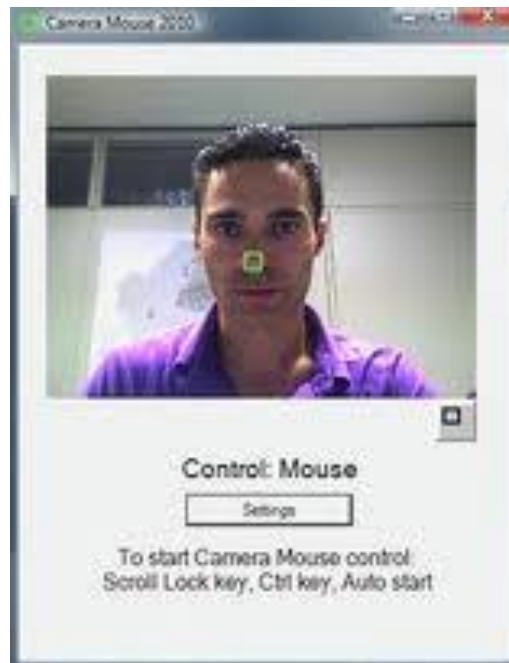


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## Camera Mouse

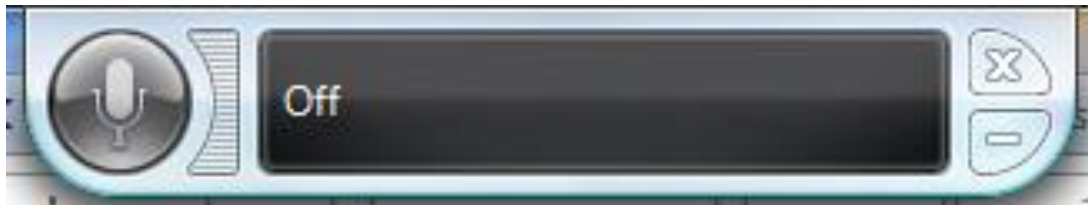


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## Microsoft Speech Recognition



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## EZ Eyes Large Print Keyboard



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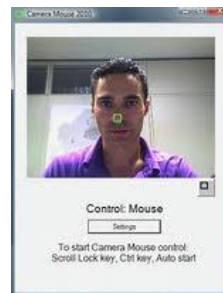
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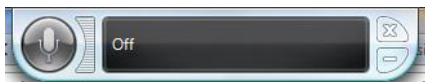
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Off the Shelf



Online

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# AT FOR MODIFYING THE ENVIRONMENT

Online

Off the Shelf

**Writing  
Bird**



# AT FOR MODIFYING THE ENVIRONMENT

Online

Off the Shelf

**Plantronics  
Photo Phone**



# AT FOR MODIFYING THE ENVIRONMENT

Online

Off the Shelf

## Ring Pull Can Opener



# IoT FOR MODIFYING THE ENVIRONMENT

Online

Off the Shelf

## Eye-Vac Touchless Stationary Vacuum



# AT FOR MODIFYING THE ENVIRONMENT

Online

Off the Shelf



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Online

Off the Shelf



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