

Current Developments in Technology
for the Blind and Visually Impaired
Manhattan Tech Center
October 25, 2018
8:10 – 3:00

- I. Welcome
- II. EVS Website Update Review
 - a. Database review
 - b. Tech Eval referral review
 - c. Teacher's Choice
- III. iPad Keyboard Accessibility
 - a. Built in
 - i. show lowercase letters
 - ii. Speech >Typing Feedback
 - iii. Portrait vs. Landscape
 - b. Alternate Keyboards
 - i. SwiftKey
 - ii. Grammarly
 - iii. Big Keys
 - c. Adding and switching keyboards
 - i. Full access settings
- IV. MagniLink Zip
 - a. VisioBook replacement
- V. Operating System Updates
 - a. iOS 12
 - b. MacOS 12.14 Mojave
 - c. Windows 10
- VI. Issues in the field
 - a. Repairs and equipment/accessory replacement
 - b. TeamViewer issue

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- VII. Welcome
- VIII. Database – Network upgrade
- IX. Bookshare
 - a. Downloading ePubs on iPads
- X. Web Browser Accessibility Features
 - a. Customizing Fonts
 - b. Customizing colors
- XI. Issues in the field
 - a. Repairs and equipment/accessory replacement
 - b. TeamViewer settings
 - c. Classroom presentations
 - i. Elmo Screencasting - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1-Z5mdOEleo>
 - d. Other issues
- XII. OCR (Optical Character Recognition)
 - a. Google – online
 - b. Kurzweil
 - c. iOS apps
- XIII. New and coming devices
- XIV. iPad Accessibility review
 - a. Speech
 - b. Guided Access
 - i. restricted to a single app
 - c. Additional apps
- XV. Keyboarding sites
 - a. <https://sense-lang.org/>
 - b. <https://www.bedminsterschool.org/Page/1153>
 - i. Resource for several sites
- XVI. MS Word Accessibility
 - a. AutoText
 - i. <https://benjaminjchapman.wordpress.com/2016/02/18/mac-users-save-time-with-autotext-in-word-2016/>
 - b. Office Online
 - i. Immersive Reader – under View menu
 - ii. Reading View – under View Menu

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