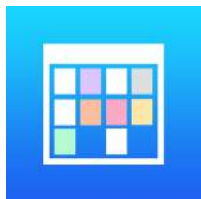


## Back to School 2014 Teacher and Therapist App List



### About My Day FREE

**About My Day** is an app for tracking and determining an appropriate plan for individuals with special needs. This app is designed to replace paper journals that are often carried in a binder by the individual as a means of sharing information among family and support workers who work with that person. The app is customized to the individual with a daily calendar, notes of the day, ability to upload a picture of the author within the notes section, location upload, and note saving. The app also includes mood tracking within the notes, which is great for behavior and social skills tracking.



### ATEval2Go \$19.99

**ATEval2Go** is an app that helps therapists and educators write up an Assistive Technology evaluation. The app is a template that walks the evaluator through the process of assessment and documentation. The app allows text, photos, audio and videos to be uploaded and included in the report. The template outlines each area of the report and guides the evaluator to add information. A full report is then generated, and the report can be shared through email, iTunes, the Smarty Ears Therapy Report center or printed. We have used this to write reports for AT and AAC evaluations for children with Autism, Cerebral Palsy and Severe speech disorders.



### ClassDojo FREE

**ClassDojo** is one of the most enjoyable behavior management apps available. This app is a reward/behavior-tracking app that targets individual student behavior successes and failures while facilitating a dialogue between teachers, parents, and students. ClassDojo accomplishes this by including everyone in the process through a visual app.



### Common Core Standards FREE

The **Common Core Standards** app is a helpful tool for educators who need to incorporate the standards into their daily lesson plans. The app is broken down into five major areas for Grades K-12: Math- Traditional, Math- Integrated, Language Arts, History/Social Studies, Science and Technical. There is a section within the app that explains how the CCSS applies to students with disabilities. Promoting a culture of high expectations for all students is a fundamental goal of CCSS, and the focus for students with disabilities is to allow them to participate with success in the general curriculum, as appropriate, with additional supports and services.



### Evernote FREE

**Evernote** is a free, wonderful beginning tool to teach students organizational skills. This easy-to-use app helps students remember everything across all devices, stay organized, save ideas and improve productivity. Evernote lets users take notes, snap photos, create to-do lists, scan business cards, record voice reminders and it makes everything searchable, whether you are at home, at work, or on the go.



### **Explain Everything \$2.99**

**Explain Everything** is an easy-to-use design, screencasting, and interactive whiteboard tool that lets you annotate, animate, narrate, import, and export almost anything to and from almost anywhere. Create slides, draw in any color, add shapes, add text, and use a laser pointer. Rotate, move, scale, copy, paste, clone, and lock any object added to the stage.



### **Google Drive - FREE online storage from Google**

**Google Drive** is a free and convenient online storage app. There are endless uses for this app with students, teachers and therapists. Using Google Docs on a computer, you can create documents, presentations, spreadsheets, forms and drawings. With the Drive app, you can access your Google files from any computer or mobile device. The app also makes it easy to share files and folders with others.



### **iPraiseU \$0.99**

**iPraiseU** is an app that parents, educators and therapists can use to verbally praise a child. It includes 100 praise phrases that are randomly generated. The user can turn the voice on and off. Because of this option, the app can be used by the facilitator to come up with ideas for praise, reinforcing words or use the app itself for reinforcement.



### **Prezi FREE**

**Prezi** is a great application for creating and presenting presentations from your iPad. Once signed into Prezi, you are able to present virtual presentations to the world. Prezi is a unique way to illustrate classroom projects. The application allows users to select from 15 different templates, various layouts, and frames, insert images from your personal picture library, or take a photo. Prezi is a great alternative to the traditional and sometimes limited PowerPoint presentation. This app is perfect for students struggling with traditional methods of presenting major projects.



### **Remind: Safe Classroom Communication FREE**

**Remind: Safe Classroom Communication** is perhaps the most innovating and must have app for teachers in 2014. Remind is a free service that enables teachers to send out mass emails and texts to students and parents without exposing their own private number or numbers of all the people being contacted. Teachers can send or schedule reminders, assignments, homework, assessments, or motivational messages directly to students' and parents' phones. For students and parents, Remind provides an easier way to stay informed outside of the classroom.



### **Pinterest FREE**

**Pinterest** is a valuable resource for teachers and therapists. It helps you discover and plan things you want to do in your classroom and with your students. When you find something that looks interesting, just Pin it. Pins are visual bookmarks that you organize and share the way you want. With Pinterest, you can curate content, organize ideas, collaborate with others and even allow students to use Pin ideas and sources.