Computer-Based Resources for the Classroom

1) **Keytools** - [www.keytools.com](http://www.keytools.com)
Provides resources and handouts on keyboards, mice, accessories, input devices, software, and games.

2) **Ldonline** - [www.ldonline.org](http://www.ldonline.org)
The interactive guide to learning disabilities for parents, teachers, and children. Check out the KidZone for links to the Art Gallery, and Speak Up!

3) **AAC Interventions** – [www.aacintervention.com](http://www.aacintervention.com)
Augmentative/alternative communication intervention products and presentations. This site is a great resource for very specific ideas on AT applications for the classroom. Suggestions such as organization tips, book holders, choice boards, etc. as well as resources to facilitate literacy and AAC use, etc.

4) **Inspiration Web-Site** - [www.inspiration.com](http://www.inspiration.com)
The leader in visual thinking and learning. Supports improvements in education and make a positive difference in students' lives by providing software tools that help students learn to think.

5) **Music Activities** - [www.switchintime.com](http://www.switchintime.com)
Creates special needs software, including an accessible music program for Macintosh computers.

6) **Closing the Gap** - [www.closingthegap.com](http://www.closingthegap.com)
Computer technology in special education and rehabilitation. Closing The Gap, Inc. is an organization that focuses on computer technology for people with special needs through its bi-monthly newspaper, annual international conference and extensive web site.

7) **RJ Cooper** - [www.rjcooper.com](http://www.rjcooper.com)
Software and hardware for persons with special needs.

8) **Typing Aides** - [www.esmerel.com](http://www.esmerel.com)
This site offers a free download of typing software called Unicorn Quest.
9) **Augmentative/Alternative Communication** - [www.creative-comm.com](http://www.creative-comm.com)
Dedicated to creating practical and affordable materials for children with disabilities and educational resources for parents and service providers.

10) **Teacher Resources** - [www.learningcompanyschool.com](http://www.learningcompanyschool.com)
Provides quality products and services, with a range of affordable solutions to meet the diverse needs of the educational community. Be sure to go to their resources section to check out web links, tips & tricks, classroom flyers, lesson plans and features.

11) **Software Reviews** - [www.techlearning.com](http://www.techlearning.com)
Supports the advancement of integration of technology into schools and K-12 curricula. Provides software reviews.

12) **IntelliTools** - [www.intellitools.com](http://www.intellitools.com)
Accessible technology for learning. Provides hardware and software, giving students with special needs comprehensive access to learning.

13) **Don Johnston** - [www.donjohnston.com](http://www.donjohnston.com)
Provides high-quality intervention products that struggling students and students with disabilities need to achieve literacy.

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**Disability Related Web Sites**

- **ADA (Department of Justice)**
  [www.usdoj.gov/crt/ada/adahom1.htm](http://www.usdoj.gov/crt/ada/adahom1.htm)

- **Adaptive Computing Software Project**
  [www.geocities.com/hotsprings/villa](http://www.geocities.com/hotsprings/villa)

- **Arc of the U.S. in Arlington, TX**
  [www.thearc.org](http://www.thearc.org)

- **Assis-TECH, Inc., The One Stop Shopping Catalog for Assistive Technology Products**
  [www.assis-tech.com](http://www.assis-tech.com)

- **Autism Network International**
  [www.ani.autistics.org](http://www.ani.autistics.org)

- **Disability Solutions**
  [www.disabilitysolutions.org](http://www.disabilitysolutions.org)

- **Cantor + Associates**
  [www.interlog.com/~acantor](http://www.interlog.com/~acantor)

- **Internet Resources Databases**
  [www.internetdatabase.com](http://www.internetdatabase.com)
Mac Disability Shareware and Freeware
www.specialink.com/mac.htm

Microsoft Corp., Windows Accessibility Group
www.microsoft.com

National Center for the Dissemination of Disability Research (NIDDR)
www.ncddr.org

National Council on Disability
www.ncd.gov

President's Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities
www.pcepd.gov

Project Enable
www.icdi.wvu.edu

Sun Microsystems’ Enabling Technologies
www.sun.com/access

Trace Research and Development Center, University of Wisconsin
www.trace.wisc.edu

Webable
www.webable.com

World Institute on Disability (WID)
www.wid.org

Web-sites for Supporting Student Search Activities

CLAS: The Early Childhood Research Institute on Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate Services
www.clas.uiuc.edu

Disability-Related Sites on the World Wide Web
www.thearc.org/related-links.htm

Division for Early Childhood/Council for Exceptional Children
www.dec-sped.org/eilinks.html

Early Childhood Resource Center
www.rti.org/child

Educational Resources Information Center (ERIC)
www.eric.ed.gov

Family Village
www.familyvillage.wisc.edu

Medscape Pediatrics
www.medscape.com/pediatricshome
Web-sites with Case Studies

- Circle of Inclusion
  www.circleofinclusion.org

- Family Guided Approaches to Collaborative Early Intervention Training and Services (FACETS)
  www.parsons.lsi.ukans.edu/facets

- Pathways Service Coordination Project (Curriculum)
  www.waisman.wisc.edu/earlyint/pathways

- Wisconsin Families On Line
  www.waisman.wisc.edu/earlyint/wis-fam/index

Web-sites with Discussion Areas/Listservs

- ERIC Clearinghouse on Elementary and Early Childhood Education
  www.ericcece.org/abtec.htm

- Family Village (coffeeshop)
  www.familyvillage.wisc.edu/coffee.htm

- National Parent Information Network
  www.npin.org

- National Association for the Education of Young Children
  www.naeyc.org

- National Center for Early Development & Learning (NCEDL)
  www.fpg.unc.edu/~ncedl

- National Early Childhood Technical Assistance System (NECTAS)
  www.nectas.unc.edu

- National Organization for Rare Disorders, Inc.
  www.rarediseases.org

- Systems Change in Personnel Preparation
  www.fpg.unc.edu/~scpp

- The Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Amendments of 1997
  www.ed.gov/offices/OSERS/Policy/IDEA

- The National Information Center for Children and Youth with Disabilities
  www.nichcy.org
Online Journals

- Child Welfare Review

- Contemporary Issues in Early Childhood
  [www.triangle.co.uk/ciec/index.htm](http://www.triangle.co.uk/ciec/index.htm)

- Early Childhood Research & Practice
  [www.ecrp.uiuc.edu](http://www.ecrp.uiuc.edu)

- Future of Children
  [www.futureofchildren.org](http://www.futureofchildren.org)

- Teaching Exceptional Children
  [www.cec.sped.org/bk/tec-jour.htm](http://www.cec.sped.org/bk/tec-jour.htm)

Web Sites for Faculty Instructional Support

- American Association for Higher Education, Teaching, Learning & Technology (TLT) Group
  [www.aahet.org](http://www.aahet.org)

- Collaborative Course Development in Early Childhood Special Education through Distance Learning
  [www.ecrp.uiuc.edu](http://www.ecrp.uiuc.edu)

- National Teaching and Learning Forum Homepage
  [www.ntlf.com](http://www.ntlf.com)

  [www.edufind.com](http://www.edufind.com)

- The Online Academy
  [www.onlineacademy.org](http://www.onlineacademy.org)

Internet Resources on Evaluating Web-sites

- Evaluating Web-sites
  [www.selco.lib.mn.us/selco/mla/evaluation](http://www.selco.lib.mn.us/selco/mla/evaluation)

- Evaluating Web-sites: Internet Web-site Evaluation Scale
  [www.cube.ice.net/~edutech/floridaweb/evalscale](http://www.cube.ice.net/~edutech/floridaweb/evalscale)
World Conference of the International Council for Open and Distance Education
www.icde.org

Internet Resources on Electronic Accessibility

Center for Applied Special Technology (CAST)
www.cast.org

Equal Access to Software and Information (EASI)
www.rit.edu/~easi

National Center for Accessible Media (NCAM)
www.wgbh.org/ncam

Generating Assistive Technology Systematically (GENASYS)
www.genasys.usm.maine.edu

World Wide Web Consortium (WC3) Web Accessibility Initiative (WAI)
www.w3.org/WAI

Print Resources


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