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Free Apps for Students With Special Needs

- **[My PlayHome](#)**
Free app that gives kids a digital doll family, of up to 15 people in various skin tones, with whom they can explore, play, and share stories. These shared stories help to increase student verbalizations, provide a place for social and emotional learning, and teach necessary early language skills.
- **[SoundingBoard](#)**
Free mobile augmentative and alternative communication (AAC) app designed for children who are unable to speak (or who have limited speech) to help them communicate. The app comes with preloaded boards using symbols with recorded messages. Students select and press images on the board to prompt a verbal message.
- **[Epic!](#)**
An e-library that is great for supporting reluctant or struggling readers. It provides access to more than 20,000 high-quality children's books and educational videos and includes an assortment of both fiction and nonfiction books from prominent publishers. Epic is offering free access to schools during this time.