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## **Assistive Technology Loan Program**

The purpose of the Assistive Technology Loan Program is to assist Oklahoma public schools in addressing the assistive technology requirements of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act by increasing availability and accessibility of assistive technology devices to the schools for preview and assessment purposes through the development of an assistive technology device loan program.

The equipment is available for loan to special educators, related service providers, and assistive technology team members who serve special education students in Oklahoma public schools. The equipment is for short-term loan purposes only. This limits its use to student assessment, field test, or classroom preview. The equipment is not intended to be utilized as dedicated equipment for individual students. The equipment is loaned for a period of up to four (4) weeks.

### **Types of equipment available through the program vary from low to high tech:**

- Switches
- Mounting systems
- Computer access devices
- Computer software for alternative access and curriculum adaptation
- Augmentative communication devices/systems
- Environmental control devices
- Portable word processors and spelling aids
- Writing and Reading aids
- Start to Finish books and Literacy Starters by Don Johnston
- Positioning and Mobility aids
- Aids to Daily Living
- Adapted Play and Recreation Equipment
- Adapted books
- Examples of Low-Tech Curriculum Adaptations
- Sensory Aids for low vision and hearing impairments
- Resource manuals and books on a variety of topics related to AT

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