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**CREATIVE USE OF APPS IN SPEECH THERAPY**

- Inviting to a picnic – some things might like and others you are polite and eat
- Fun with Photos
  - **Goo!** By GG Filmz
  - Make look like huge smile. /s/ sentence practice
  - Use their favorite celebs!! Can save a picture and open in this app.
  - Recall of facts such as how much money LeBron James makes
  - Stretch face to make look like an alien (extend eyes)
- Fun with Aliens
  - **Alien Booth** 99 cents
  - Turns child's face and yours into an alien face
  - Expansion of utterances and more specific word forms
  - "My twin brother is an alien."
  - His favorite food is... His favorite thing to do is...
  - Figurative language and idioms - \_\_\_\_ is out of this world because...
  - **Chuckles and smiles bring out more language!!**
- Fun with Star Wars
  - **Star Wars by Disney (GO TO IPHONE ONLY** - hard to find on iPad when touch button, will open up apps for iPhone that can use on iPad
- Google "How to Draw Star Wars" (practice sequencing skills)
- More fun with outer space
  - **LENS FX** (take a live picture of child's school or grab another picture)
  - Can add spaceship to picture, light beam, army to protect school
- Fun with Superheroes
  - **Comic Studio Pro – Create Comic Style Photos**
  - Can put superhero ask on, etc. and two students in picture, celeb...
  - Why would LeBron James want to be a Ninja Turtle?
  - **Halftone2 – Comic Book Creator**
  - Add "POW" and "HELP" and "GASP" (picture of Hog Wild Popper)
  - Can list skills and powers of the characters and then later RECALL
- Can combine apps – save picture on camera reel then open up next app!
- Fun with Villians
  - **Corpse Cam** - Use for expanding sentences for those "short talkers"
  - "Mr Raj looks scary – Mr Raj the boy looks very scary."
  - **Make me Monster** (less scary) – Email picture to parents

- Fun with Ghosts
  - **Ghostmatic (one of his favorites!)** 99 cents
  - Take picture of therapy rooms and add ghost into picture
  - Take picture of basketball game and add ghosts
  - **Use for prosody, rate, rhythm, intonation** by **going** on Google and finding “Kid Friendly Ghost Stories”!!
  - Take picture of school hallway and add ghosts – tell ghost stories
  - **Maintain focus with increasing background noise** – Go on YouTube and search for “Spooky background music”
- Fun with Cute
  - **Face Fun HD** – put SLP’s face on baby head
  - Has MAGAZINE COVERS – FIND ON GOOGLE comparative cover like Rolling Stone vs Rocking Stone (Compare and Contrast)
  - Put your face in pieces of art that is being studied in class
  - Also can animal pictures!! Put your face on an animal
  - **Animal Face (\*\*\*\*\* 2<sup>nd</sup> favorite app)**
  - Turned face (wife’s too) into zebra while working on /z/
  - **Irregular plurals!!** Hockey picture from internet with animal faces-
  - Elementary through 8<sup>th</sup> grade – prints out for teachers
- Fun with Animals
  - **InstaKitty** – limited to cats that you can add to a picture
  - **Yes/no questions** with preschoolers – Are **there** 3 cats on Sully?
  - **Use for /k/ sound** - The cat wants a cow,etc.
  - **Use for body language** – If huge cat in front of you, what look like?
- Fun with Dinosaurs
  - **Triassic Art Photo Booth**
  - Add dino to any pictures
  - Combine “old school” worksheets with new technology!
  - Selfie fun with dinosaurs – **when done reward is SELFIE not sticker!**
- Fun with Wigs
  - **Wig It!** – Add wig, beard, etc to any face.
  - Used to memorize teachers’ names
  - Before and After goals – “Before you add hat, add a mustache.”
  - Use Mr Potato Head picture with no face and add the face.
  - Use PlayDoh and add silly faces to PlayDoh mound
- Fun with Getting Older
  - **Aging Booth**
  - Uses for 100<sup>th</sup> Day of School!
  - Got 8<sup>th</sup> grader who stutters to open up – What will future be?
  - Child wrote about stuttering pill in future

- Fun with VIDEOS
  - **Mimme – Funny Video eCards**
  - **Don't show scene where building is demolished like 9/11!**
  - 3 people/animals can be in a movie
  - Use with famous people who stutter (Biden, James Earl Jones...)
- Fun with Puppets
  - **Puppet Pals HD** – uses for practicing /r/ sounds, medial position
  - Record the audio of student to listen to later
  - Create your own puppet show (Instructions in handout)
  - Use for analogies where one character talks to another about how one word and another are connected (time for monster analogies) such as "Sun is to day as Moon is to..."
- Fun with Mouths
  - **Chatter Pix by Duck Duck Moose**
  - Put mouth on book who says "You should read this book..."
  - Put mouth on artic picture and record child's repeated productions
  - Persuasive Speech – want child to sell product to you – put mouth on...
  - Make different body parts talk! Color eyes on hand then place mouth on.
  - Use same and different flash cards with mouths who say why...
  - Can save directly to your camera reel. (On handouts)
  - **Funny Movie Maker** – allows us to add **our own/student's mouth**.
  - Kind of like a mirror...
  - /sh/ not so great at first (ape picture with his mouth embedded so he can see if lips are rounded)
  - Incorporate video into previous picture (e.g. Erik as zebra and wife)
  - Helps with focus! Look at birthday cake to see /th/ accuracy.
- Fun with TV
  - **Voice Changer Video Booth** – changes voice
  - Talking dinosaurs/penguins
  - **TeleStory** – pick different scenes
  - Articulation in Space where he repeats sentences
  - Language BAND activity – play guitars, etc.
  - **Super Power FX**
  - Can take hand and explode something out of it.
  - Bring homework back and we can have it do something cool!!
  - T-shirts are good for this! (Behind and In Front practice)
  - **Action Movie FX**
  - Find out what's happening in classroom – earthworms!
  - Have things stomp out, explode, etc other things!
  - **Effects Guru** - can create news segments.