

Case Study #2 – AT Category: Writing

Human Adult began having difficulty with the physical process of writing due to shaky, weak hands and illegible handwriting. She needed writing aids to help with grip and to steady her hand.

Activity – she enjoys writing letters and notes to family and friends

Assistive Technology

Low-Tech

Mid-Tech

High-Tech



Writing guides – Writing Bird – Steady Write Pen – Weighted Pen – Voice Typing – Dragon App Voice Recognition



STEP 1: Based on HAAT data, enter descriptors or functions needed by the person across the shaded top row - 1 descriptor per column

STEP 2: Enter promising tools in the shaded left column - 1 tool per row

STEP 3: Note whether each tool matches a descriptor by placing an “X” in each of the applicable white boxes

Descriptors 	Steadies the hand	Writing guides to help writer stay on page and within lines	Voice typing	Extra column for other ideas
Tools 				
Writing Bird	X	X		
Steady Write Pen				
Weighted pen				
Write Guides				
Voice typing - Dictanote for Chrome browser	X	X	X	
Dragon App for iPhone		X	X	