

MATH WORKS

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Math works exercises

Choosing the most adapted tools

What are some of of the most common mathematical challenges for learners with dyscalculia?

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What is the name of this tool and what do you use it for?



What kind of small objects can you use to enrich a math lesson?

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Your student is dyspraxic, the task is tracing geometrical shapes, what can you do to facilitate his task?

Your student is dyslexic and needs to write a complicated algebra exercise. What can you use?

You need to deliver a lesson on equations. How can you illustrate the concept visually and easily?

Your student never finishes their test or exercise on time. What can you do to help?



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Using Math Type 7.4 in your lessons

Teacher use:

- Go on https://mathtype.informer.com/
- Click on Download at the right format for your computer.
- Install the program and open the app.
- Go through the different use tutorials.
- Try to use the input tool to write your math exercices.
- Make a small assessement session: how useful is it?
- How can you use this to help students with dyscalculia?

Student use:

- Once you have got the hang of it, try to have your students with dyscalculia use the tool.
- Make a small tutorial session with them.
- See how much this helps them in their mathematical endayeours.

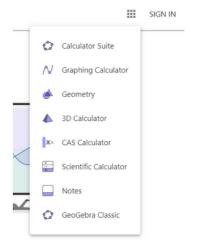
Practical tip:

Dyscalculic students may also tend to have difficulties estimating time which may affect their performance in class, especially during tests. Giving them access to a visual timer as well as putting estimated solving time to each questions may help them manage their time better. http://visualtimerapp.com/

Using Geogebra in your lessons

Go on Geogrebra: https://www.geogebra.org/ Choose your language. You may also create your own account.

Browse the different tools available.



- Find an exercise that could be made in class and illustrate it with the tools.
- Try to adapt one of your usual class exercises to a student with dyscalculia using one of the tools on Geogebra.

Practical questions:

How would you adapt your teaching practice for students with dyscalcuia?

How would you go about assessing the efficiency of these techniques?