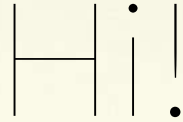




Keep Calm & Chrome On

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A stylized graphic of the text 'Hi!' where the letters are formed by thin black lines. The 'H' is a simple outline, the 'i' has a vertical stem and a dot, and the exclamation point is a vertical stem with a solid dot at the top.

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What *is* AT?

Any “piece of equipment [or] software program that is used to increase, maintain, or improve the functional capabilities of persons with disabilities”

- Assistive Technology Industry Association



What *is* AT?

Let's expand our definition of assistive technology, and think of it as a tool that helps all students

stay focussed

keep organized

work smarter



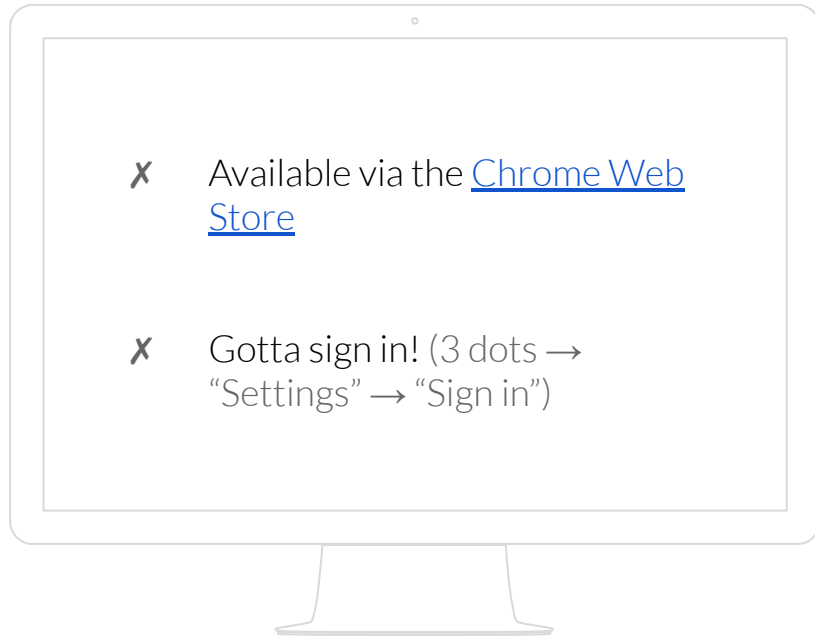
What are we doing, here?

- ✗ Extensions ≠ apps
- ✗ Focussing on LD
- ✗ Chromebooks/Chrome OS? Can't help ya.
(Sorry.)

Um, what the heck's an extension?



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That's nice. But why Chrome?

Because it allows **any computer** to become **your customized AT computer**

- X Reading Supports
(and supporting students with dyslexia)
- X Writing Supports
- X Mind Mapping
- X Organization & Focus



Extensions

Extensivity

- x Groups all extensions
- x Single click to enable/disable

A woman with dark hair, wearing a pink t-shirt, is seated at a wooden table in a bright, modern office or cafe. She is looking down at a tablet device in her hands. A laptop is open on the table in front of her, displaying a webpage. To her left is a coffee cup with a brown sleeve. In the background, there are large windows and indoor plants. The overall atmosphere is professional and collaborative.

Organization
&
Productivity₁₀