Grid for iPad

Grid 3

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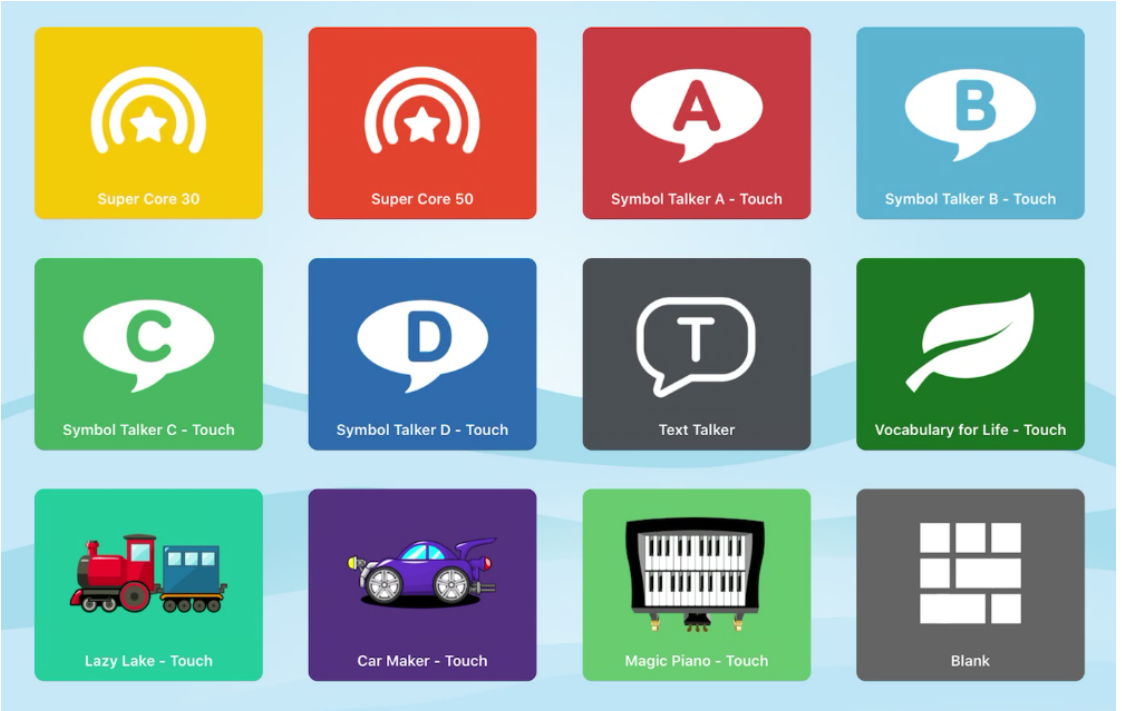

Intro to Grid 3

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General Information about Grid 3

- Designed to work with Grid Pad but can also work on other devices that meet requirements for storage and software
- Appropriate for a variety of ages and abilities
- Variety of grid pages – including core vocabulary pages, a variety of symbol sets that build on each other, games for training skills, text talkers
- Variety of symbol options – Widget Symbols, Symbol Stix, Picture Communication Symbols
- Back up using Dropbox and iCloud
- Free 60 day trial available

Additional Information about Grid for iPad

- iPad version of the communication system Grid 3 by Smartbox
- Grid for iPad supports any iPad running iOS 11 and above.
- Price
  - Monthly subscription $9.99
  - One time price $399.99

- Free 30 day trial available

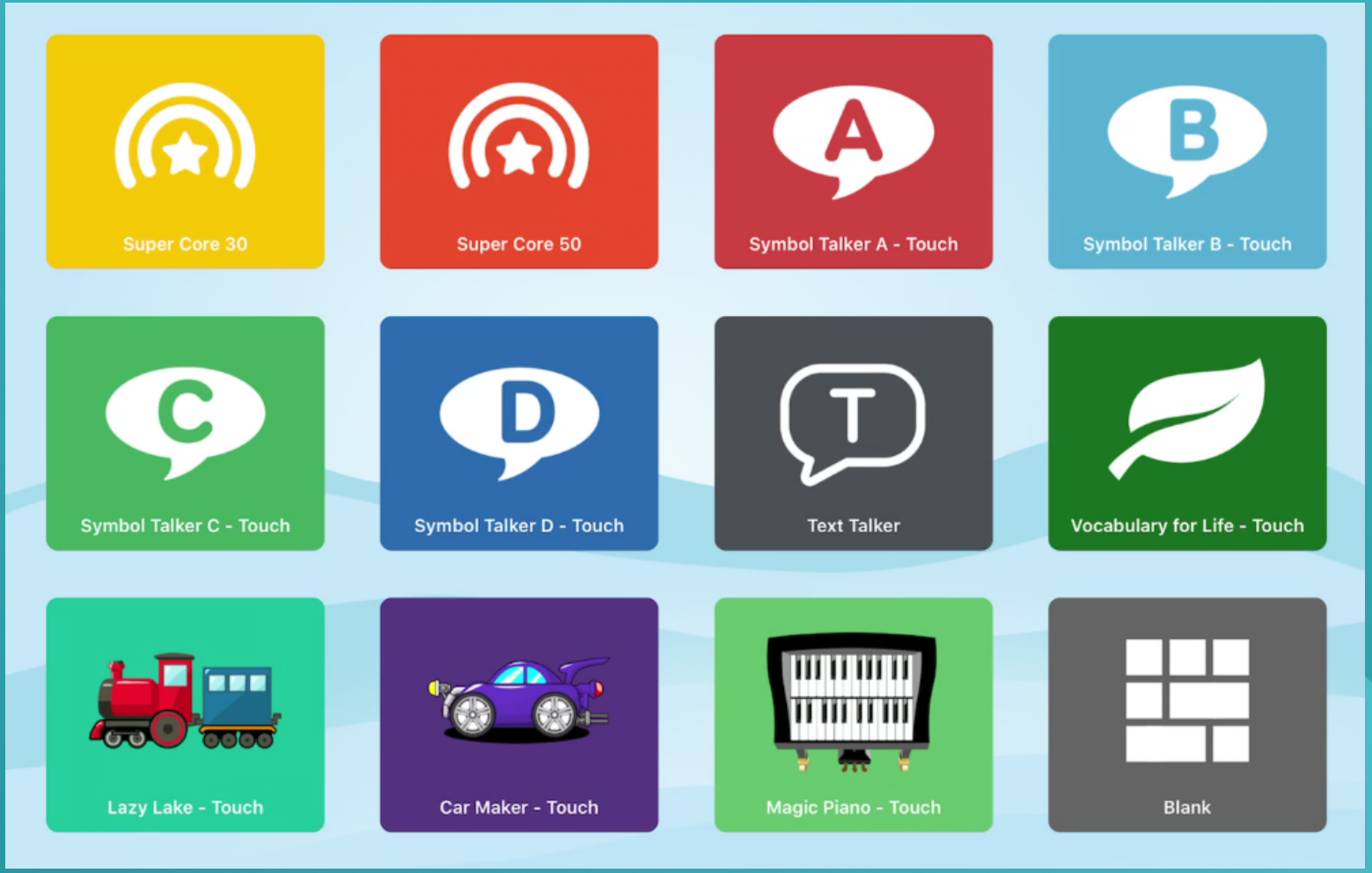
Access options

- Touch
- Switch
- Eye gaze*
- Pointer*

*not available on Grid for iPad

Options for vocabulary

- Super Core
- Symbol Talker A – D
- Beeline
- Vocabulary for Life
- Text Talker
- Create your own pages



Grid Layout

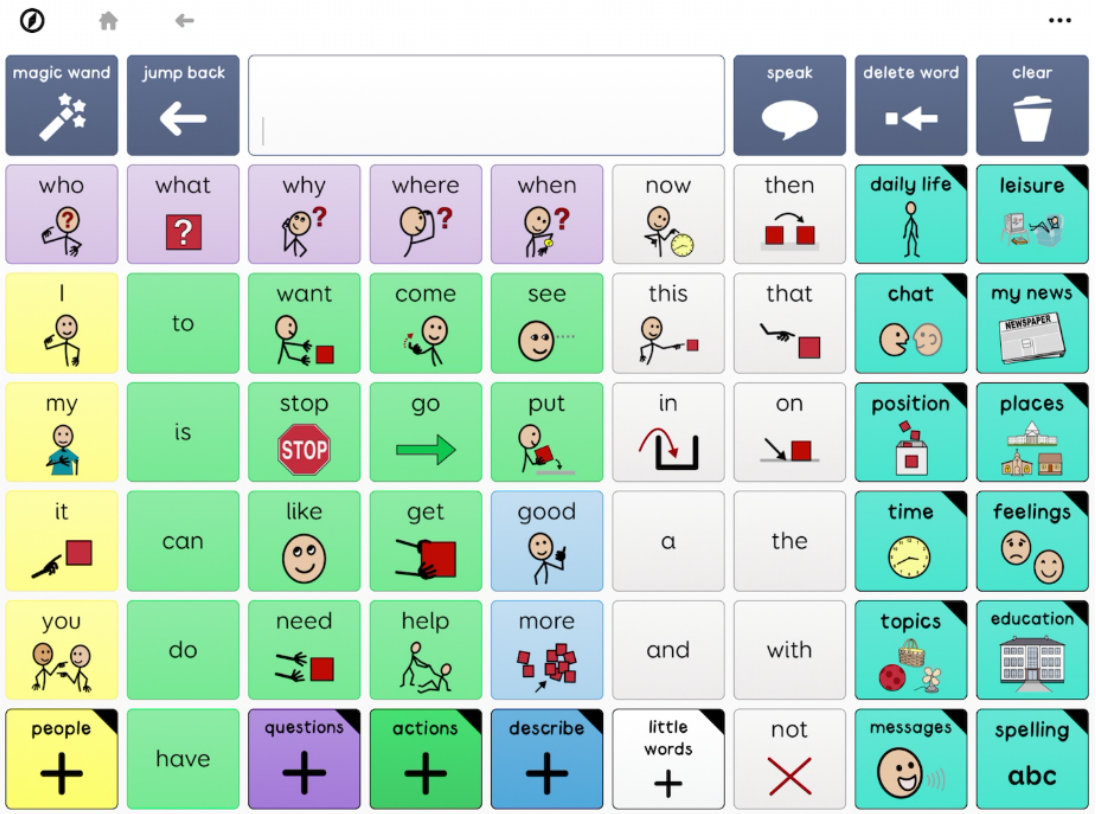
- Layouts vary by Grid and build upon each other – symbol talker A is simpler than B
- Designed to grow with the user

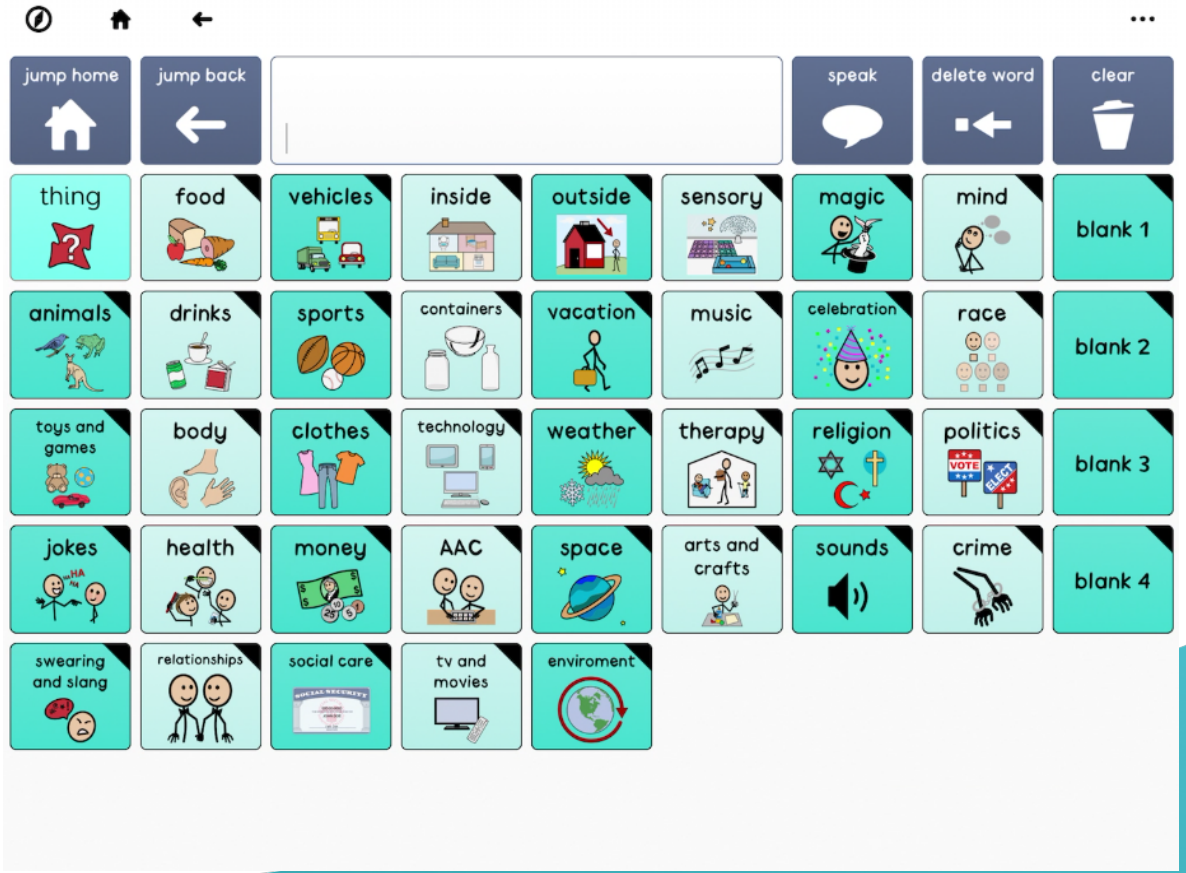
- Message window
- Sentence starters (green)
- Word lists (white)
- Command cells (red)
  - Speak
  - Delete word

Symbol Talker C

Categorically Organized

Super Core 50





Categorically Organized

Symbol Talker B

Language system features

- Symbol communication
- Text communication
- Interactive learning
- Accessible apps
- Message banking
- Smart grammar
- Chat history
- Swiftype prediction
- Remote editing
- Online Grids

Additional Device Features

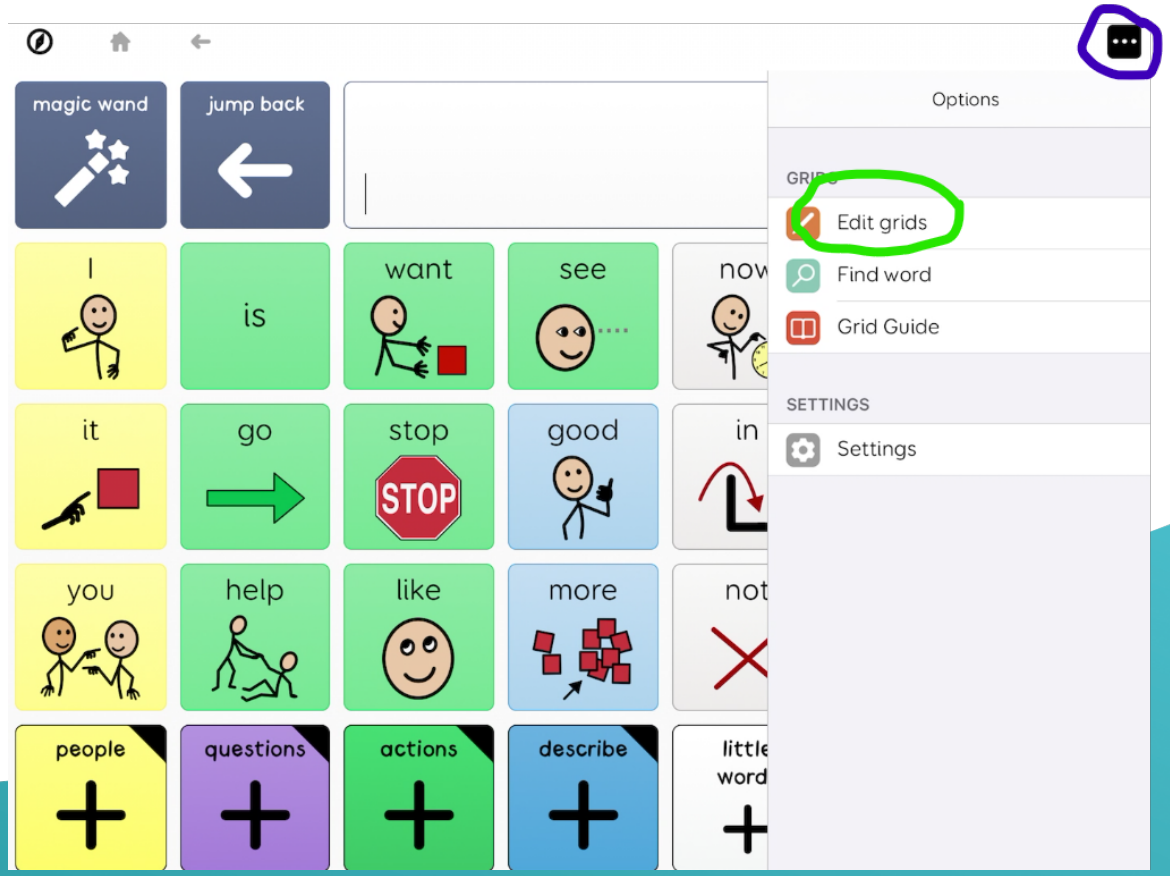
- Access to control other applications, the computer and the environment

Access to amazon echo also available on Grid for iPad

Can connect to any device with infrared and radio technology

How to edit

- You can edit in the app or remotely via a different device or a windows pc
- **Edit mode** by pressing **F11** or using the drop-down menu in the top left and selecting **Edit Grid**.
  - Move cells
  - Resize sell
  - Add cells
  - Change the writing or the pictures



How to edit

Finish Editing
Undo
Select
Eating Equipment
Back
Chat writing area
Write chat sentences here.
Speak
I need
the
big
plate
bowl
knife
Delete word
I don't need
a
small
fork
spoon
cup
Clear
Where is my
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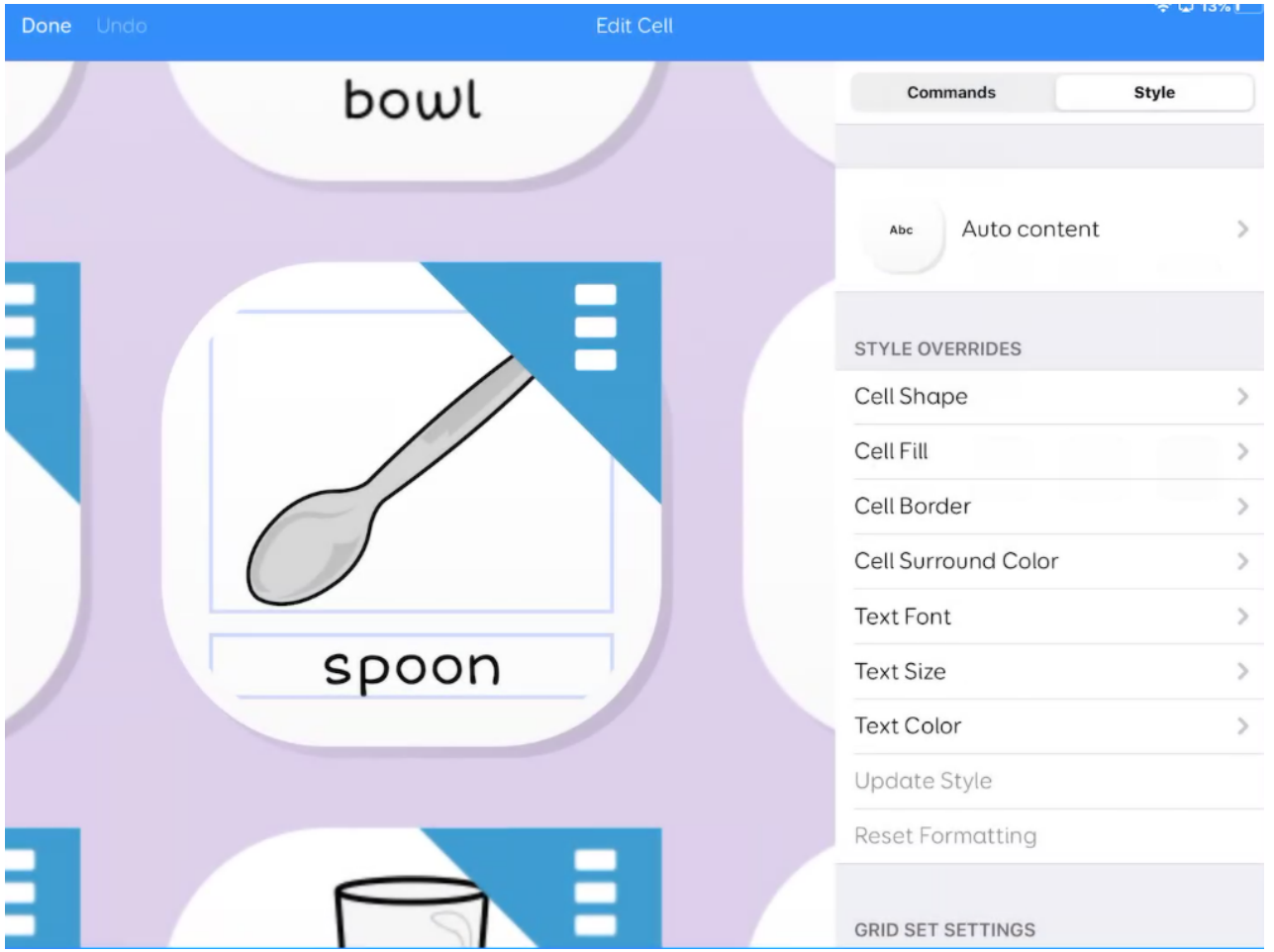
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Undo
Edit Cell
bowl
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Commands
Style
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STYLE OVERRIDES
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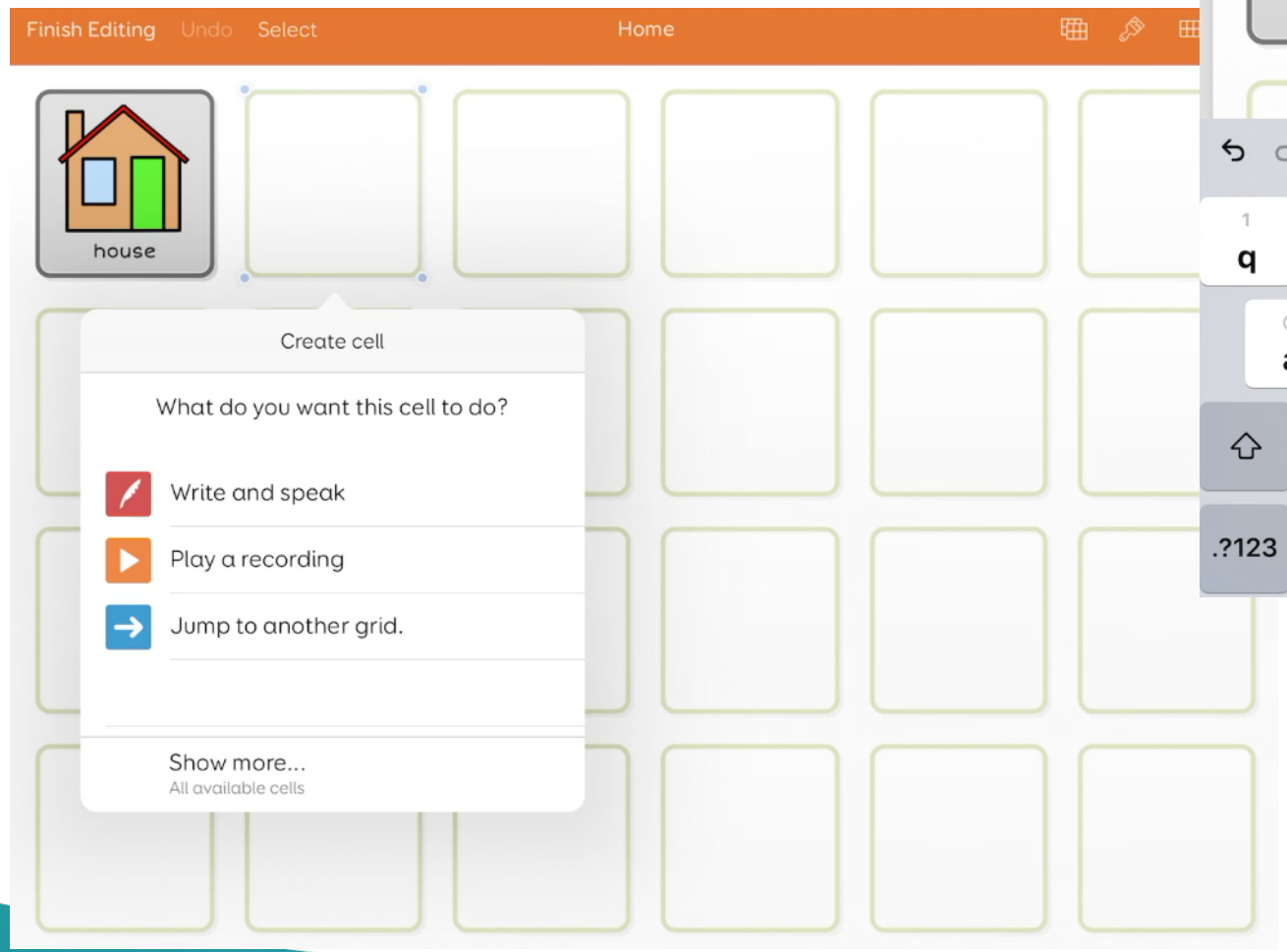
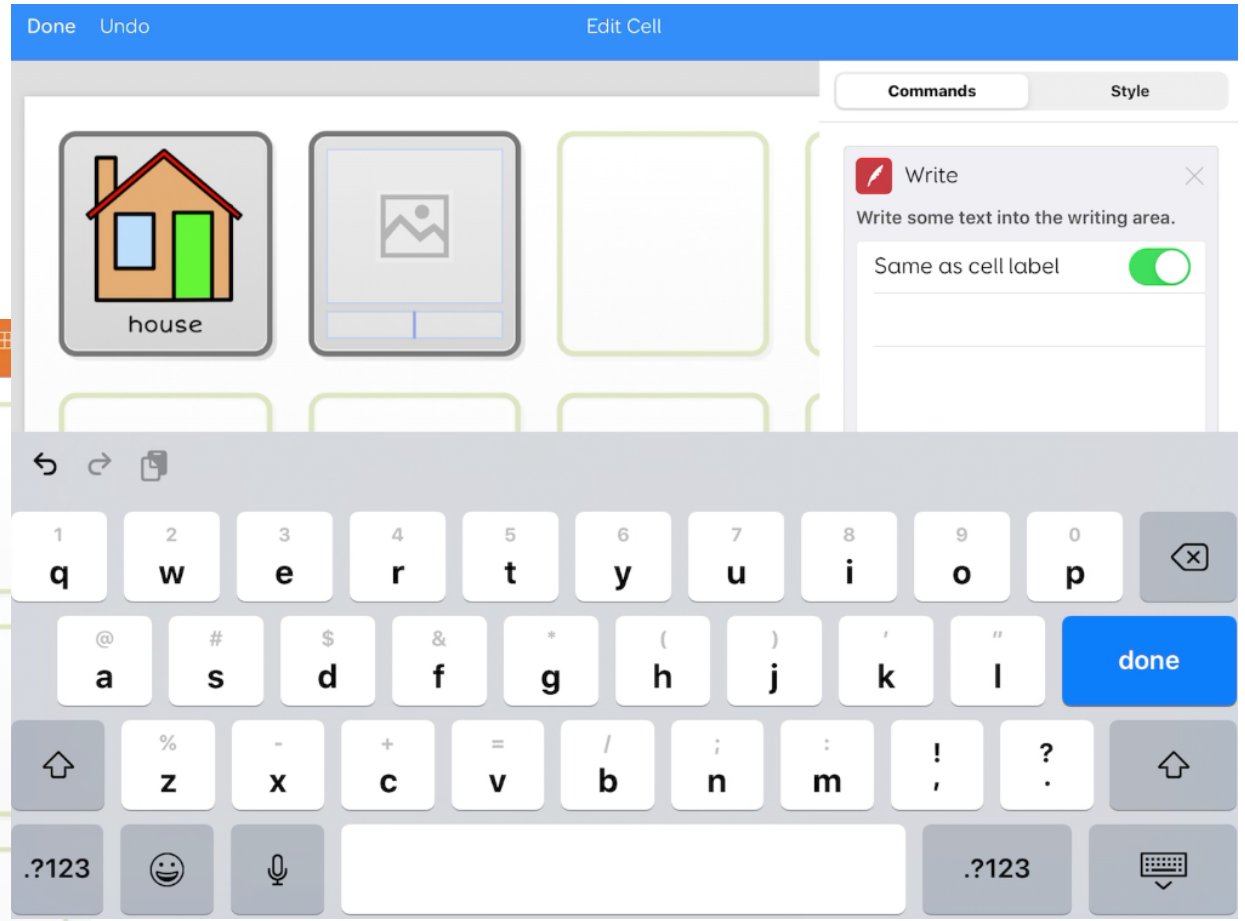
Reset Formatting
GRID SET SETTINGS

Creating New Cells





Restrictions – Options within Grid 3

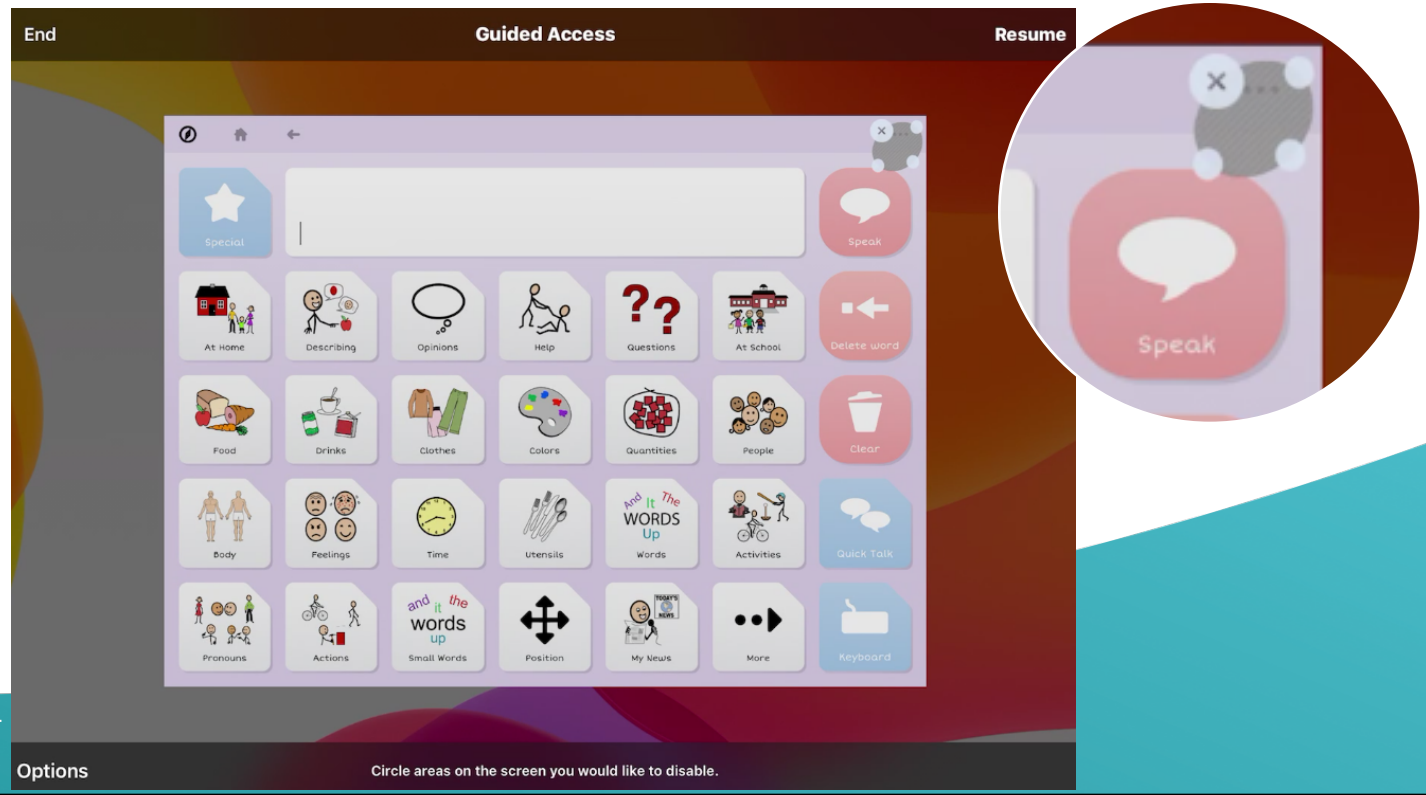
- You are able to hide the menu bar which should prevent access to edit mode and help deter minimizing of the Grid 3 app
  - Menu > settings > startup

- Return the menu bar by pressing 2 corners or by pressing F12

Restrictions – Guided Access on the iPad

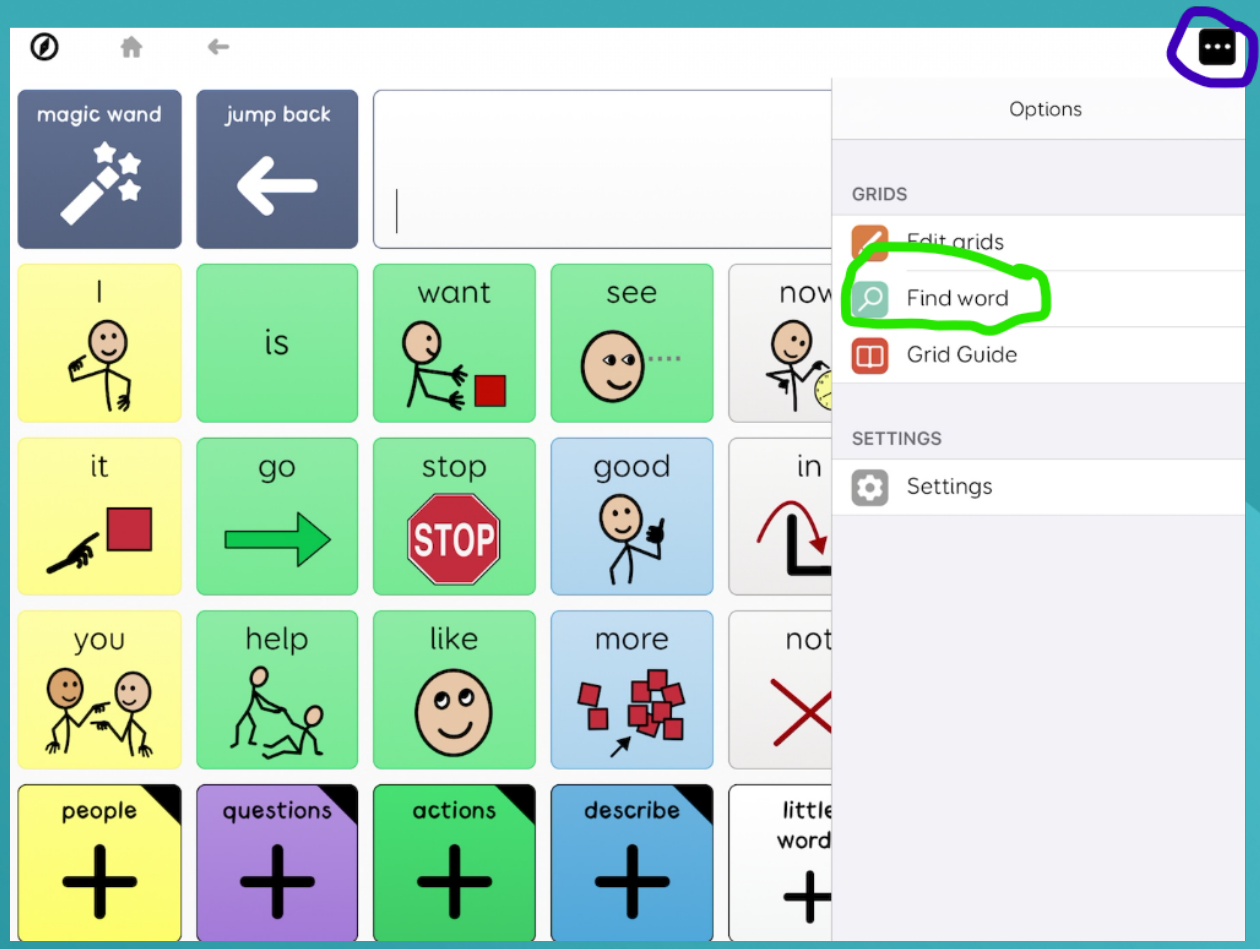
- Guided Access restricts the use of the iPad to a single application
  - Settings > Accessibility > Guided Access > turn on Guided Access

- Guided access can also allow you to restrict certain areas of the screen – you can use this to restrict access to the menu button essentially disabling the edit features



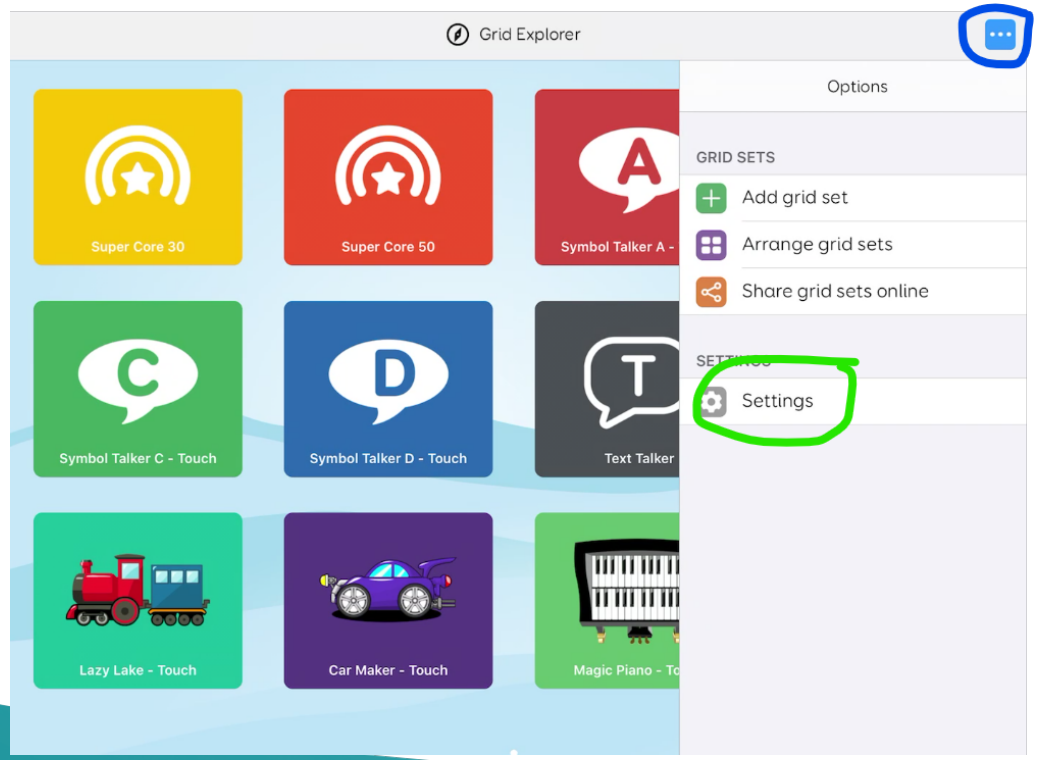
Wordfinder and Search

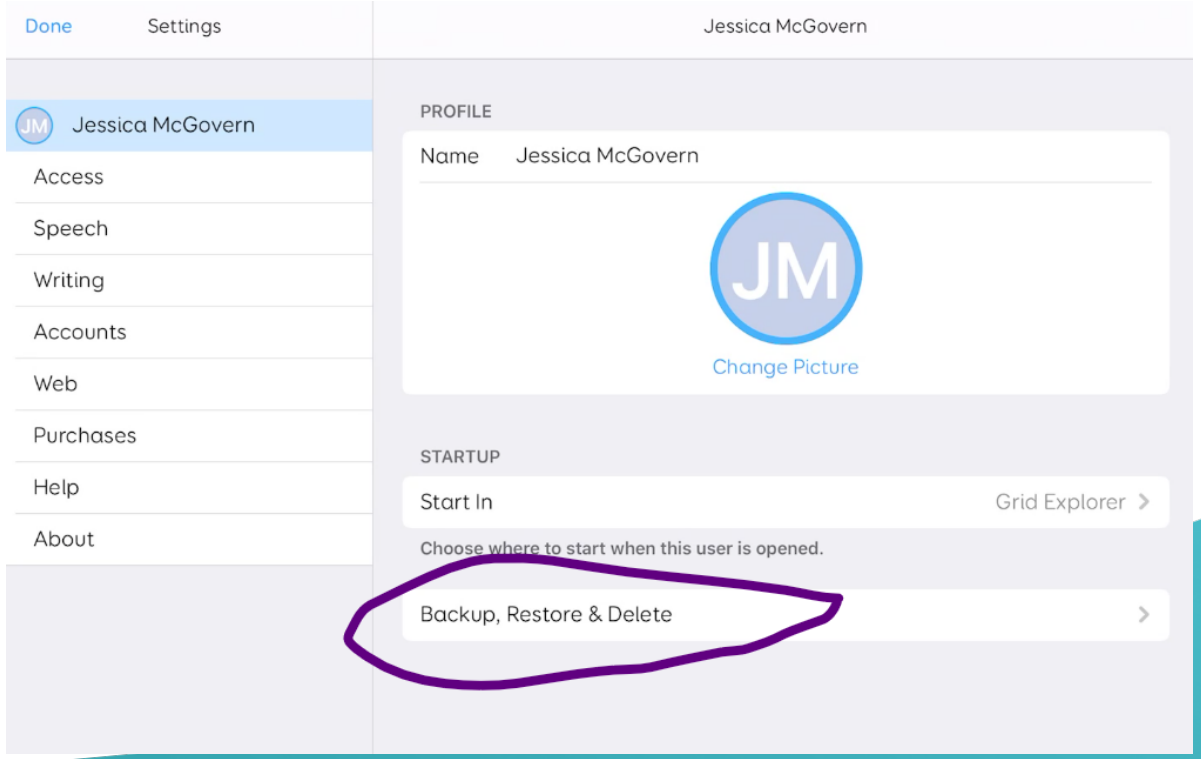
- To quickly find which grid a word is on, click on the Menu bar and Find Word.



Backup

- Connect account to Dropbox
- When you set up your account you can set up Dropbox and connect the accounts





AAC Apps Covered

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International AAC Awareness Month

2021

All are Welcome!
SLPs, parents, teachers, caregivers and more.
Appropriate for users of any age.
Including toddlers to seniors.

Grid 3	October 1	9:30-10am
LAMP	October 10	10-10:30am
TouchChat	October 13	9:30-10am
CoughDrop	October 21	11-11:30am
Proloquo2Go	October 21	2-2:30pm
GoTalkNow	October 28	11-11:30am

Twenty minute training with 10 minute Q&A session.

Zoom Meeting ID: 937 3864 6865

APPS on iPads available for short-term loans. Contact bheyd@wihd.org for availability through the WIHD NYS TRAID site for Westchester, Putnam and Dutchess Counties

Questions?

Thank you!

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