

Text Based Apps for Clusterbox

	Predictable 6	ProLoQuo4Text	Say It!	Quick Type AAC	Speech Assistant
			Please note KMCAT are unable to fund this app on Provision-only.		
Choose this app for....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keyboard based • Range of prediction and personalisation settings • Biggest range of keyboards including emojis! • Good company support 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keyboard based • Range of prediction and personalisation settings • Best for bilingual users • Can easily prepare temporary phrases e.g. questions for doctor. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keyboard Based • Good choice of keyboards • Phrase list with folders 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keyboard Based • Basic text to speech app 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phrase based communication with highly editable phrase bank. • May be suitable for someone with language or significant spelling difficulties where reading is a strength.
Price	£159.99	£119.99	£44.99 (upgrade within app)	£1.99	£14.99

Keyboards					
Keyboards	ABC, QWERTY, 10 key, Frequency, Emoji iOS/Android keyboard Left and right-handed layouts	iOS keyboard	QWERTY, ABC, Frequency, 9 Key	iOS keyboard, custom keyboard (with editable key order, size, colour scheme)	iOS keyboard
Compatible with 3rd party keyboards	Yes	Yes	No	Yes (although alternative keyboards can cover in-app prediction cells)	Yes

Languages

Languages	27 Languages. Easy to switch English, Arabic, Chinese, Czech, Danish, Dutch, Finnish, French, German, Greek, Hebrew, Hindi, Hungarian, Indonesian, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Norwegian, Polish, Portuguese, Romania, Russian, Spanish, Slovak, Swedish, Thai, Turkish	18 Languages. Easy to switch between languages by switching keyboard Arabic, Catalanian, Czech, Danish, Dutch, English, Finnish, French, German, Greek, Italian, Norwegian, Polish, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish, Swedish, Turkish.	English only	English only	5 Languages: Can create multiple profiles for different languages English, Dutch, French, German and Spanish.
Spell Check	Yes (with autocorrect option)	Yes	No	No	Yes: autocorrection
Adding words to dictionary	Automatic word learning, can set sensitivity	Automatic word learning	Yes, manually add words	No	No

Voice and Speech

Voices	13 British Voices	11 British Voices	8 British Voices	3 British voices	8 British voices
Voice editing	Speed and pitch	Speed and pitch	No	No	Speed and pitch
Banked voice compatible (see voice banking guidance on KMCAT website)	Yes: Acapela and ModelTalker	Yes: Acapela	No	No	No
Pronunciation editing	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes

Prediction

Word Prediction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Single word Auto-completion option 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> iOS prediction or in app prediction Single or multi word prediction Auto spacing Sentence prediction 'block' 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Single word 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Single word 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> iOS prediction Auto-completion
Abbreviations	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes

Phrases

Phrase list	Yes, organised in folders or grid view with symbols as required.	Yes, organised in folders.	Yes, organised in folders	No	Yes, in grid arrangement in folders. Highly editable, can add pictures and audio to phrase 'Automatic Search' setting: searches for phrase by typing key word/partial word into message bar
Message History	Yes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Top left of screen 'History' folder in phrases 	Yes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'History' block: to say what has been said before. 'Conversation' block: save what you were typing to switch between conversations. 	No	No	Yes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Can retrieve 5 previous messages via long hold of 'undo' button 'History Speak': phrases will be automatically saved to history folder when 'Speak' button pressed.
Message banking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Within app Can import MP3 and WAV files via Predictable website if you have an account. 	No	No	No	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Within app Can import M4A, AAC, MP3 and WAV files.

Layout and colours

Change font	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes
Adjust text size	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Adjust cell/button sizes/position	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes
Adjust colour scheme	Yes	Yes	Yes, limited choice	No	Yes

Other Features					
Quick interjections	Yes, 'Floor Hold': can be automatic or manual	Yes, 'Quick Talk' with choice of interjections	Yes, can have automatic 'Floor Holder'	No	No
Attention sound	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
Show message in larger font to share without audio output	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes
Additional Features	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Handwriting recognition Some touch accommodations: 'Select Time Delay' and 'Select Force Delay'. Alternative access features: 'Gesture Speak' and 'Head Tracking' 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> App available on Apple Watch for phrases 	-	-	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Touch accommodations for keyboard.

Sharing and Backup					
Sharing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Copy message to clipboard Paste message from clipboard Share message to installed apps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Copy message to clipboard Share message to installed apps Airdrop message to another device 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Copy message to clipboard 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Copy message to clipboard Share message to installed apps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Share message to installed apps
Use on phone calls	Yes, and Facetime, WhatsApp and Messenger calls	No	No	No	Yes, and FaceTime and Skype calls
Back Up Options (see Guidance for Advising Patient on Confidentiality Risk document on KMCAT website)	Via Predictable account	iCloud, Google Drive or Dropbox.	No	No	iCloud, Mail or Airdrop

App Compatibility

Android version	Yes	No	No	No	Yes (£6.49): reduced features
Windows version	Yes	No	No	No	No
Trial version	No	No	Yes	No	No
Version for iPhone	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Alternative Keyboards

iOS devices allow for alternative third-party keyboards to be used which can provide different access or visual support settings.

	Keedogo Plus	Superkeys
Price	£2.99	£12.99
Keyboard	Simplified ABC or QWERTY	QWERTY 2 hit keyboard
Appearance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Editable colour scheme including high contrast • Editable font • Upper or lower case 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Editable colour scheme
Prediction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Editable number of suggestions • Word completion, next word or multiword prediction • Can learn words (choose all or correctly spelt) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single word with 4 options
Other features	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Auto-capitalisation • Auto-spacing • Auditory feedback 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can add swipe gestures for delete/space/return • Can add phrase list to keyboard