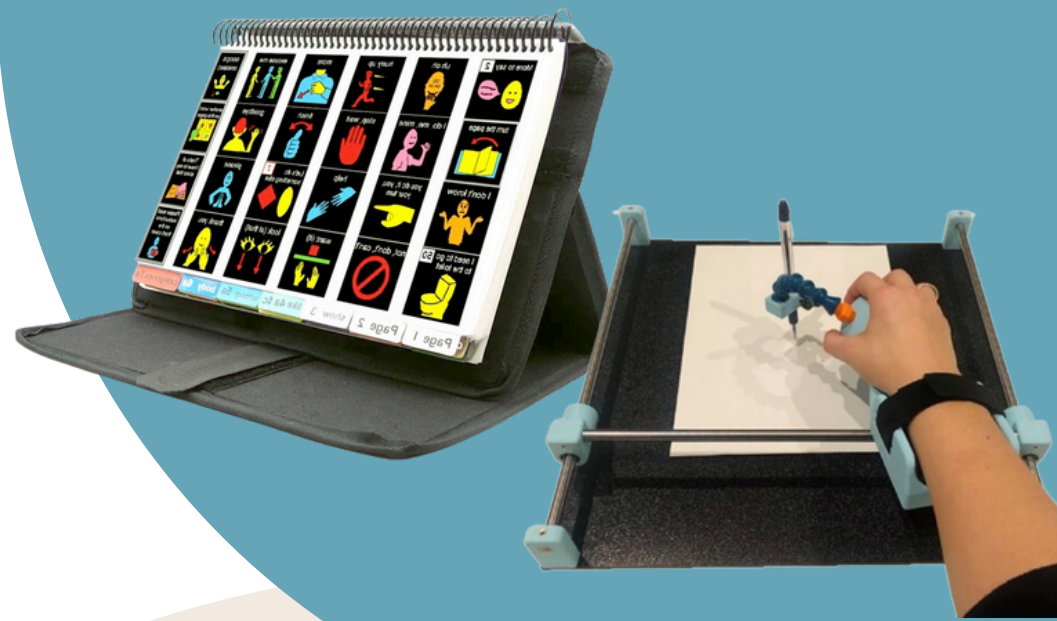


## About C.E.S.

Cooperative Educational Services is a public educational authority pursuant to Connecticut General Statute 10-66 and is one of six Regional Educational Service Centers in the state. The agency is governed by a Representative Council made up of Board of Education members from the 16 Fairfield County school districts served by CES: Bridgeport, Darien, Easton/Redding/Region 9, Fairfield, Greenwich, Monroe, New Canaan, Norwalk, Ridgefield, Shelton, Stamford, Stratford, Trumbull, Weston, Westport, and Wilton.

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# THE ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY CENTER

*Assistive technology (AT) is any item, piece of equipment, software program, or product system that is used to increase, maintain, or improve the functional capabilities of persons with disabilities. -ATIA.org*

Evaluations, Trainings, & Consultation



## Evaluation and Consultation Services

**Evaluations include:**

- Consultation services include:**

- ## Assistive Technology Implementation

- Implementation plans and ongoing training/ support for school teams and families
- iOS platform: iPad, iPad Mini, and apps
- Google platform : Drive, Chrome, apps and extensions
- Built-in accessibility features



**PD opportunities (full-day, half-day, or hourly) include :**

- Augmentative and alternative communication devices (AAC):**

- ### Guidance with the development of implementation plan to provide successful and meaningful student outcomes

### Guidance with the development of data-collection tools to ensure Assistive Technology is benefiting the student

## Assistive Technology Focus Group

- Member districts of Cooperative Educational Services meet at least four times a year to discuss topics trending in Assistive Technology
- Ongoing communication opportunities throughout the year for collaboration and support among group members
- Participants may provide topic ideas they wish to address
- Access to presentations by vendors or guest speakers

