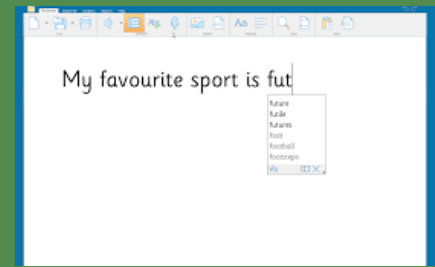


Writing: Word prediction



What is it?

Word prediction suggests words as users type, supporting students with dyslexia, motor impairments, or language challenges. It reduces effort, improves spelling, speeds up writing, and enhances fluency, allowing students to focus on ideas while building independence and confidence.

Why use it?

Word prediction technology enhances writing efficiency by suggesting words as students type, reducing cognitive load and physical effort. It supports students with spelling, language, or motor challenges, improving fluency, accuracy, and confidence. By making writing more accessible, it fosters creativity and promotes an inclusive, equitable learning environment.

How to use it?

To use word prediction, enable the feature in your device or app. As you type, suggested words appear in a dropdown menu or bar. Select a word by clicking or using shortcuts like arrow keys and enter. The word is inserted, improving typing speed and accuracy.

Example tools in Bellevue:

Word prediction is embedded in many of our Microsoft 365 products, such as Word, Outlook, OneNote, and Teams. It is also in Clicker 8 and WordQ.