

# Provide options to create, learn, and share

A suggestion for implementing the strategy  
'Helpful classroom strategies in years 1-8'  
from the Guide: [Dyslexia and learning](#)

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## **Includes:**

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## Enable students to personalise learning

Set up the learning space so students can adjust it.

Make options and supports available to everyone.

- ✓ Create opportunities where students can personalise learning tasks and projects and build on their knowledge, experience, and strengths.
- ✓ Develop success criteria with the students and present them with clear visual supports.
- ✓ Provide opportunities for students to gain confidence using a range of media so they can select the most appropriate.
- ✓ Make support tools (text-to-speech, graphic organisers, planning tools, and so on) available for all students.
- ✓ Offer a flexible learning environment with a variety of seating and working spaces.

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## Offer options for sharing learning



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## Use tools and apps with built-in supports

Model how to use text-to-speech, dictation, glossaries, and highlighters.



Video hosted on Youtube [http://youtu.be/hwC\\_hJ7KmAg](http://youtu.be/hwC_hJ7KmAg)

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[David Salmon \(US\)](#)

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## Useful resources



### Read&Write for Google Chrome

A free extension for the Chrome browser which includes highlighting tools, text-to-speech, picture dictionary, and word prediction. "Teachers can get a free premium subscription to Read&Write for Google. To register and activate your subscription, go to [rw.texthelp.com/freeforteachers](https://rw.texthelp.com/freeforteachers) after installing the Read&Write for Google trial."

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### Explain everything uses in the classroom (Katelyn)

A student describes how her class uses the app Explain Everything to share ideas and support working together.

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### Accessibility

These tools are produced by Microsoft to support learners with a range of accessibility needs, including neurodiversity and learning needs.

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